# A randomised controlled trial of intravenous steroids at home versus outpatients department for treatment of acute multiple sclerosis relapses

Submission date	Recruitment status  No longer recruiting	<ul><li>Prospectively registered</li></ul>		
12/09/2003		∐ Protocol		
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan		
12/09/2003	Completed	[X] Results		
<b>Last Edited</b> 21/02/2008	Condition category Nervous System Diseases	Individual participant data		

# Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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# Type(s)

Scientific

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# Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS** number

**IRAS** number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

# Study information

#### Scientific Title

#### Study objectives

Is there a difference between patients and carer perception of management of MS relapse in outpatients department versus home?

#### 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

Nervous System Diseases: Multiple sclerosis (MS)

#### **Interventions**

Treatment in outpatients department versus home

#### Intervention Type

Other

#### **Phase**

**Not Specified** 

#### Primary outcome measure

Patient and carer perception of management of MS relapse.

#### Secondary outcome measures

Other measures include patients' safety, MS impact scores and cost of health case resources.

# Overall study start date

01/09/2002

# Completion date

01/12/2006

# **Eligibility**

# Key inclusion criteria

164 Patients from Neurology.

# Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

#### Age group

**Not Specified** 

#### Sex

**Not Specified** 

# Target number of participants

164

## Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

#### Date of first enrolment

01/09/2002

#### Date of final enrolment

01/12/2006

# **Locations**

# Countries of recruitment

England

**United Kingdom** 

# Study participating centre Neurorehabilitation

London United Kingdom WC1N 3BG

# Sponsor information

#### Organisation

Department of Health (UK)

#### Sponsor details

Richmond House 79 Whitehall London United Kingdom SW1A 2NL

#### Sponsor type

Government

#### Website

http://www.doh.gov.uk

# Funder(s)

# Funder type

Government

#### Funder Name

University College London Hospitals NHS Trust (UK). NHS R&D Support Funding.

# **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?
Results article	results	01/07/2006		Yes	No