## **NOTTINGHAM CENTRE UPDATE—DEC 2013**

## **Recruitment Progress**

Number of Recruiting Practices -7

Practices to be approved - 7

Number of Patients Recruited — 6

More Patients Needed—94

Many thanks to all of you for being involved in OSAC, well done to those practices that have currently recruited—The Village, Sedbergh, Rosebank and Queen Square and good luck to those who are just starting!

We are sorry for those whose R&D and Sponsorship approvals are still waiting, this process is a little longer than we initially thought.

Please note that new recruits cannot be accepted after **Friday 20th December** due to the Universities' closedown period, but recruitment will re-open on **Friday 3 January**.



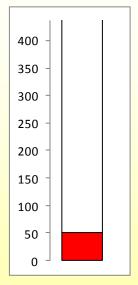
In some practices across the trial there has been some confusion about advising the patient when to take the trial medication.

The packaging states to take in the morning, but that's not how the trial dates are arranged. "Day 1" of the trial is the day of recruitment, so a patient taking medication the morning after recruitment means they actually start their intervention on Day 2.

Therefore, please remember to advise patients are to take the medicine as soon as possible following the consultation, preferably just when they get home.

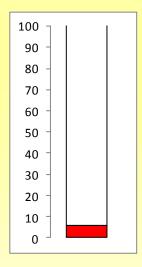
## **Screening IDs**

As you may be aware, there has been a delay in getting the screening ID labels to some practices. In the meantime, please remember you can generate these on the eCRF forms by entering the CRF1 data. However, the ID only appears *once* on the database—be sure to note it down for the screening logs.



**Above**: Total Trial Recruitment

**Below**: Nottingham Recruitment



## **Your Trial Centre Team**



So you can put faces to the names & voices you've been hearing. From left to right...

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