

The UK Chiropractors, Osteopaths and Musculoskeletal Physiotherapists Low back pain Management trial

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Registration date 13/12/2004	Overall study status Completed	<input type="checkbox"/> Statistical analysis plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Results
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Plain English summary of protocol

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EudraCT/CTIS number

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ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

N/A

Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym

COMPLEMENT trial

Study objectives

The primary aim of the study is to investigate the short-term effectiveness (six months following intervention) of a previously developed, directly-posted information package, that details contextualised evidence-based recommendations for the management of acute back pain, on the reported behaviour, attitudes and beliefs of a combined sample of chiropractors, osteopaths and musculoskeletal physiotherapists in the UK.

Our secondary objectives aims are:

1. To describe patterns of reported behaviour, attitudes and beliefs, within and between professional groups at baseline
2. To identify baseline factors that are associated with a change in reported behaviour of these practitioners (such as demographic data, attitudes and beliefs of practitioners)
3. To make recommendations for future research on implementation strategies in these professional groups

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)

Quality of life

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Low back pain - Practitioner reported behaviour and beliefs

Interventions

Intervention: Previously developed, directly-posted information package that details contextualised evidence-based recommendations for the management of acute back pain.

Control: No intervention.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome measure

Health Care Providers Pain and Impairment Relationship scale (HC-PAIRS), first published by Rainville et al 1995.

Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date

01/11/2003

Completion date

31/03/2005

Eligibility**Key inclusion criteria**

UK Chiropractors, Osteopaths and Musculoskeletal Physiotherapists:

1. Chiropractors: Registered with the General Chiropractic Council and British Chiropractic Association
2. Osteopaths: Registered with the General Osteopathic Council
3. Physiotherapists: Registered with the Chartered Society of Physiotherapy and self-selected as 'musculoskeletal' by speciality

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Not Specified

Sex

Not Specified

Target number of participants

1700

Key exclusion criteria

1. Non-UK practitioners
2. Practitioners living or working in Scotland (due to ongoing national educational campaign)

www.workingbacksscotland.com)

3. Practitioners who reported that they had retired
4. Practitioners who reported that they were non-practicing
5. Practitioners who reported that they were not currently involved directly in the management of LBP patients
6. Practitioners working at same address as a practitioner already recruited to the trial

Date of first enrolment

01/11/2003

Date of final enrolment

31/03/2005

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

Study participating centre

School of Health & Rehabilitation

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Sponsor information

Organisation

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University/education

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ROR

<https://ror.org/00340yn33>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Research organisation

Funder Name

School of Health & Rehabilitation, Keele University (UK)

Funder Name

Osteopathic Educational Foundation (UK)

Funder Name

General Osteopathic Council (UK)

Funder Name

Anglo-European College of Chiropractic (UK)

Funder Name

British Chiropractic Association (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?
Protocol article	protocol	20/07/2005		Yes	No
Results article	results	15/04/2010		Yes	No