

# A Randomised, Double Blind, Placebo Controlled Study to Assess the Effects of Ranitidine on the Survival of Patients with Gastric Cancer

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		<input type="checkbox"/> Individual participant data
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## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

## Contact information

### Type(s)

Scientific

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## Additional identifiers

### Protocol serial number

RANM09

## Study information

Scientific Title

**Study objectives**

Not provided at time of registration

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

Gastric Cancer

**Interventions**

1. Arm A: Ranitidine 50 mg in 20 ml 0.9% saline or 5% dextrose to be given intravenously three times daily until oral treatment is tolerated. This will be followed by ranitidine 150 mg tablet twice daily until death or for a period of 5 years.

2. Arm B: Placebo 50 mg in 20 ml 0.9% saline or 5% dextrose to be given intravenously three times daily until oral treatment is tolerated. This will be followed by placebo 150 mg tablet twice daily until death or for a period of 5 years.

**Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Not Specified

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

Ranitidine

**Primary outcome(s)**

Not provided at time of registration

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

Not provided at time of registration

**Completion date**

31/12/2005

**Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Aged <18 years
2. Gastric cancer proven by histology and endoscopy or barium meal
3. Patients selected for laparotomy must commence intravenous treatment with study drug at the time of induction of anaesthesia
4. Adequate renal function
5. No previous resection for gastric cancer
6. No other prior or concurrent malignancy
7. No treatment with systemic steroids, hormones or other known immunomodulating drugs within the last 7 days prior to the start of the study period
8. No medical contraindications to study treatments

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 years

**Sex****Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

01/01/2001

**Date of final enrolment**

31/12/2005

**Locations****Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

**Study participating centre**

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# Sponsor information

## Organisation

Glaxo Wellcome (UK)

## ROR

<https://ror.org/01xsqw823>

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Industry

## Funder Name

GlaxoSmithKline (UK)

## Alternative Name(s)

GlaxoSmithKline plc., GSK plc., GlaxoSmithKline plc, GSK

## Funding Body Type

Government organisation

## Funding Body Subtype

For-profit companies (industry)

## Location

United Kingdom

# Results and Publications

## Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

## IPD sharing plan summary

## Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Participant information sheet</a>	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes