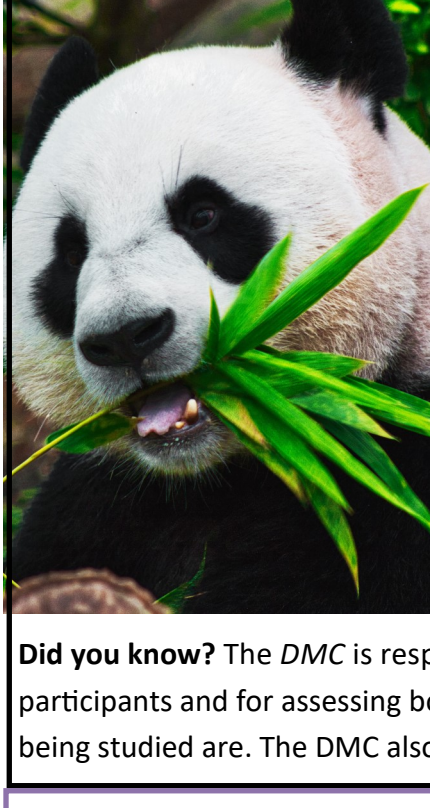




Pregnancy ANtihypertensive Drugs: which Agent is best?

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The giant PANDA study is 10 months old! 27 Trusts are now open and 277 participants have been randomised. We are really pleased with sites' contribution to recruitment so far. **March was our highest month of recruitment ever with 53 participants randomised!** We are at an important moment in the trial, coming up to one year open. This month our data monitoring committee (DMC) will meet. As part of this process, we download the first 'cut' of the data collected so far. This is why you are likely to receive a lot more queries over the next month or so. See the data query section below for info.

Did you know? The DMC is responsible for safeguarding the interests of trial participants and for assessing both how safe and how effective the treatments being studied are. The DMC also review overall progress and conduct of the trial.

Q. Are you identifying and screening all eligible women at your Trust?

- ⇒ Screen booking – ask your clerks/ community midwives to call / email you when they see a pregnant woman with hypertension
- ⇒ Screen clinic lists (e.g. maternal medicine, diabetes, renal, hypertension, etc.)
- ⇒ Check in daily with antenatal clinic, MAU/ DAU, antenatal ward and labour ward. Keep reminding them to email/ call you.
- ⇒ Present at your clinical governance / MDT meetings to raise awareness of the trial (we can help with slide sets)
- ⇒ Email the criteria for the trial to your doctors and midwives (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S1sTQmKKIJI>)
- ⇒ Keep reminding doctor and midwives to call when they are writing an antihypertensive prescription – key cards, quick reference leaflets on antenatal clinic desks, posters in staff and patient areas, stickers on outpatient prescription drawer and patient information leaflets in home blood pressure service package
- ⇒ Get an Associate PI! <https://www.nihr.ac.uk/health-and-care-professionals/careerdevelopment/associate-principal-investigator-scheme.htm>
- ⇒ And.... repeat! You will need to keep repeating the above steps for the duration

Q. Are you maximizing participant recruitment and follow-up at your Trust?

- ⇒ Ensure your team (consultants, trainees and midwives) are all 'singing from the same hymn sheet' regarding antihypertensives in pregnancy—this might be achieved by 1-2-1 conversations, a training session with Professor Jenny Myers, distributing our memo 'What you need to know before prescribing antihypertensives in pregnancy' memo or the 'intro to the giant PANDA study' video
- ⇒ Approach women with hypertension in pregnancy and start having conversation about options for antihypertensive medication as early as possible in pregnancy. They can consent to the observational study before 11 weeks and then be reconsented and randomised once they are eligible
- ⇒ We encourage you to offer the giant PANDA study to all women, including those who are currently on antihypertensive medication (and potentially have been for some time) as well as women who require translation for antenatal care. Discussing the study when women are initially starting medication and/or requiring a medication increase can be particularly good opportunities to highlight the giant PANDA study
- ⇒ Emphasize to women that the study is collecting information about their experiences and satisfaction with the two medications. Alongside the primary aim, this study will provide much more information for women to make decisions about what medication might be right for them

For every site who meets their target in April, you will receive a chocolate goodie bag to share with your team!



	Date opened	Screened (Total)	Randomised (Total)	Screened (March)	Eligible (March)	Randomised (March)	Observational (March)	Latest randomisation
Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust	26-05-21	64	8	22	9	4	1	28-03-22
Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	25-08-21	17	8	6	6	0	1	Feb-22
Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust	30-09-21	13	7	3	3	2	1	03-03-22
Cardiff Bay Hospital	09-11-21	9	1	1	1	0	1	Jan-22
Chelsea and Westminster Hospital	21-07-21	21	11	5	5	3	2	29-03-22
County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust	17-02-22	0	0	0	0	0	0	Not yet randomised
East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust (Burnley)	29-09-21	8	5	2	2	1	1	01-03-22
East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation	14-12-21	8	0	1	0	0	0	Not yet randomised
Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust	16-06-21	103	41	12	9	5	6	08-03-22
Homerton University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	11-06-21	30	9	4	4	0	1	Nov-21
Kingston Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	03-02-22	27	0	11	4	0	2	Not yet randomised
Hywel Dda Health Board	09-11-21	10	6	1	1	1	0	08-03-22
Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation	22-09-21	32	9	7	7	1	3	14-03-22
Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust	05-10-21	78	61	15	15	13	3	31-03-22
North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust	31-03-22	0	0	0	0	0	0	Not yet randomised
Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust	27-07-21	9	17	9	9	7	0	30-03-22
Oxford University Hospitals	10-09-21	25	9	4	4	2	1	31-03-22
Royal Cornwall Trust	10-08-21	14	5	2	2	0	2	Feb-22
Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust	14-06-21	31	11	0	0	0	0	Dec-21
Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	20-01-22	11	1	6	0	0	0	Jan-22
South Tyneside And Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust	15-02-22	4	2	3	3	2	1	31-03-22
St Georges NHS Foundation Trust	04-02-22	11	3	8	8	2	0	31-03-22
Swansea (Singleton Hospital)	26-05-21	41	26	3	3	3	0	10-03-22
University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust	02-02-22	12	6	6	7	3	1	29-03-22
University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust	19-07-21	6	3	1	1	1	0	01-03-22
Western Sussex Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	18-11-21	10	3	2	2	2	0	14-03-22
University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust	14-07-21	10	10	1	1	1	0	18-03-22
West Middlesex Hospital	21-07-21	24	14	0	0	0	0	Feb-22
Grand Total		649	276	135	106	53	27	

Maximising complete and accurate data collection

Update from Abbie (Data Manager)

Hi everyone! Thank you all for the warm welcome to the giant PANDA team so far. As most of you will be aware, I've been working through all outstanding data queries in preparation for our upcoming Data Monitoring Committee meeting. I have sent round emails to all sites that have outstanding queries and hope to have as many resolved as soon as possible.

With this in mind, please see below for instructions on how to find your unresolved queries. We ask that you check this over for any outstanding queries and then check again every 1-2 weeks for any new queries that have may arisen.

Thank you all for your support and help with these. Please do not hesitate to get in touch via our trial inbox should you have any questions or concerns.



1. Login to REDCap
2. Click on 'Resolve Issues' (bottom left-hand side) which will list all queries
3. You can see the query and any updated response according to participant ID
4. Please update eCRF (if applicable) and respond to the query to say what you have done (for audit trail)
5. Set aside a time to check back regularly (1-2 weekly) for new queries

Data Queries - FAQs

- 1) How do I see all queries outstanding for my site?
If you look above, there are instructions as to where to locate the queries within REDCap. The data table in the report and the query ID or Data Query ID to filter the data query results.
- 2) How do I close a query once I've answered it? It's still appearing in the list even after I've responded.
Only the giant PANDA trials team should close queries within REDCap. As long as you have provided an answer or response, the trials team will close the query (which will remove it from your list).
- 3) A query is asking for information I can no longer obtain (e.g. missing blood pressure), what should I do?
Please respond to the query within the bubble on REDCap and provide us with the reason that you cannot obtain this data for the purposes of an audit trail. The trials team will then close the query.
- 4) I've answered a query but it's come back to me, what do I do?
Sometimes the trials team will require further information from you depending on your response, please read the update within the query bubble and email the team if you are still unsure.

Tip of the month

Our tip of the month comes from Nottingham Hospital who have been using a WhatsApp group for their Research Midwives and Doctors which has helped to keep up quick and excellent communication when back and forth on the wards!

DID YOU KNOW that we're sending out all of our giant PANDA merchandise to you over the coming weeks?! You'll find included:

- A mug
- Bamboo cutlery
- A lunch box
- Biscuits
- A collapsible cup
- A bag



April SHOUT OUT!

Yong Tan
Registrar - Bradford Teaching Hospital

"For being fantastic at referring women to us for the giant PANDA Trial!"

Please note: details will soon follow of how you can nominate someone from your team for a certificate of recognition and a chance at a shout out in our newsletter as well as a chocolatey prize!

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