

# Trial of management strategies for the acute infective conjunctivitis in general practice

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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**EudraCT/CTIS number**

**IRAS number**

**ClinicalTrials.gov number**

**Secondary identifying numbers**  
G84/5610

# Study information

## Scientific Title

### Study objectives

To assess different management strategies for conjunctivitis.

### 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)

Not specified

### Study type(s)

Screening

## Participant information sheet

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

Conjunctivitis

### Interventions

1. Antibiotic eye drops (chloramphenicol) immediately
2. Delayed prescription
3. No treatment

### Intervention Type

Other

### Phase

Not Specified

### Primary outcome measure

1. Symptom resolution for conjunctivitis
2. Patient satisfaction

**Secondary outcome measures**

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

01/04/2000

**Completion date**

30/09/2006

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Present to GP with acute infective conjunctivitis
2. Age over 1 year

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

300

**Key exclusion criteria**

Age under 1 year.

**Date of first enrolment**

01/04/2000

**Date of final enrolment**

30/09/2006

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

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# Sponsor information

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# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Research council

## Funder Name

Medical Research Council (UK)

## Alternative Name(s)

Medical Research Council (United Kingdom), UK Medical Research Council, MRC

## Funding Body Type

Government organisation

## Funding Body Subtype

National government

## Location

United Kingdom

# 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="#">Results article</a>	Results	12/08/2006		Yes	No