

# Trauma Reception and Resuscitation - 'Time for a New Approach'

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16/02/2005

**Recruitment status**  
No longer recruiting

☐ Prospectively registered

☐ Protocol

**Registration date**  
06/01/2006

**Overall study status**  
Completed

☐ Statistical analysis plan

☒ Results

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31/01/2019

**Condition category**  
Injury, Occupational Diseases, Poisoning

☐ Individual participant data

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

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**Type(s)**  
Scientific

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**EudraCT/CTIS number**

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**ClinicalTrials.gov number**  
NCT00164034

**Secondary identifying numbers**  
N/A

# Study information

## Scientific Title

Trauma resuscitation errors and computer-assisted decision support.

## Acronym

TR&RP

## Study objectives

The introduction of real-time computer prompted algorithms will result in a measurable reduction in management errors associated with reception and resuscitation of major trauma patients, demonstrating that a reduction in management errors translates into a reduction in morbidity and mortality.

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

## Study design

Treatment, Randomized, Open Label, Active Control, Parallel Assignment, Safety/Efficacy Study

## 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

Traumatic injury

## Interventions

A historical control to assess the Hawthorne effect.

A randomised controlled trial comparing trauma resuscitation supported by real-time computer prompted algorithms against those without.

## Intervention Type

Other

## Phase

Not Specified

**Primary outcome measure**

The primary benefits will be:

1. The development of evidence-based algorithms for trauma resuscitation
2. The development of real-time, computer aided, data collection during trauma resuscitation
3. Testing the hypothesis that the introduction of real-time, computer-prompted algorithms will result in a measurable reduction in management errors associated with reception and resuscitation of major trauma patients
4. Demonstrating that a reduction in management errors translates into a reduction in morbidity and mortality

**Secondary outcome measures**

The secondary benefits will be:

1. Standardising, publishing and distributing resuscitation documentation, interventions and diagnoses
2. Critical evaluation of the cost-benefit of trauma resuscitation video audit
3. Rejuvenation of resuscitation research through the development of a standardised environment

**Overall study start date**

01/01/2005

**Completion date**

30/09/2007

**Eligibility****Key inclusion criteria**

1162 test and control trauma cases presenting to the Trauma Centre of the Alfred Hospital.

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

1162

**Key exclusion criteria**

Stable trauma patients (i.e. pulse rate  $<100$ /minute, mean arterial pressure [MAP]  $>70$  mmHg, Hb  $>70$ , temperature  $>35^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $<37.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ , SpO<sub>2</sub>  $>92\%$ , Glasgow Coma Score [GCS]  $>13$ ) undergoing secondary transfer from another hospital, where trauma occurred  $>6$  hours prior to arrival, will be excluded.

**Date of first enrolment**

01/01/2005

**Date of final enrolment**

30/09/2007

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

Australia

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Charity

## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**

Charity

**Funder Name**

The Victorian Trauma Foundation and The Alfred Hospital - Bayside Health

## **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?
<a href="#">Results article</a>		01/08/2006		Yes	No
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/02/2011	31/01/2019	Yes	No