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The timings of cholecystectomy in acute pancreatitis

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Registration date 12/09/2003	**Overall study status** Completed	
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Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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Type(s)
Scientific

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Protocol serial number
N0072101043

Study information

Scientific Title
The timings of cholecystectomy in acute pancreatitis: a randomised controlled trial

Study objectives
1. Does a cholecystectomy within 2 weeks of an attack of acute pancreatitis prevent recurrent pancreatitis events?

2. Does a cholecystectomy within 2 weeks compared with delayed surgery (6 weeks) affect complications and hospital stay duration?

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
Pancreatitis

Interventions
Patients with acute gallstone pancreatitis will be randomised to undergo early (2 weeks) or late (6 weeks) cholecystectomy.

Intervention Type
Procedure/Surgery

Primary outcome(s)
1. Risk of recurrent pancreatitis in delayed surgery groups
2. Operative complication rate
3. Local complications in delayed surgery group such as pseudocyst
4. Total length of time in hospital - mortality rates

Key secondary outcome(s)
Not provided at time of registration

Completion date
01/04/2003

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
All patients admitted with acute pancreatitis secondary to gallstones will be admitted into study.

Participant type(s)
Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed
No

Age group
Not Specified

Sex
Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment
01/04/2001

Date of final enrolment
01/04/2003

Locations

Countries of recruitment
United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre
Countess of Chester NHS Trust
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Sponsor information

Organisation
Department of Health (UK)

Funder(s)

Funder type
Government

Funder Name
Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Trust (UK)

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary
Not provided at time of registration