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# Managing Injuries of the Neck Trial - Incentive

| Submission date | Recruitment status | [_] Prospectively registered |
|---|---|---|
| 22/10/2008 | No longer recruiting | [_] Protocol |
| **Registration date** | **Overall study status** | [_] Statistical analysis plan |
| 24/10/2008 | Completed | [X] Results |
| **Last Edited** | **Condition category** | [_] Individual participant data |
| 21/09/2009 | Injury, Occupational Diseases, Poisoning | |

**Plain English summary of protocol**
Not provided at time of registration

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**Type(s)**
Scientific

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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**
HTA 02/35/02 - Incentive

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

**Acronym**
MINT

## Study objectives
An incentive of a £5 gift voucher will increase the return rate of postal questionnaires in a large randomised controlled trial (RCT) evaluating conservative treatments for Whiplash Association Disorders (WAD).

The main trial "Managing Injuries of the Neck Trial - MINT" is registered with ISRCTN33302125.

Please note that, as of 03/09/2009, the anticipated start and end dates of this trial have been updated from 08/06/2006 and 15/05/2008 to 01/11/2004 and 31/03/2009, respectively.

## Ethics approval required
Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)
The trial was approved by the Trent MREC on 28/04/2004. Each participating centre received approval from LREC.

## Primary study design
Interventional

## Study design
Randomised controlled trial

## Study type(s)
Other

## Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Acute neck sprain (whiplash)

## Interventions
Randomised 1:1 ratio to receive incentive or no incentive with follow-up questionnaire, either 4-month follow-up or, for those participants that have already passed the 4-month follow-up, 8-month follow-up.

Schedule of chase-up by the study team:

1st telephone call: 1 week after questionnaire sent out
2nd telephone call: 2 weeks after questionnaire sent out

If the questionnaire was not yet returned at this point, a second copy of questionnaire was sent.

3rd telephone call: 1 week after second questionnaire sent out
4th telephone call: 2 weeks after second questionnaire sent out

## Intervention Type
Other

## Phase
Not Specified

## Primary outcome(s)

Questionnaire return.

### Key secondary outcome(s)
Number of questionnaires returned without chasing by the study team.

### Completion date
31/03/2009

## Eligibility

### Key inclusion criteria
Participants in the Managing Injuries of the Neck Trial (MINT; registered with ISRCTN33302125) that have returned their baseline questionnaire.

### 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
01/11/2004

### Date of final enrolment
31/03/2009

## Locations

### Countries of recruitment
United Kingdom

England

### Study participating centre
**University of Warwick**
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# Sponsor information

**Organisation**
Department of Health (UK)

**ROR**
https://ror.org/03sbpja79

# Funder(s)

**Funder type**
Government

**Funder Name**
NIHR Health Technology Assessment Programme - HTA (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 | 22/06/2009 | | Yes | No |
| Study website | Study website | 11/11/2025 | 11/11/2025 | No | Yes |