

Lumbosacral fusion study

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		☐ Results
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Plain English summary of protocol

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Protocol serial number

940139

Study information

Scientific Title

Lumbosacral fusion study

Study objectives

The main objective of this study is to measure the difference in outcome when internal fixation techniques are used to augment the spinal fusion.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Spinal conditions, lumbosacral joint fixation

Interventions

1. Standard posterior lumbosacral fusion without instrumentation, using corticocancellous autograft from the patient's own iliac crest
2. An identical operation will be performed, with the addition of pedicle screw fixation system

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Key secondary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Completion date

31/01/1998

Eligibility**Key inclusion criteria**

200 patients admitted to the Spinal Surgery Unit for L5-S1 and L4-S1 fusion for back pain and one of the following diagnostic groups will be entered into the trial:

1. Discogenic back pain
2. Lumbar spondylolysis
3. Degenerative spondylolisthesis

4. Isthmic spondylolisthesis
5. Segmental instability
6. Degenerative scoliosis
7. Failed decompressive surgery

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

1. Patients who have predominantly root symptoms
2. Patients who have had previous fusion or stabilisation surgery
3. Patients who are aged over 60

Date of first enrolment

01/02/1995

Date of final enrolment

31/01/1998

Locations**Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information**Organisation**

NHS R&D Regional Programme Register - Department of Health (UK)

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

NHS Executive Trent (UK)

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration