

# Barium enema: does splitting the buscopan dose reduce patient discomfort, whilst maintaining image quality?

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**EudraCT/CTIS number**

**IRAS number**

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# Study information

## Scientific Title

### Study objectives

To investigate if splitting the 20 mg of Buscopan (hyoscine-butylbromide) into two doses of 10 mg each, with one dose being administered at the usual point in the examination, and the second dose being administered just before the final images are obtained, will decrease patient discomfort, with no loss of image quality.

### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

### Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

### Study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Primary study design

Interventional

### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Study setting(s)

Hospital

### Study type(s)

Diagnostic

## Participant information sheet

### Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Barium enema

### Interventions

1. 20 mg of buscopan (hyoscine-butylbromide) at the usual point in examination
2. 20 mg of buscopan (hyoscine-butylbromide) split into two doses of 10 mg each, with one dose being administered at the usual point in the examination, and the second dose being administered just before the final images are obtained

### Intervention Type

Drug

### Phase

Not Specified

**Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)**

Barium

**Primary outcome measure**

Completion of examination

**Secondary outcome measures**

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

01/09/2003

**Completion date**

01/06/2005

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

200 patients attending for barium enema examination, 100 of which will be the controls

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

Not Specified

**Target number of participants**

200

**Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

01/09/2003

**Date of final enrolment**

01/06/2005

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

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Government

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**Funder type**  
Government

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South Manchester University Hospitals NHS Trust (UK)

## **Results and Publications**

**Publication and dissemination plan**  
Not provided at time of registration

**Intention to publish date**

**Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan**

## IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

## Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Abstract results</a>	abstract C52, P027	01/05/2005		No	No