



Metoclopramide for Avoiding Pneumonia after Stroke: MAPS-2

Recruitment update: to date we have a total of:

1062

Halfway there! Thank you all for your efforts!

Recruitment Extended to October 2026

All accruals are covered, amendment to follow

Site update: We currently have a total of 78 sites open to recruitment (70 recruiting and 8 repatriation).

Welcome to New Sites:

- Southend
- Withybush
- General



We are still looking for more sites. Please let us know if you have any suggestions for sites near you!

A full list of sites currently open to recruitment can be found at:

<http://www.stroke-in-stoke.info/maps-2-study>



The MAPS-2 team would like to express their gratitude to all sites for their hard work recruiting, and mark the milestone of being over halfway to our total recruitment number!

Thank You

Changes to Screening Logs

- Only document patients who were fully eligible and consented or declined on the screening logs and send us a copy of this monthly.
- You no longer need to document every screen fail on your TA011 screening log.
- You can just send a total screen fail for each category (in attached spreadsheet emailed), either by returning the spreadsheet or in the body of the email.

Updated SIV training slides for new staff

- Please ensure new team members are trained on v9.0 of the SIV slides (available to download on our document webpage - <https://stroke.nottingham.ac.uk/maps-2/docs/public.php>).
- Don't forget to send us a training log with:
 - Date of training undertaken
 - Signature of trainee
 - Version no. of the self-training slides



Reminders:

- **Renew REDCap accounts:** Please reply to the email notification of approaching expiry to ensure your account remains active and confirm that it is still in use!
- **Finance payments delay:** New UNICORE system rolling in (no transactions can be made until 26th November).



Save the date!
Upcoming Investigator Meeting

Tuesday - 26 November 2024 - 13:00hrs





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Meet the new central trial staff!



Uma Ajmeria
Research Administrator

“Hello! I’m Uma, and I have recently joined the MAPS-2 team as a research administrator. I have a background in neuroscience and have always had an interest in stroke research. I’m so grateful to have the opportunity to join the team, and I look forward to working with you all!”



Janelle Tan
Research Administrator

“Hi everyone! I'm Janelle, research admin on MAPS-2. Since starting this role in July, I've really enjoyed working with everyone and being part of the meaningful work in clinical trials research 😊.”



NIHR ASSOCIATE PI SCHEME

- As the MAPS-2 trial is extended, there’s ample opportunity to join the NIHR API scheme:
 - 6 month in-work training/mentorship opportunity
 - Practical experience for health and care professionals starting their research career
 - Receive formal recognition of engagement with certified Associate PI status (endorsed by NIHR and Royal Colleges)
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