

We are OPEN!



Thanks to the huge efforts of everyone involved, we are now open and recruiting at **16 centres** across the UK:

- ◆ Aintree Hospital
- ◆ Barnsley Hospital
- ◆ Medway Maritime Hospital
- ◆ Musgrove Park Hospital
- ◆ Pinderfields Hospital
- ◆ Rotherham District Hospital
- ◆ Royal Berkshire Hospital
- ◆ Royal Cornwall Hospital
- ◆ Royal Infirmary Edinburgh
- ◆ Royal Liverpool University Hospital
- ◆ Royal Victoria Hospital/Belfast City Hospital
- ◆ Sunderland Royal Hospital
- ◆ Queen Alexandra Hospital, Portsmouth
- ◆ University Hospital Lewisham
- ◆ Watford General Hospital
- ◆ York Hospital

Need Training? Get in touch!

We are running an ongoing schedule of SIV training sessions that you are welcome to drop in to, whether it's your first training on the study, or you need a refresher.

Pharmacy staff? All applicable aspects of the study are covered in the first hour.

Our Data Manager, Una, is running brief MACRO training sessions twice weekly.

Get in touch to join a session!

NIHR Associate Principal Investigator Scheme

With the recent announcement that over 1000 health and care professionals are involved with research for the first time as part of the NIHR API Scheme, we are delighted that MARCH has contributed 14 enthusiastic APIs from multiprofessional backgrounds to this number. The scheme is a 6-month in-work training opportunity, providing practical experience for healthcare professionals starting their research career. For more information and to register, please visit:

<https://www.nihr.ac.uk/health-and-care-professionals/career-development/associate-principal-investigator-scheme.htm>



MARCH Investigator Meetings

We welcome all site staff to join us for our monthly investigator meetings via MS Teams - find out how the trial is progressing, meet and learn from colleagues at different hospitals, and share challenges.

Save the Date

Upcoming dates: **Wed 8th June 15:30-16:30; Thurs 7th July 10:00-11:00**

Invites will be sent in due course

Meet the MARCH Team...



A message from the MARCH study Chief Investigator,
Dr Bronwen Connolly.

Thank you so much to everyone in all our site teams for engaging with the MARCH trial. I'm so pleased that the trial has been met with such enthusiasm from everyone. It's particularly important for me that MARCH involves so many of the multi-professional team to deliver, and it's great to be working with colleagues from various backgrounds. We're at the very start of the journey, but I'm always happy to hear from anyone if you want to be in touch for anything to do with the trial.'

We will be introducing you to the rest of the team in future editions, so keep an eye on your inbox!

Engage With Us

We're keen to engage with as many of you as possible. Please follow us on Twitter for updates on study progress and reminders for upcoming MARCH study events, such as Investigator Meetings and SIV Training.



Welcome to the official Twitter account for the [@MARCH_trial](https://twitter.com/MARCH_trial)

Please also check out our study website as it develops for further information on the study, and copies of key documentation:

<https://nctu.hscni.net/march-trial/>

