Reducing Prescribing Errors: to determine if a pocket sized laminated card summarising obstetrics and gynaecological therapeutics can reduce house officers' prescribing errors

Submission date	Recruitment status	Prospectively registered
23/01/2004	No longer recruiting	☐ Protocol
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
23/01/2004	Completed	Results
Last Edited	Condition category	Individual participant data
29/10/2019	Pregnancy and Childbirth	Record updated in last year

Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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Type(s)

Scientific

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EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

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Secondary identifying numbers

HSR/041 441452

Study information

Scientific Title

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Study objectives

To see if pocket reference cards reduce prescribing errors.

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)

Prevention

Participant information sheet

Not available in web format, please use the contact details below to request a patient information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Pregnancy and childbirth

Interventions

A portable, robust summary of prescribing relevant to obstetrics and gynaecology will be given to new SHOs in the Yorkshire region.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome measure

Prescribing error rates recorded by local ward pharmacists. The value of aid to house officers will be assessed by a structured interview.

Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date

07/01/1996

Completion date

04/01/1998

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Senior House Officers (SHO)

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Adult

Sex

Both

Target number of participants

Not provided at time of registration

Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment

07/01/1996

Date of final enrolment

04/01/1998

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

Study participating centre

Leeds General Infirmary

Leeds United Kingdom LS2 9NS

Sponsor information

Organisation

NHS R&D Regional Programme Register - Department of Health (UK)

Sponsor details

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Sponsor type

Government

Website

http://www.doh.gov.uk

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

NHS Executive Northern and Yorkshire (UK)

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 summaryNot provided at time of registration