REVIVED-BCIS2 Newsletter Issue no. 18 May 2015



News

April has been the best month ever for REVIVED with 10 patients recruited from 7 different sites. This is a fantastic effort and thanks to everyone for the hard work you have put in this month, whether you

randomised a patient or not. Special congratulations go to the team at Pinderfields Hospital, Wakefield who recruited their first patient this month.

A successful site visit was held at Southampton General Hospital on 28th April who are now open and actively looking for patients.

The first part of the site initiation for Basingstoke was also held on the 28th April and a site initiation for Wycombe is planned for early in May.

Site set up has begun at two new sites: Worthing Hospital and St Bartholomew's Hospital bringing our total to 32 sites including all open and those in set up. Congratulations to Edinburgh who recruited April's lucky number! A box of chocolates is on its way to Belinda, Miles and the rest of the REVIVED team.

LUCKY NUMBER

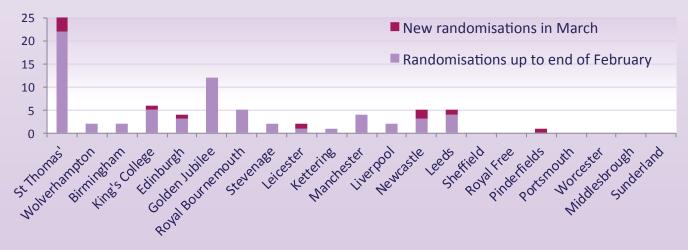
#### This month's lucky number is 88

Whichever site randomises the 88th REVIVED patient over the course of May will be the lucky winner of a special prize.

#### Site Progress Summary

# 78 patients recruited—10 patients in April

Sites currently screening (21) arranged in order of site initiation:



# Monthly Screening Logs Stopped

From this month onwards there will be no need to send in a monthly screening log, you can all breathe a sigh of relief! It is appreciated how much work it is to complete these every month, however it is very valuable data so a compromise solution has been agreed with the Trial Steering Committee. Every six months a 'snapshot' of screening for that particular month will be requested, beginning in October 2015.

# Patient sources—April data

As you may have noticed if you recruited a patient over April, a survey has been conducted of all randomisations and where they were originally identified. Thanks to all of you who contributed to this. Over the next few months we hope to build up a picture of the most successful methods for identifying patients across all of the sites.

The data collected so far is summarised in the table to the right. As April has been our best month ever, there is already some information to report and as we collect additional data this will become a useful and generalisable resource to help sites make the best use of time spent identifying patients.

Source	No. of patients
Cath labs	3
DGH referral	2
JCC/MDT	1
HF nurse	1
Stress echo database	1
Not yet reported	2

### Introducing Simon Newsome and goodbye to Jo Dobson

Sadly at the end of April our statistician Jo Dobson left the REVIVED team. Although you will not have heard from Jo directly, she has been working hard behind the scenes to create monitoring reports and feed into DSMC meetings.

While we say goodbye to Jo, we are welcoming a new statistician, Simon Newsome. Simon has been getting to know the trial over the past few weeks and will be a great addition to the REVIVED team.

### Matt Dodd and the London Marathon

A big congratulations goes to Matt Dodd who ran the London Marathon on Sunday 26th April. Matt staggered over the finish line in a time of 3 hours 15 minutes and 23 seconds.

Matt held several fundraising activities but by far our favourite was growing his hair. Matt went 5 months without a haircut and you can see hair-raising results in the before and after picture on the right.

So far Matt has raised over £3,400 for Max Appeal, a fantastic charity that helps children with severe genetic disorders. Well done Matt!



# Contact information

Website: <u>http://revived.LSHTM.ac.uk</u>

Tel: +44 (0)20 7927 2723

Fax: +44 (0)20 7927 2189

Email: <a href="mailto:revived@LSHTM.ac.uk">revived@LSHTM.ac.uk</a> / <a href="mailto:revived@LSHTM.ac.uk">revived@LSHTM.ac.uk</a> /

This project was funded by the National Institute for Health Research Health Technology Assessment (NIHR HTA) Programme (project number 10/57/67).

National Institute for Health Research

ISRCTN45979711 / NCT 01920048