

Welcome to the ninth PRISM trial Newsletter. We hope you all had a good break over Christmas and a great start to the New Year. The PRISM trial team have had a fantastic start to 2018: we have recently been acknowledged by a major charity by having received an additional grant to support the running of the trial, some of the leading journals in our field have also shown interest in publishing the study. On a more day to day basis the compliance and data completeness rates have been improving over the last few months meaning that everyone's hard work is paying off. Thank you all for your fantastic efforts and keep up the good work!

Recruitment

With December 2018 being the planned end date for the trial we will need to make a final push on recruitment in the upcoming months. As most of the sites are aware, we have started to agree with the teams on your individual recruitment targets. It is important that you try to meet your target in order to finish the trial on time. We would be grateful you could let us know if any issues arise that would significantly affect your recruitment.



PRISM team at
Furness Hospital



PRISM team at
Nevill Hall

Monitoring visits

We have now completed the majority of monitoring visits, thank you to all investigators for your help and support during the visits and also for resolving the queries. In the upcoming year we will be starting to contact some of you regarding the close-out visits and finalising the last bits of trial paperwork.