

# A randomised controlled trial to compare auto variable positive airway pressure ventilation with conventional non-invasive positive pressure ventilation in the treatment of hypercapnic ventilatory failure in chronic obstructive pulmonary disease

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**  
P01032; National Research Register: N0542167931

# Study information

## Scientific Title

## Study objectives

Auto variable positive pressure ventilation is as efficacious as standard positive pressure ventilation

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Huntingdon research ethics committee on 27/10/2005 (ref: 05/Q0104/118)

## Study design

Randomised cross over study

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Study type(s)

Treatment

## Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)

## Interventions

There are two groups: the first will receive either auto variable positive airway pressure ventilation (auto VPAP) and the second group will receive standard non-invasive positive pressure ventilation (NIPPV). After eight weeks the two groups will cross over. The patients will be randomised to start on either auto VPAP or NIPPV. The control group is the group receiving standard NIPPV.

## Intervention Type

Other

## Phase

Not Specified

## Primary outcome(s)

Nocturnal oxygenation

## Key secondary outcome(s)

Pulmonary function

## Completion date

01/02/2007

# Eligibility

## Key inclusion criteria

1. Diagnosis of Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)
2. Forced expiratory volume in one second (FEV1) < 50%
3. Smoking history > 20 pack years
4. Hypercapnic ventilatory failure

## Participant type(s)

Patient

## Healthy volunteers allowed

No

## Age group

Adult

## Sex

All

## Key exclusion criteria

1. Age > 80
2. Body Mass Index (BMI) > 40

## Date of first enrolment

16/12/2005

## Date of final enrolment

01/02/2007

# Locations

## Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

## Study participating centre

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# Sponsor information

**Organisation**

Papworth Hospital Foundation NHS Trust (UK)

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/01qbebb31>

**Funder(s)****Funder type**

Industry

**Funder Name**

ResMed

**Results and Publications****Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan****IPD sharing plan summary**

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**Study outputs**

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/12/2010		Yes	No