

Extended scope physiotherapy (ESP) practice in primary care: a prospective pilot study of its role in the management of back pain

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Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

To determine the health outcomes of patients referred directly to an ESP service for back pain and to assess the cost effectiveness of an ESP service.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Study design

Prospective randomised pilot study

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

Musculoskeletal Diseases: Back pain

Interventions

Initial assessment by triage clinician.

Three arms of study:

1. Specialist
2. Extended Scope Physio triage who randomises groups to controls or ESP cases
3. Secondary care physiotherapist

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome measure

Results from this study will provide evidence for service development in back pain management

Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date

01/02/2003

Completion date

01/08/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Patients are eligible for this study if acute back pain from 2-12 weeks duration or chronic mechanical pain >12.

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Not Specified

Sex

Not Specified

Target number of participants

80 patients

Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment

01/02/2003

Date of final enrolment

01/08/2004

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

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Sponsor information

Organisation

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Government

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Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

Whipps Cross University Hospital NHS Trust (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 summary

Not provided at time of registration