# A randomised controlled trial to investigate the effectiveness of transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulation on pain control poststernotomy

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<b>Registration date</b> 23/01/2004	<b>Overall study status</b> Completed	<ul> <li>Statistical analysis plan</li> <li>[X] Results</li> </ul>
Last Edited 24/10/2019	<b>Condition category</b> Surgery	Individual participant data

**Plain English summary of protocol** Not provided at time of registration

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# Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

#### R/19/3-95/BYRNE

### Study information

#### Scientific Title

A randomised controlled trial to investigate the effectiveness of transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulation on pain control post-sternotomy

#### **Study objectives**

To investigate the effectiveness of transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulation (TENS) in reducing pain after cardiac surgery with sternotomy

**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)** Treatment

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied Cardiovascular diseases: Heart disease; Symptoms and general pathology: Pain

#### Interventions

Transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulation
 Standard care

Intervention Type Procedure/Surgery

**Phase** Not Applicable

**Primary outcome measure** Not provided at time of registration **Secondary outcome measures** Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date 01/05/1995

**Completion date** 31/05/1996

# Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria** Not provided at time of registration

**Participant type(s)** Patient

Age group Not Specified

**Sex** Not Specified

**Target number of participants** Not provided at time of registration

**Key exclusion criteria** Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment 01/05/1995

Date of final enrolment 31/05/1996

# Locations

**Countries of recruitment** England

United Kingdom

**Study participating centre Rheumatology Centre,** Bristol United Kingdom BS2 8HW

### 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 Hospital/treatment centre

**Funder Name** NHS Executive South West (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

Study outputs					
Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<u>Results article</u>	results	01/10/1997	24/10/2019	Yes	No