

# A prospective randomised study comparing 'standard open' haemorrhoidectomy with the 'completely closed and sutured' technique.

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

**Protocol serial number**  
N0084144553

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

**Study objectives**

Does the completely closed and sutured technique of haemorrhoidectomy reduce discomfort and enhances healing in comparison to the standard open method?

**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)**

Not Specified

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

Surgery: Haemorrhoidectomy

**Interventions**

All patients diagnosed as having grade 3 or 4 haemorrhoids and require corrective surgery who fulfil the inclusion criteria seen in the general surgical outpatient department of Scunthorpe And Goole hospitals will be invited to take part in the study until the sample size has been achieved. After patients have agreed to participate, they will be randomised into one or other of the treatment arms: 'standard open' haemorrhoidectomy vs 'completely closed and sutured' technique.

**Intervention Type**

Procedure/Surgery

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Primary outcome(s)**

1. A routine follow up clinical appointment will be sent to the patient at 4 weeks after surgery. Extent of healing will be scored on a scale from 1-4. (1:<25%; 2:25-50%; 3:50-75%; 4:complete healing).
2. Post operative SF 36 questionnaire at 4 weeks after surgery
3. Duration in days taken to return to normal daily activities
4. Percent satisfaction after the procedure
5. Consent to undergo the procedure again if required

**Key secondary outcome(s))**

Not provided at time of registration

**Completion date**

02/01/2004

# Eligibility

## Key inclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

## 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

02/01/2002

## Date of final enrolment

02/01/2004

# Locations

## Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

## Study participating centre

Northern Lincolnshire & Goole Hospitals NHS Trust

Scunthorpe

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# Sponsor information

## Organisation

Department of Health

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Government

## Funder Name

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# Results and Publications

## Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

## IPD sharing plan summary

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