

# Nitrous Oxide Sedation: How Long Must People Really Avoid Their Normal Activities

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

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EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

**Secondary identifying numbers**  
8098

## Study information

**Scientific Title****Acronym**

Nitrous Oxide Sedation

**Study objectives**

Not provided at time of registration

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

Provided by University Institutional Review Board.

**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**

Sedation

**Interventions**

On three separate occasions, volunteers (N=12) received 100% oxygen or 20% or 40% N2O for 30 min. Dependent measures included the multiple sleep latency test (MSLT), a Drug Effects /Liking questionnaire, visual analogue scales, and five psychomotor tests.

**Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)**

Nitrous Oxide

**Primary outcome measure**

Not provided at time of registration

**Secondary outcome measures**

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

01/01/2003

**Completion date**

30/06/2003

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

Candidates who stated they were healthy, non-smoking, age 21-35 years, within 30% of ideal body weight and had normal sleeping habits were scheduled for a screening interview. Urine pregnancy tests were performed to ensure that female subjects were not pregnant. Subjects were asked to avoid depressants including ethanol (confirmed by measuring exhaled ethanol) and stimulants for 24 hours before study sessions. Subjects were formally admitted to the study if, after sleep latency testing, their average sleep latency was 10 min and they had no onsets of rapid eye movement (REM) sleep, which is indicative of narcolepsy.

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

12

**Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

01/01/2003

**Date of final enrolment**

30/06/2003

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

United States of America

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## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**  
Research organisation

**Funder Name**  
NIH (GCRC at the University of Chicago, funded by grant number M01 RR00055 from the National Center for Research Resources of the National Institutes of Health) and the Department of Anesthesia, University of Chicago

## **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	12/05/2004		Yes	No