

Concern and continuity in the care of cancer patients and their carers: development of the intervention

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Plain English summary of protocol

<http://cancerhelp.cancerresearchuk.org/trials/a-study-looking-at-the-continuity-of-care-of-patients-with-cancer>

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Type(s)

Scientific

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Additional identifiers

Protocol serial number

SDO/13/2001 (e)

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

That the development and testing of a complex intervention will lead to improved continuity of care in cancer for patients and those close to them by the delivery of the planned intervention.

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)

Other

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Continuity of care in cancer

Interventions

A feasibility (phase II) randomised trial in which we are developing and testing a new intervention - this will be a form of care record for teams in which aspects of continuity of care for each patient will be assessed.

ECAP - engagement and continuity action plan: a continuity of care risk assessment completed by secondary care workers at multi-disciplinary meeting.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Phase II

Primary outcome(s)

1. Acceptability
2. Practicality and feasibility of ECAP
3. Improved patient experience of engagement with care

Key secondary outcome(s)

1. Economic benefits
2. Patient and nominated friend/family member well being

Completion date

30/09/2007

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Aged over 18 years
2. Able to give informed consent
3. Patients diagnosed with breast, lung or colorectal cancer, or their nominated relative or friend

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Lower age limit

18 years

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

1. Unable to give informed consent
2. Aged under 18 years

Date of first enrolment

01/04/2006

Date of final enrolment

30/09/2007

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

University College London (UK)

ROR

<https://ror.org/02jx3x895>

Funder(s)**Funder type**

Government

Funder Name

NHS Service and Delivery Organisation (UK) [ref: SDO/13/2001 (e)]

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?
Results article	results	27/01/2009		Yes	No
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes