

Newsletter September 2018

Optimal Personalised Treatment of early breast cancer using Multi-parameter Analysis



1000

thank
you!

We reached a **major** landmark in August, a fantastic **1000** patients recruited between OPTIMA *prelim* and OPTIMA main...

for all your hard work and support!



52 patients were recruited in August. **Congratulation** to top recruiters **Beatson Oncology Centre** and **NHS Lanarkshire**, with 4 patients each.

Please continue to screen and approach potential participants.

Recruitment update: 1024 (31/08/18)

OPTIMA *prelim*– 412 OPTIMA main–612



Recruitment tip of the month: Supporting your surgical colleagues to introduce OPTIMA to eligible patients.



Last month we sent you new OPTIMA Guides for Surgeons and Breast Nurse Specialists and a batch of Patient Information Flyers. Why not use these documents to have another conversation with your surgical colleagues about how they prepare eligible patients for a discussion with an oncologist about OPTIMA.

OPTIMA Regional Recruitment Meeting



Manchester is the next stop for the OPTIMA team on Tuesday 25th September, 5:30pm and 8pm at Didsbury House Hotel. For more information and to reserve a place contact Caroline Jevons at optima@warwick.ac.uk



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OPTIMA Audio-Recording

If you have an audio-recorder, please ask your **next** eligible OPTIMA patient if you can record the appointment.

If you've yet to record, please get in touch as currently I have a few audio-recorders available.



We use the recordings in a range of activities to support recruitment, such as training and keeping tips and guidance documents as up to date and useful as possible.

Number of patients randomised per site (31/08/2018)

University Hospital Coventry	31	Medway Maritime Hospital	5
University Hospitals of North Midlands	29	New Cross Hospital, Wolverhampton	5
Mount Vernon Cancer Centre	28	Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham	5
Blackpool Victoria Hospital	25	Royal Glamorgan Hospital	5
Bristol Haematology and Oncology Centre	23	University Hospital of North Tees	5
Addenbrooke's Hospital	19	Whittington Hospital	5
NHS Lanarkshire	18	Belfast City Hospital	4
Peterborough City Hospital	18	Darent Valley Hospital	4
The Christie	16	Milton Keynes University Hospital	4
Wrexham Maelor Hospital, Wrexham	16	Norfolk & Norwich University Hospital	4
Derriford Hospital, Plymouth	15	North Middlesex Hospital	4
Velindre Cancer Centre	15	Nottingham University Hospital	4
Royal Alexandra and Inverclyde Hospitals	14	Royal Cornwall Hospital	4
Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre	13	Royal United Hospital, Bath	4
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Gateshead	12	Southampton General Hospital	4
Royal Devon and Exeter Hospital	11	Sunderland Royal Hospital	4
Salisbury District Hospital	11	University College London Hospital	4
University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay	11	Airedale General Hospital	3
Stepping Hill Hospital	10	Chase Farm Hospital	3
Luton and Dunstable University Hospital	9	Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary	3
Russells Hall Hospital, Dudley	9	East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust	3
Royal Free Hospital	9	Maidstone Hospital	3
Torbay Hospital	9	Pennine Acute Hospitals	3
Glan Clwyd Hospital, Bodelwyddan	8	Prince Charles Hospital	3
Darlington Memorial Hospital	7	Queens Hospital, Burton upon Trent	3
Forth Valley Hospital	7	Royal Hampshire County Hospital	3
Frimley Park Hospital	7	St Mary's Hospital, Isle of Wight	3
Macclesfield District Hospital	7	Western General Hospital, Edinburgh	3
Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	7	Ysbyty Gwynedd, Bangor	3
Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan	7	Birmingham City Hospital	2
Royal Gwent Hospital	7	Chesterfield Royal Hospital	2
St Margaret's Hospital, Epping	7	Northern Lincolnshire and Goole NHS Trust	2
Barnet Hospital	6	University Hospital Crosshouse	2
George Eliot Hospital	6	Basildon University Hospital	1
Lister Hospital	6	Basingstoke and North Hampshire Hospital	1
Musgrove Park Hospital	6	Bradford Royal Infirmary	1
Royal Shrewsbury Hospital	6	Broomfield Hospital	1
Weston Park Hospital, Sheffield	6	Churchill Hospital, Oxford	1
York Hospital	6	Hinchingbrooke Hospital	1
Bedford Hospital	5	Weston General Hospital	1
East Kent Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	5		

