

# Dextromethorphan in smoking related cough

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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## Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

**Secondary identifying numbers**  
N0084120889

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

A single centre, randomised, double blind, placebo controlled, crossover, pilot study to determine the efficacy and safety of dextromethorphan versus placebo for the treatment of smoking related cough

**Study objectives**

This project was undertaken to evaluate the efficacy of dextromethorphan in the optimised cough formulation compared to placebo in a group of subjects with smoking related cough.

**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)**

Treatment

**Participant information sheet****Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied**

Respiratory: Smoking related cough

**Interventions**

Dextromethorphan versus placebo.

**Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Not Specified

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

Dextromethorphan

**Primary outcome measure**

Reduction in cough frequency measured subjectively after waking on treatment day 1 over time periods 0 - 10, 10 - 20, 20 - 40 and 40 - 60 minutes.

## **Secondary outcome measures**

1. Reduction in cough frequency on days 2 - 5
2. Change in cough symptoms (severity expectoration, chest pain, etc.,) and nocturnal cough
3. Change in cough threshold as measured via citric acid cough challenge

## **Overall study start date**

11/03/2003

## **Completion date**

01/06/2004

# **Eligibility**

## **Key inclusion criteria**

50 volunteers between 18 - 70 years.

## **Participant type(s)**

Patient

## **Age group**

Adult

## **Lower age limit**

18 Years

## **Sex**

Both

## **Target number of participants**

42

## **Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

## **Date of first enrolment**

11/03/2003

## **Date of final enrolment**

01/06/2004

# **Locations**

## **Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

## **Study participating centre**

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## **Sponsor information**

### **Organisation**

Department of Health (UK)

### **Sponsor details**

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### **Sponsor type**

Government

### **Website**

<http://www.doh.gov.uk>

## **Funder(s)**

### **Funder type**

Industry

### **Funder Name**

The North and South Bank Research and Development Consortium (NHS R&D Support Funding)  
(UK)

### **Funder Name**

Procter & Gamble (UK)

### **Alternative Name(s)**

Procter & Gamble, PandG, The Procter & Gamble Company, P&G

### **Funding Body Type**

Government organisation

### **Funding Body Subtype**

For-profit companies (industry)

## Location

United States of America

# 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	01/05/2008		Yes	No