

# Do regular oral antibiotics prevent hospital admission for patients with moderate to severe chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)?

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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**EudraCT/CTIS number**

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N0333119989

# Study information

## Scientific Title

## Study objectives

To find out whether taking a regular oral antibiotics prevents hospital admission for patients with moderate to severe COPD?

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

## Study design

Blinded randomised placebo controlled intervention

## 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

Respiratory: Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)

## Interventions

Blinded randomised placebo controlled intervention study using oral antiobiotics (amoxycillin) regularly. From November 2003 to March 2004 recruiting COPD patients.

## Intervention Type

Drug

## Phase

Not Specified

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

amoxycillin

## Primary outcome measure

Researching a clinical problem which is common and also has a large impact upon acute medical admissions

**Secondary outcome measures**

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

20/12/2002

**Completion date**

20/12/2006

## **Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

Patients from medical admissions and the Out Patient Department.

**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**

20/12/2002

**Date of final enrolment**

20/12/2006

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

England

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**Organisation**

Department of Health (UK)

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Government

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**Funder type**

Government

**Funder Name**

Hereford Hospitals NHS Trust (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**

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