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Getting clinical evidence into practice for the management and prevention of stroke

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23/01/2004	No longer recruiting	[_] Protocol
Registration date	**Overall study status**	[_] Statistical analysis plan
23/01/2004	Completed	[X] Results
Last Edited	**Condition category**	[_] Individual participant data
18/01/2010	Circulatory System	

Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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Protocol serial number
RCHA225

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

Evaluation of the development and implementation of evidence-based guidelines for two key important clinical areas (TIAs and AF) in primary care.

The implementation of evidence-based guidelines on the treatment and prevention of TIAs and AF in Bradford will produce direct patient benefit. The guidelines will lead to improved quality and consistency of clinical care as well as appropriate and efficient use of local health services. The results of the evaluation will be used to inform purchasers and providers of health care about effective and practical strategies for implementing effective health care to prevent stroke. The study will provide the NHS and PCTs with a practical model for implementation as well as adding to the knowledge base of the Cochrane Collaboration.

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)
Prevention

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Cerebrovascular disease; Transient Ischaemic Attack (TIA)

Interventions
Not provided at time of registration

Intervention Type
Other

Phase
Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)
Number and appropriateness of referrals to TIA and anticoagulant clinics. These will be measured from patient information recorded at the referral clinics.

Key secondary outcome(s)
Changes in risk factors (smoking status, BMI, blood pressure) and interventions (proportion of patients taking antiplatelet agents, anticoagulants, anti-hypertensives and statins) recorded in primary care records. These will be estimated from a review of general practice records 6 months after referral.

Completion date
03/01/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
Patients from 3 primary care trusts

Participant type(s)
Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed
No

Age group
Not Specified

Sex
Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria
Does not match inclusion criteria

Date of first enrolment
09/01/2001

Date of final enrolment
03/01/2004

Locations

Countries of recruitment
United Kingdom

England

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Sponsor information

Organisation
NHS R&D Regional Programme Register - Department of Health (UK)

Funder(s)

Funder type
Government

Funder Name
NHS Executive Northern and Yorkshire (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	01/02/2007		Yes	No