A randomised controlled trial comparing conventional, active and passive self-ligating orthodontic bracket systems

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Plain English summary of protocol

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Study information

Scientific Title

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Study objectives

Do any of three routinely used brackets show superiority in terms of faster overall treatment time for patient and chairside time for clinicians?

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Somerset Research Ethics Committee (UK), 08/03/2006, REC ref: 06/Q2202/6

Study design

Double-blind randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Oral Health: Orthodontics

Interventions

- 1. Standard GAC Omni bracket
- 2. System R GAC Omni bracket
- 3. Damon bracket

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)

Before September 2008: time to alignment, chairside time.

Modified September 2008: overall treatment time and chairside time.

Key secondary outcome(s))

Added September 2008: time to initial alignment and time for space closure.

Completion date

01/04/2009

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

100 children under 18 requiring routine upper and lower fixed appliances following extraction.

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Child

Upper age limit

18 years

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Subjects with learning difficulties
- 2. Subjects who do not understand English
- 3. Subjects with incomplete labial segments, i.e. incisors or canines missing

Date of first enrolment

01/03/2006

Date of final enrolment

01/04/2009

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre Taunton & Somerset Hospital

Taunton United Kingdom TA1 5DA

Sponsor information

Organisation

Record Provided by the NHSTCT Register - 2007 Update - Department of Health

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

Taunton and Somerset Research and Development Consortium (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?
Results article	results	01/05/2014	Yes	No
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025 11/11/2025	No	Yes