

A randomised controlled trial of the effectiveness of prism spectacles in reducing the disability of patients with age-related macular degeneration (ARMD)

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Plain English summary of protocol
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Protocol serial number
1071/530

Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym

Prism Spectacles Study

Study objectives

To study prism spectacles in reducing the disability of patients

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Primary study design

Interventional

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Age-related macular degeneration

Interventions

1. Prism spectacles prescribed to established protocol
2. Prism spectacles with prism of standard value
3. Placebo spectacles made to appear like prism spectacles

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Key secondary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Completion date

01/02/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Bilateral ARMD
2. Visual Acuity (VA) 6/18 to 1/60 binocularly
3. Clinically stable (by visual acuity) with bilateral central scotoma
4. Reporting difficulty with everyday tasks

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Lower age limit

18 Years

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment

01/02/2001

Date of final enrolment

01/02/2004

Locations**Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information**Organisation**

The Health Foundation (UK)

ROR

<https://ror.org/02bj4420>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Charity

Funder Name

The Health Foundation (UK)

Results and Publications

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	01/08/2005		Yes	No