



Recruitment till 28 Feb 2011

23/80

Paramedic Stations

Beechdale	10
Wilford	3
Hucknall	3
Edwinstowe	3
Carlton	1
West Bridgford	1
Stapleford:	1
Eastwood:	1

Paramedics Recruitment

Ian Cross:	4
Tony Chadbourne	3
Carl Keeble	3
Derek Claxton	2
Kay Gallimore	2
Amanda West	1
Angela Gotheridge	1
Christopher Allum	1
Gary Allen	1
Mark Bushell	1
Michael Fuller	1
Richard Goddard	1
Sam Hughes	1
Samantha Winter	1

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Newsletter for the Rapid Intervention with GTN in Hyperacute stroke Trial

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RIGHT cover during weekends !!



We are pleased to inform you that the trial is now open for recruitment over most weekends !! Patients may be randomised from 0700 to 1500 hours on Saturdays and Sundays. Please inform the staff nurse at Berman ward about trial recruitment; they will then convey it to the research nurses. Alternatively, and especially if the patient is going to QMC, please inform Sandeep Ankolekar who will then pass the message to the research nurses. We will send a mobile text message during these weekends as a reminder.

Ian Cross from Beechdale has been our highest recruiter so far and this is what he has to say....

If the stroke patient is RIGHT positive, I will explain the trial and its possible benefits in the future, as a treatment during the initial stages of a stroke. Only if the patient/relatives are happy will I then open the envelope and read the statements to the patient/relatives. I emphasise that they may withdraw from the trial at any time without prejudice.

R Right criteria positive
I Information to patient and /or family and consent gained
G Give GTN and/or gauze dressing
H History of blood pressure readings
T Transfer under blues and twos

Replacement of Envelopes: Important !!



The GTN patch in the current envelopes are due to expire and so will be replaced with new envelopes on the 5th and 6th of April 2011. Please do not take out the envelopes on these days. The new envelopes will be white and will be numbered by 3 digits. If you find any old envelopes (brown envelopes, 2 digits) please return them to Sandeep Ankolekar.

Training for RIGHT

The next training session for RIGHT is on 30th March 2011 at 1400 hours. The training should benefit both trained and interested paramedics, as we have simplified the recruitment process with the new envelopes.