

Effect of blinding and unmasking on the quality of a peer review

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N/A

Study information

Scientific Title

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Study objectives

Not provided at time of registration

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)

Not specified

Study type(s)

Not Specified

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Not applicable

Interventions

Manuscripts were randomised as to whether the reviewers were unmasked, masked, or unmasked that a study was taking place. Two reviewers for each manuscript were randomised to receive either a blinded or an unblinded version.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome measure

Not provided at time of registration

Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date

01/04/2000

Completion date

31/05/2001

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

01/04/2000

Date of final enrolment

31/05/2001

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

Study participating centre

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Organisation

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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**

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