

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

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
Not provided at time of registration

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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**  
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

**Study type(s)**

Screening

**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(s)**

1. Symptom resolution for conjunctivitis
2. Patient satisfaction

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

Not provided at time of registration

**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

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

All

**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**

United Kingdom

England

**Study participating centre**

Division of Community Clinical Sciences

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**Sponsor information****Organisation**

Medical Research Council (MRC) (UK)

**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

**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