

# A physiological approach to stimulating labour pulse: a randomised controlled trial of pulsatile versus continuous oxytocin administration

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## Plain English summary of protocol

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# Study information

## Scientific Title

## Study objectives

To compare the administration of continuous and pulsatile infusion of oxytocin for labour induction and augmentation.

## 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

Pregnancy and Childbirth: Labour

## Interventions

Randomised controlled trial: pulsatile versus continuous oxytocin administration

## Intervention Type

Other

## Phase

Not Applicable

## Primary outcome measure

Increase in normal vaginal delivery rate

## Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

16/02/2004

**Completion date**

30/06/2006

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

407 inductions (pulsatile route) 407 augmentations (pulsatile route)

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

Female

**Target number of participants**

Not provided at time of registration

**Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

16/02/2004

**Date of final enrolment**

30/06/2006

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

England

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Central Manchester and Manchester Children's University Hospitals NHS Trust

**Funder Name**

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**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>	results	01/03/2012		Yes	No