Welcome to Newsletter 14 for the C*STEROID Trial

Can we safely reduce the risk of breathing problems for newborn babies by giving corticosteroid injections to their mothers before a planned caesarean section?

RECRUITMENT UPDATE

As we are now over half way through the year, it is great to reflect on our recruitment progress.

In recent months, our new monthly total has been growing and we hope to see this trend continue for the remainder of the year.

It has been great to get Australian sites on board this year and we are excited for many other sites to join us in the months to come.

Check out our monthly recruitment leaderboard on the next page for all the latest updates and other recruitment achievements.



LOCAL SITE VISIT

Elisa and Katie had a whirlwind trip to Wellington in early July.

They had fun meeting up with the local C*STEROID team and enjoyed the opportunity to provide an update on corticosteroid use and the C*STEROID Trial at the departmental monthly MDT meeting.



Photo: (left to right) Elisa Tam, Katie Groom, Judy Ormandy, Hazel Irvine.

Thank you so much for organising the visit and being so welcoming Judy and Hazel!

We always love connecting and engaging with all our C*STEROID sites.

If you would like us to come and provide some education and enthuse recruitment for your local team, please let us know.

















MONTHLY RECRUITMENT LEADERBOARD

Ranking	Start date	Site	Monthly Target	Total (babies)	Last month
1	Oct 2020	National Women's Health (Auckland)	16	306	12
2	Feb 2021	Christchurch	4	61	6
3	Feb 2023	Sunshine/Bacchus Marsh (VIC)	12	19	5
4	Apr 2023	Royal Women's (vic)	4	4	3
5	Apr 2023	Royal Hospital for Women (NSW)	4	3	3
6	Jun 2023	Monash Health (vic)	4	3	3
7	Jun 2022	Middlemore (Auckland)	4	15	2
8	Nov 2020	Waikato	8	101	2
9	Apr 2023	Mercy Hospital for Women (vic)	4	4	2
10	Apr 2023	St George (NSW)	4	3	2
111	Apr 2023	Royal North Shore (NSW)	4	2	2
12	Oct 2021	Wellington	4	27	1
13	Mar 2021	Tauranga	Paused	28	0
14	Apr 2021	Northland	1	5	0
15	Jun 2023	Eastern Health Box Hill (vic)	4	0	0
16	Jun 2023	Royal Brisbane and Women's (QLD)	4	0	0
17	Jun 2023	Women's and Children's Hospital Adelaide (SA)	4	0	0
18	Jun 2023	Ballarat Base Hospital Grampians Health (vic)	4	0	0
19	Jun 2023	Liverpool Hospital (NSW)	4	0	0
20	Jun 2023	Northern Hospital (vic)	4	0	0
21	Jun 2023	Townsville Hospital (QLD)	4	0	0
22	Jul 2023	Ipswich Hospital (QLD)	4	0	0
		Total		581	43
= New Australian sites = Moved up the leader board					

What another amazing month team!! We reached yet again a new monthly record for recruitment...

43 participants



A massive congratulation to Sunshine/Bacchus Marsh, Royal Women's, Royal Hospital for Women, Monash Health, Mercy Hospital for Women, St George, and Royal North Shore for moving up the ranks in the leaderboard.

Well done **Christchurch** for meeting and exceeding your target by recruiting 6 new participants this month. Keep up the great work!

Also, welcome to our newest site Ipswich Hospital who have joined us from Queensland.

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