

# Developing tests for endometrial cancer detection

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## Plain English summary of protocol

<https://www.cancerresearchuk.org/about-cancer/find-a-clinical-trial/a-study-looking-at-a-new-test-for-womb-cancer-detect>

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## **Additional identifiers**

**EudraCT/CTIS number**

**IRAS number**

**ClinicalTrials.gov number**

**Secondary identifying numbers**

R04415

## **Study information**

**Scientific Title**

DEveloping Tests for Endometrial Cancer deTection

**Acronym**

DETECT Multicentre

**Study objectives**

The aim of the study is to establish the diagnostic test accuracy of urogenital cytology for endometrial cancer detection in women with unexplained postmenopausal bleeding.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

North West - Greater Manchester West Research Ethics Committee, 27/06/2018, ref: 16/NW/0660

**Study design**

Prospective multicentre double-blind diagnostic test accuracy study

**Primary study design**

Observational

**Secondary study design**

Diagnostic test accuracy study

**Study setting(s)**

Hospital

**Study type(s)**

Diagnostic

## **Participant information sheet**

Not available in web format, please use contact details to request a participant information sheet

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

Endometrial cancer

## **Interventions**

After written informed consent, the trialists will obtain medical history and matched urine and vaginal samples from women with unexplained postmenopausal bleeding. Urine samples will be self collected in a sterile pot and vaginal samples will be taken by a research practitioner using a Delphi screener according to a strict protocol. The urine and vaginal samples will then be transferred to the cytopathology department at Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust for cytological assessment. The accuracy of urogenital cytology will be measured against standard diagnostic tests for endometrial cancer.

## **Intervention Type**

Other

## **Primary outcome measure**

Sensitivity: the proportion of women who have endometrial cancer who test positive by urogenital cytology (true positive rate) and negative predictive value – the proportion of test negatives who are true negatives. The accuracy of urine +/- vaginal cytology (index test) will be defined by the results of standard endometrial cancer diagnostic tests

## **Secondary outcome measures**

1. Specificity: the proportion of women who do not have endometrial cancer who test negative by urogenital cytology (true negative rate)
2. False positive/negative rates (including clinical scenarios associated with these)
3. Positive predictive value
4. Test acceptability (short questionnaire to compare acceptability of urogenital cytology with standard diagnostic tests)

Exploratory analyses beyond the scope of this study:

The trialists will collect the residual urogenital cytology samples and store them in the MFT Biobank for future biomarker discovery work. They will centrifuge the samples to pellet the cellular material and freeze the pellet plus an aliquot of the supernatant.

## **Overall study start date**

07/06/2018

## **Completion date**

31/10/2021

# **Eligibility**

## **Key inclusion criteria**

1. Women with unexplained postmenopausal bleeding attending for urgent investigations to exclude endometrial cancer
2. Written informed consent to participate

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

Female

**Target number of participants**

2000

**Total final enrolment**

1890

**Key exclusion criteria**

Current exclusion criteria as of 21/12/2018:

1. Abnormal bleeding before the menopause (in whom the risk of cancer is much lower)
2. Previous diagnosis of endometrial cancer
3. Previous hysterectomy
4. Mirena coil in situ or removed within the last 3 months
5. Any other condition that would compromise participant safety or data integrity

Previous exclusion criteria:

1. Abnormal bleeding before the menopause (in whom the risk of cancer is much lower)
2. Previous diagnosis of endometrial cancer
3. Previous hysterectomy

**Date of first enrolment**

03/09/2018

**Date of final enrolment**

01/09/2021

**Locations****Countries of recruitment**

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Hospital/treatment centre

### ROR

<https://ror.org/00he80998>

## Funder(s)

### Funder type

Charity

### Funder Name

The Jon Moulton Charity Trust

## Results and Publications

### Publication and dissemination plan

Planned publication in a high-impact peer reviewed journal.

### Intention to publish date

01/10/2023

### Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

The datasets generated during and/or analysed during the current study are/will be available upon request from Prof. Emma Crosbie (emma.crosbie@manchester.ac.uk). The consent form was adapted to include a specific clause to share anonymised data. Early versions may not include this.

## IPD sharing plan summary

Available on request

## Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Protocol article</a>		28/07/2021	21/09/2021	Yes	No
<a href="#">HRA research summary</a>			28/06/2023	No	No