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Randomised controlled trial of Dihydrocodeine (DHC) and methadone in the treatment of opiate dependent patients

Submission date	Recruitment status	[ ] Prospectively registered
08/03/2005	No longer recruiting	[ ] Protocol
Registration date	**Overall study status**	[ ] Statistical analysis plan
20/04/2005	Completed	[X] Results
Last Edited	**Condition category**	[ ] Individual participant data
18/09/2007	Mental and Behavioural Disorders	

Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

Study website
http://www.show.scot.nhs.uk/CSO/Publications/ExecSumms/JanFeb05/9.8%20Robertson.pdf

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Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers
K/OPR/2/2/D399

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives
To determine the efficacy of dihdrocodeine compared to methadone in the treatment of opiate dependence.

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)
Not specified

Study type(s)
Treatment

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Opiate dependence

Interventions
Substitute treatment with methadone or dihydrocodeine.

Intervention Type
Drug

Phase
Not Specified

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)
Dihydrocodeine (DHC), methadone

Primary outcome measure
1. Survival
2. Retention in treatment
3. Continued drug use (particularly injecting)
4. Criminal behaviour

Secondary outcome measures
Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date
01/09/2000

Completion date
01/03/2005

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
Opiate dependent patients

Participant type(s)
Patient

Age group
Not Specified

Sex
Not Specified

Target number of participants
250

Key exclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment
01/09/2000

Date of final enrolment
01/03/2005

Locations

Countries of recruitment
Scotland

United Kingdom

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http://www.sehd.scot.nhs.uk/cso/

ROR
https://ror.org/01bw7zm61

Funder(s)

Funder type
Government

Funder Name
Chief Scientist Office (UK) - Scottish Executive Health Department

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

Not provided at time of registration

Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
Results article	Results	01/12/2006		Yes	No