

Co-managed care in a peripheral ophthalmic clinic

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Plain English summary of protocol
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Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

The aim of the study was to test the key hypothesis that: Co-management of care in a peripheral ophthalmic clinic will improve the efficiency and cost-effectiveness of, and patient satisfaction with, day-care management of cataract surgery. Three objectives were identified:

1. To assess the value of introducing a trained ophthalmic nurse into the care of patients with cataract attending the peripheral clinic
2. To ascertain the best site for pre-operative assessment (peripheral or main hospital)
3. To evaluate the post-operative management of patients including possible role changes in the multi-disciplinary team

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

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Cataract

Interventions

Patients were randomly allocated to receive either the experimental (introduction of a trained ophthalmic nurse) or control (standard) model of care. N = 31 - intervention, N = 32 - control

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)

For both groups, visual outcomes (acuity and function), anxiety and depression, costs to patients and the NHS, and patient satisfaction were the outcome measures selected. Observational data relating to development of staff roles were also collected. All data were collected by an independent researcher.

Key secondary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Completion date

10/07/1997

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Patients with cataracts

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

Does not match inclusion criteria

Date of first enrolment

01/07/1995

Date of final enrolment

10/07/1997

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Record Provided by the NHS R&D 'Time-Limited' National Programme Register - Department of Health (UK)

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

NHS Primary and Secondary Care Interface National Research and Development Programme (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	01/06/1999		Yes	No
Protocol article	protocol	01/06/1999		Yes	No