



# Noticias *NEWS* Nouvelles

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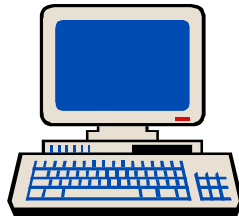
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**81 new recruits  
in July!**

**Total recruitment = 662**

**Thank you for your efforts  
(and keep up the good work!)**

## *Mugs this month:*

*(for centres reaching or passing their annual goal)\*\**



**Riverside, Ottawa, CANADA (#5); Makassed Islamic Charitable, Jerusalem, ISRAEL (#2); Jundiaí, São Paulo, BRAZIL (#2); LC Lagomaggiore, Mendoza, ARGENTINA; Medical University of Southern Africa, Medunsa, SOUTH AFRICA; Ormskirk General, Ormskirk, UK; Christian Medical College, Vellore, INDIA; Treliske, Truro, UK.**

**\*\* Reached your goal? Please don't stop recruiting. The goal is a conservative one and we encourage you to exceed it if possible**

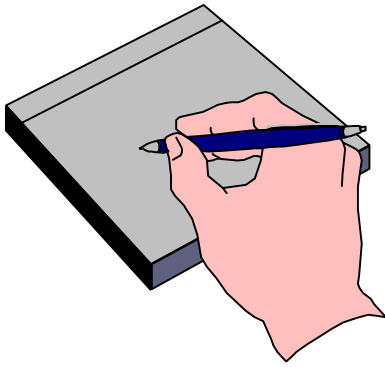
## *Centres recruiting for the first time:*

**Polish Mothers Memorial, Lodz, POLAND (3 patients); University of Michigan Medical Center, Ann Arbor, USA (2 patients); LTMMC & LTMGH, Mumbai, INDIA (2 patients); Distrital, Faro, PORTUGAL; Bnai-Zion Medical Center, Haifa, ISRAEL.**

## **MREC Ethics approval:**

With the help of Steve Walkinshaw, Liverpool, ethics approval has been obtained from the Northwest Multi-Centre Research Ethics Committee. Interested centres in the UK can contact the Data Coordinating Centre for the documentation.





## Data Form Notes:

1. When returning the completed forms, please tear out the yellow sheets and keep them for your files. Mail only the white sheets to the Data Coordinating Centre. That way you will have a record of the data that has been sent to us. If a package is ever lost in the mail, then we can ask you to photocopy the yellow sheets and send them in.
2. Please note that the biparietal diameter (Entry Form, Question #2) is required to be in cm, not mm.

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## **Important note to new centres and new personnel:**

**Be sure to use your assigned centre code when recruiting actual study patients. You will find this code written in the front of your Manual, and on the study number stickers which we provide to you.**

**The code 99-99-xxx is only to be used for practising with the randomisation service. These practice cases are not included in the study.**

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When sending your completed booklets to the Data Coordinating Centre, please use our complete mailing address to ensure that the package reaches us as quickly as possible:

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Contact information is included with this Newsletter for collaborators at all participating sites. If any information is incorrect, please let us know. If you have an email address and it is not listed, please send us a message!



## Recruitment

Recruiting centres  
as of July 30, 1998

Annual Goal	Jan- Jun 97	Jul- Dec 97	Jan- Mar 98	Apr 98	May 98	Jun 98	Jul 98	Total
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(shaded area is prior to recruitment)

CANADA	143	26	37	22	10	9	10	4	118
UK	126	18	25	11	6	9	6	6	81
PAKISTAN	24		13	31	12	6	5	3	70
AUSTRALIA	70	3	11	23	6	5	2	5	55
ARGENTINA	33	2	11	8	8	4	6	7	46
SOUTH AFRICA	41	6	6	11	4	4	9	5	45
ISRAEL	78	2	13	4	5	6	6	6	42
INDIA	45	2	12	12	3	2	1	8	40
BRAZIL	42		1	1	3	6	9	13	33
USA	65	2	14	9			2	4	31
FINLAND	13	7	8	3	1				19
YUGOSLAVIA	15		5	8	1		1		15
JORDAN	42		1	4			6	3	14
CHILE	9	4	3	1	1	1			10
SWITZERLAND	9	2	1	2	2		2	1	10
POLAND	22		1	3	2	1		3	10
ZIMBABWE	39						1	7	8
MEXICO	12			2		1		4	7
EGYPT	12					1	3	1	5
DENMARK	8		1						1
GERMANY	3		1						1
PORTUGAL	7							1	1
Total	858	74	164	155	64	55	69	81	662

CANADA									
Riverside, Ottawa	6	10	9	3	3	2	2	1	30
St Joseph's, London	11	2	5	2	1				10
Guelph General	4	4	4		1				9
Women's College, Toronto	8	1	5	1		1			8
St Boniface, Winnipeg	10	1	3	2			1		7
Misericordia, Edmonton	9			1		2	3	1	7
Grey Nuns', Edmonton	9			2	2	1	1		6
BC Women's, Vancouver	19		1	4					5
Scarborough Centenary	7	2	1	1					4
Regina General	9		1	1	1		1		4
Kingston General	6					1	1	2	4
Mississauga	8		1	2					3
Royal Victoria, Barrie	4		1			2			3
St Joseph's, Hamilton	8			2					2
Foothills, Calgary	12				1		1		2
Ottawa General	7	1							1
Montfort, Ottawa	6				1				1
Centre(s) no longer recruiting									12

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<b>UK</b>									
Bradford Royal Infirmary	11	1	6	3		2			12
Arrowe Park, Wirral	11	2	4	2	2	1	1	1	13
Treliske, Truro	11	3	2		1	1	2	2	11
Leeds General Infirmary	11	6	1	3					10
Liverpool Women's	14	4	3		2		1		10
Friarage, Northallerton	4	1	2	2					5
Peterborough Maternity Unit	9	1	2			1	1		5
Ormskirk General	3					2		2	4
St John's, Chelmsford	10				1	1	1		3
Ipswich	10		2						2
Pilgrim, Boston	5					1		1	2
Lewisham	7		1						1
St James's University, Leeds	12		1						1
Northern General, Sheffield	8			1					1
Centre(s) no longer recruiting									1

<b>PAKISTAN</b>									
Jinnah PMC, Karachi	14		6	30	9	2	5	3	55
Aga Khan Univ, Karachi	6		7	1		1			9
Liaquat National, Karachi	4				3	3			6

<b>AUSTRALIA</b>									
Mornington Peninsula, Frankston	5	2	7	2	1			1	13
Caroline Chisholm Centre, Liverpool	7			6	2	1	1	2	12
Logan, Meadowbrook	8			6	3	1			10
St George, Sydney	7		2	4					6
King George V, Sydney	12	1	1			1		2	5
Gosford	7			2		1			3
Mona Vale	2			1		1	1		3
Women's & Children's, Adelaide	3		1	1					2
Mater Mothers', Brisbane	19			1					1

<b>ARGENTINA</b>									
LC Lagomaggiore, Mendoza	19			5	5	3	5	6	24
Maternidad "Martin", Rosario	11	1	6	3	2	1	1		14
Ramos Mejia, Buenos Aires	3				1			1	2
Centre(s) no longer recruiting									6

<b>SOUTH AFRICA</b>									
Medunsa	25			8	4	3	8	5	28
Coronation, Johannesburg	16	6	6	3		1	1		17

<b>ISRAEL</b>									
Ma'ayne Hayeshua, Bene Beraq	10		8	3	2	1	1	1	16
Makassed Islamic, Jerusalem	5				2	5	2	3	12
Meir, Kfar Saba	14	2	3						5
Poriya, Tiberias	5		2	1	1				4
Soroka, Beer Sheba	25						2	1	3
Edith Wolfson, Holon	9						1		1
Bnai-Zion, Haifa	10							1	1

<b>INDIA</b>									
Nowrosjee Wadia, Mumbai	13	2	10	5	2	1		3	23
Christian Medical College, Vellore	14		2	7	1	1	1	3	15
LTMCC & LTMGH, Mumbai	18							2	2

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<b>BRAZIL</b>								
Jundiaí, São Paulo	6				3	5	8	16
Hosp das Clinicas da UFPE, Recife	10		1	2	3	1	2	9
Materno Infantil, Goiânia	13	1		1		2	1	5
ISCMPA, Porto Alegre	13					1	2	3

<b>USA</b>								
Univ New Mexico, Albuquerque	10	2	4	1			1	8
Univ Utah, Salt Lake City	6		5	2				7
St John's Mercy, St Louis	16		4	2		1		7
Univ of Iowa, Iowa City	4			3				3
Univ Michigan, Ann Arbor	8						2	2
Baylor College of Medicine, Houston	12			1			1	2
University of Maryland, Baltimore	4		1					1
Boston Medical Center	5					1		1

<b>FINLAND</b>								
Central University, Helsinki	13	7	8	3	1			19

<b>YUGOSLAVIA</b>								
Novi Sad	15		5	8	1		1	15

<b>JORDAN</b>								
Princess Badeea, Irbid	24		1	3		4	3	11
Islamic, Amman	18			1		2		3

<b>CHILE</b>								
Universidad Catolica, Santiago	9	4	3	1	1	1		10

<b>SWITZERLAND</b>								
Hôpitaux Universitaires, Geneva	7	2	1	1	1	2	1	8
Regionalspital, Biel	2			1	1			2

<b>POLAND</b>								
NRI of Mother & Child, Warsaw	6			1	2	1		4
University of Gdansk	5		1	2				3
Polish Mothers Memorial, Lodz	11						3	3

<b>ZIMBABWE</b>								
Harare Maternity	39					1	7	8

<b>MEXICO</b>								
Dr M G Gonzalez, Mexico DF	12			2		1	4	7

<b>EGYPT</b>								
Assiut University	12				1	3	1	5

<b>DENMARK</b>								
Glostrup County, Glostrup	8		1					1

<b>GERMANY</b>								
University, Bonn	3		1					1

<b>PORTUGAL</b>								
Distrital, Faro	7						1	1

**July 30, 1998, centres awaiting first patient:** Centre, city, COUNTRY, (annual goal) [month/year start-up package sent]

Countess of Chester, Chester, UK (10) [7/98]; Harbor, Baltimore, USA ( ) [7/98]; Sótero del Río, Puente Alto, CHILE (37) [6/98]; Hosp Parroquial de San Bernardo, Santiago CHILE (9) [6/98]; Univ of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, USA (9) [6/98]; Atrium Medical Center, Heerlen, THE NETHERLANDS (5) [5/98]; National Women's, Auckland, NEW ZEALAND (31) [5/98]; Brantford General, Brantford, CANADA (4) [5/98]; Royal University, Saskatoon, CANADA (11) [4/98]; Chaim Sheba, Tel Hashomer, ISRAEL (18) [4/98]; Instituto Materno Infantil de Pernambuco (IMIP), Recife, BRAZIL (15) [3/98]; Maricopa, Phoenix, USA (8) [3/98]; Oakville-Trafalgar Memorial, Oakville, CANADA (5) [3/98]; York County, Newmarket, CANADA (5) [2/98]; Coombe Women's, Dublin, IRELAND (16) [2/98]; Hutzel, Detroit, USA (16) [2/98]; John Hunter, Newcastle, AUSTRALIA (9) [1/98]; Grand River, Kitchener, CANADA (10) [1/98]; Ludwig Maximilians, Munich, GERMANY (4) [1/98]; North Staffordshire, Stoke-on-Trent, UK (15) [1/98]; Virchow Klinikum, Berlin, GERMANY (9) [10/97]; Mount Sinai, Toronto, CANADA (12) [8/97]; Oregon Health Sciences University, Portland, USA (6) [8/97]; West Cumberland, Whitehaven, UK (4) [3/97]; Albert Einstein Med Center, Philadelphia, USA (5) [2/97]; North Bay General, North Bay, CANADA (3) [2/97].