

The prevalence and associations of fatigue in Systemic Lupus Erythematosus (SLE) and the effects of aerobic exercise on fatigue and sleep patterns in SLE

Submission date
18/07/2002

Recruitment status
No longer recruiting

☐ Prospectively registered
☐ Protocol

Registration date
18/07/2002

Overall study status
Completed

☐ Statistical analysis plan
☒ Results

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05/01/2011

Condition category
Musculoskeletal Diseases

☐ Individual participant data

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

T0519

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

To test the efficacy of a graded aerobic exercise programme in treating fatigue in systemic lupus erythematosus.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Ethical approval was obtained from the district research ethics committee and all subjects gave valid and informed consent before entering the study.

Primary study design

Interventional

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE)

Interventions

Allocation using a minimisation protocol to 12 weeks of either graded exercise therapy, relaxation therapy or no intervention

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)

Self-rated clinical global impression change score, measured at baseline and three months.

Key secondary outcome(s)

1. Assessments of symptoms, measured at baseline and three months
2. Functional capacity, measured at baseline and three months
3. Fitness, measured at baseline and three months

Completion date

01/01/2003

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Female patients fulfilling American College of Rheumatology (ACR) classification for SLE

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Sex

Female

Key exclusion criteria

1. Evidence of active severe myositis, nephritis, neurological involvement or cardiac or pulmonary disease
2. Pregnant patients
3. Patients under 16 or over 55 years

Date of first enrolment

01/01/2001

Date of final enrolment

01/01/2003

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Arthritis Research Campaign (ARC) (UK)

ROR

<https://ror.org/02jkpm469>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Charity

Funder Name

Arthritis Research Campaign (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	01/09/2003		Yes	No