



A randomised controlled phase III trial comparing hyperthermia plus mitomycin to a second course of bacillus Calmette-Guérin or standard therapy in patients with recurrence of non-muscle invasive bladder cancer following induction or maintenance bacillus Calmette-Guérin therapy

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### 7 patients now randomised!

We also now have 6 trial sites open but after a slow July, with no new patients recruited, the trial is starting to fall behind on its recruitment targets. However with 2 more sites set to open this month and a further 10 in set-up, recruitment is expected to increase to meet its targets by the next newsletter. Thank you to everybody and keep think of HYMN during your MDTs!

#### Sites open to recruitment

Site	PI	Patients randomised
Basingstoke and North Hampshire Hospital	Mr Hugh Mostafid	2
James Cook University Hospital	Miss Jo Cresswell	1
Leicester Royal Infirmary	Mr Leyshon Griffiths	0
St Georges Hospital, London	Mr Mike Bailey	1
University College London Hospital	Mr Mark Feneley	3
Withington Hospital, Manchester	Mr Vijay Sangar	0

We are also opening the following centres as HYMN “Control Treatment Centres”. These centres will be able to filter patients to the larger “Experimental treatment centres” whilst still treating those patients that are randomised to the Control arm of the trial.

- Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading
- Ashford and St Peter’s Hospital, Surrey
- Kettering General Hospital
- Queen’s Hospital, Burton

*If your site is interested in joining the HYMN trial but you feel that you are not able to become an experimental treatment centre please contact the trials office.*

**Patients must be willing to travel!**

#### Treatment Centres in set-up

- Portsmouth Hospital
- University Hospital of Wales, Cardiff
- St James’s University Hospital, Leeds
- Darent Valley Hospital, Dartford
- Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham
- Royal Devon and Exeter Hospital
- Derriford Hospital, Plymouth
- Mid Yorkshire, Wakefield
- Charing Cross Hospital, London

#### Screening Logs

Data is now starting to roll in but with the first Data Monitoring Committee due this autumn it is time to start sending screening logs too.

**Please fax to 0121 414 2230**

#### HYMN Website

[www.HYMN.bham.ac.uk](http://www.HYMN.bham.ac.uk)

If you are a healthcare professional involved in the trial and you wish to access the investigator section please contact the HYMN trial office.

Please help us reach our target of recruiting 242 patients over 3 years by circulating this newsletter to anybody that you think may be interested in the HYMN Trial