

# Investigation into the effects of steroid and local anaesthetic infiltration into soft tissues in total hip replacement wounds on post-operative pain relief

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## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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### EudraCT/CTIS number

2006-001580-30

### IRAS number

### ClinicalTrials.gov number

## **Secondary identifying numbers**

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# **Study information**

## **Scientific Title**

Investigation into the effects of steroid and local anaesthetic infiltration into soft tissues in total hip replacement wounds on post-operative pain relief

## **Study objectives**

1. What are the effects on pain relief after total hip replacement of injecting steroid and local anaesthetic into hip wounds at operation?
2. Does the above have an effect on amount of morphine required postoperatively, the time taken to walk after operation, the total time spent in hospital and the rate of infection?

## **Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

## **Ethics approval(s)**

Not provided at time of registration

## **Study design**

Prospective, randomised, double blind trial

## **Primary study design**

Interventional

## **Secondary study design**

Randomised controlled trial

## **Study setting(s)**

Hospital

## **Study type(s)**

Treatment

## **Participant information sheet**

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

Signs and Symptoms: Pain

## **Interventions**

The study will be a prospective, randomised, double blind trial comparing outcomes of three treatment groups:

1. Local anaesthetic only
2. Local anaesthetic and steroid
3. Placebo

## **Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)**

steroid and local anaesthetic

**Primary outcome measure**

Volume of morphine administered by PCA post op.

**Secondary outcome measures**

1. Visual analogue pain scores
2. Time to first dose of morphine
3. Time to mobilisation
4. Time to discharge
5. Complications ie delayed wound healing, dehiscence

**Overall study start date**

03/08/2006

**Completion date**

31/10/2006

## **Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

Patients undergoing primary total hip replacement surgery for osteoarthritis will be selected for the trial from the waiting lists of two orthopaedic surgeons using the same prostheses.

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

Not Specified

**Target number of participants**

Not provided at time of registration

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Patients who are on regular steroid treatment
2. Those taking strong opioid analgesia regularly
3. Patients who are diabetic
4. In addition, patients with a history of peptic ulcer disease will be excluded as steroid treatment is contraindicated with this condition

**Date of first enrolment**

03/08/2006

**Date of final enrolment**

31/10/2006

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

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**Organisation**

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Not defined

**Website**

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## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**

Government

**Funder Name**

Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust

**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 summary**

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