

Determination of quality of life instrument most preferred by head and neck patients

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HM22-0806

Study information

Scientific Title

Determination of quality of life instrument most preferred by head and neck patients: a multicentre randomised controlled trial

Acronym

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Study objectives

This research project is to identify head and neck cancer patients most preferred questionnaire that will help them communicate and describe problems more effectively with their doctor. The null hypothesis is that the four questionnaires are equally useful in facilitating the communication of health concerns of both laryngeal and oral cancer patients to their health professionals.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Coventry Local Research Ethics Committee, 13/12/2006, ref: 06/Q2802/101

Study design

Multicentre randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Quality of life

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Early and advanced oral and laryngeal cancer

Interventions

Four questionnaires will be randomised in each pack. Packs are colour coded regarding early or advanced oral or laryngeal cancer. Patients are asked to complete study instrument in clinic while waiting to see their clinicians.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)

To determine which of four most commonly used head and neck health related quality of life instruments oral and laryngeal cancer patients find most helpful in facilitating communication of their health problems to their clinicians, measured in December 2010.

Key secondary outcome(s)

To determine the clinical significance of reported health related quality of life changes detected by the commonly used quality of life instruments in head and neck cancer, measured in December 2010.

Completion date

29/10/2010

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Patients aged greater than 18 years, either sex
2. Diagnosed with oral or laryngeal cancer
3. Attending the head and neck cancer clinic at least 3 months after completion of treatment

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Not Specified

Sex

Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria

1. Patients who do not have oral or laryngeal cancer
2. Patients who have known recurrence of cancer
3. Patients who are undergoing palliative treatment

Date of first enrolment

21/10/2008

Date of final enrolment

29/10/2010

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust (UK)

ROR

<https://ror.org/025n38288>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Charity

Funder Name

Macmillan Cancer Support (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?
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes
Study website	Study website	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes