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A Pilot comparative study of the efficacy and patient acceptability of the Rapid Rhino tamponade balloon and Merocel nasal tampon in acute epistaxis

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Registration date 30/09/2004	**Overall study status** Completed	[ ] Statistical analysis plan [ ] Results
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Plain English summary of protocol
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Study information

Scientific Title
A Pilot comparative study of the efficacy and patient acceptability of the Rapid Rhino tamponade balloon and Merocel nasal tampon in acute epistaxis

Study objectives
There is no difference between the rapid rhino tamponade balloon and the merocel nasal tampon in preventing bleeding from the nose.

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)
Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Signs and Symptoms: Acute epistaxis

Interventions
Rapid rhino tamponade balloon vs merocel nasal tampon

Intervention Type
Device

Primary outcome(s)
1. Time to cessation of bleeding
2. Patient comfort

Key secondary outcome(s))
Not provided at time of registration

Completion date
12/09/2003

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
126 patients

Participant type(s)
Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed
No

Age group
Not Specified

Sex
Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment
13/03/2003

Date of final enrolment
12/09/2003

Locations

Countries of recruitment
United Kingdom

England

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Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Trust
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Sponsor information

Organisation
Department of Health

Funder(s)

Funder type
Government

Funder Name
Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Trust (UK)

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?
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes