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Encouraging physician appropriate prescribing of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory therapies

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Registration date 10/08/2004	**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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Study information

Scientific Title
Encouraging physician appropriate prescribing of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory therapies

Acronym
MAAUI

Study objectives

Not provided at time of registration

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)
Quality of life

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Chronic pain

Interventions
All primary care physicians in Manitoba, Canada have been randomly assigned to a control group or an intervention study group. The educational intervention being evaluated consists of an audit and feedback mechanism combined with optional participation in a Continuing Medical Education interactive workshop. The primary outcome of the study is the change, from pre- to post- intervention, in physicians' appropriate prescribing of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory therapies for patients requiring chronic treatment. Three classes of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory therapies have been identified: a new class of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory agents known as coxib therapy, traditional non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID) monotherapy, and traditional NSAID therapy combined with gastro-protective agents. Appropriate prescribing is defined based on international clinical practice guidelines and the provincial drug reimbursement policy in Manitoba.

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
01/01/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
All primary care physicians in Manitoba, Canada

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
01/11/2000

Date of final enrolment
01/01/2004

Locations

Countries of recruitment
Canada

Study participating centre
Primary Health Care Research Unit
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Sponsor information

Organisation
Merck Frosst Canada and Co. (Canada)

ROR
https://ror.org/028979q34

Funder(s)

Funder type
Industry

Funder Name
Merck Frosst Canada Ltd (Canada)

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan
Not provided at time of registration

IPD sharing plan summary
Not provided at time of registration

Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
Protocol article	Protocol	24/08/2004		Yes	No