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Trial of gun application vs finger loading of cement for cementation of tibial component in primary total knee replacement

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Plain English summary of protocol
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N0504095061

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives
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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
Surgery: Total knee replacement (TKR)

Interventions
Patients undergoing total knee replacement surgery will be randomised into two groups.

Group A will have their knee replacement implanted using the current technique of finger packing cement into bone for the femoral component and loading the tibial tray with cement before impaction of the tibial implant.

Group B will have cement applied while still liquid to the tibial plateau using the cement gun before application of the tibial component. Other aspects of bone preparation and cementing will remain unchanged, including use of pulsed lavage and hydrogen peroxide. Initial outcome will be assessed according to radiolucent lines on post-operative radiographs.

Assessments will be performed by a single observer (RKP), blinded to the patients' group allocation.

Intervention Type
Procedure/Surgery

Phase
Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)
Long-term outcome will be assessed after 10 years prospective follow-up - revision rate

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

Completion date

30/05/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
1. Patients undergoing primary total knee replacement for osteoarthritis
2. Males and female inpatients

Participant type(s)
Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed
No

Age group
Not Specified

Sex
All

Key exclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment
01/06/2000

Date of final enrolment
30/05/2004

Locations

Countries of recruitment
United Kingdom

England

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Department of Health

Funder(s)

Funder type
Government

Funder Name
Northumbria Healthcare NHS Trust (UK)

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary
Not provided at time of registration