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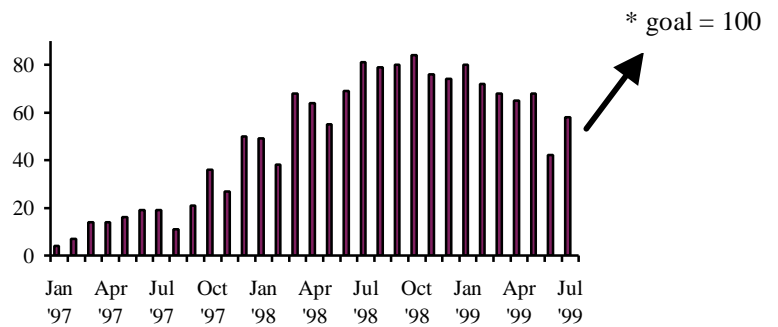
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Total recruited in July: 58 Overall Total: 1508

Next month let's improve on the upward turn in recruitment. Remember, we ought to be close to 100 per month at this point. We're counting on your help to bring us back on target. Each woman who agrees to join the study brings us closer to our final goal of 2800.



2 Year Follow-up

We have just been given 'official approval' from the Medical Research Council of Canada to undertake the 2 year follow-up of mothers and babies enrolled in the Term Breech Trial. This is very good news for us. Our goal is to have information at 2 years on at least 80% of those recruited, but more would be even better. If your centre is participating in this component of the study, please use all of your detective abilities to locate your Term Breech Trial moms and babies.

Mugs this month:

(for centres reaching or passing their annual goal)



LC Lagomaggiore, Mendoza, ARGENTINA (#4); IOMC Polizu, Bucharest, ROMANIA (#4); Maternidad "Martin", Rosario, ARGENTINA (#2); Ludwig Maximilians, Munich, GERMANY (#2); Harare Maternity, Harare, ZIMBABWE.

Centres recruiting their first patient:

Sunderland Royal, Sunderland, UK; Eva Peron, Rosario, ARGENTINA.

TBT Meetings:

Arranged:

In Jerusalem, at Hadassah Ein Karem Medical Center, August 4, 1999 a meeting will be held for collaborators in Israel. Mary Hannah and Michael Helewa will attend from the Steering Committee.

In Birmingham, at Birmingham Maternity Hospital, November 3, 1999 a meeting will be held for collaborators in the UK. Mary and Walter Hannah will attend.

Being planned:

In conjunction with the FIGO meeting September 3-8, 2000 for collaborators attending FIGO. Details will be provided over the next few months.

Clinician Codes

Our ongoing review of the completed data booklets has made it clear that Question #9 in the *Labour & Delivery Form*, which asks about the people attending the delivery, needs more explanation. We have included the following annotated example to provide some help. Please take a minute to read it and ensure that your forms are being filled out appropriately.

In summary: **only code numbers** for people named on your Clinician List go in the top two boxes; only information for people **not on your Clinician List** goes in the bottom section.

LABOUR & DELIVERY FORM

9. Code number of clinicians **EXCER**
(refer to the Clinician Qualifications List)

NONE

Use these boxes to record the Code Number(s) from your Clinician List of the clinician(s) present at the delivery. **Do not enter any other information in these boxes.** If no one on the List attended the delivery, then mark the circle beside NONE. (Remember that someone named on your Clinician List must be present for all vaginal breech deliveries.)

Complete the following information for clinicians...

Clinician # 1: Qualification: (mark ONE ONLY)

licensed obstetrician obstetrician in training

years of vaginal breech delivery experienc

Clinician # 2: Qualification: (mark ONE ONLY)

licensed obstetrician obstetrician in training

years of vaginal breech delivery experienc

Only use the sections headed Clinician #1 and Clinician # 2 to record information about someone attending the delivery who is **NOT** named on the Clinician List.

Interim II - Planning for the second interim analysis:



Remember that this is coming up and that all forms must reach us by November. Please send us your data booklets as soon as they are due.



Recruitment

Recruiting centres
as of July 31, 1999

Annual Goal	Jan-Dec 97	Jan-Jun 98	Jul-Dec 98	Jan-Mar 99	Apr-Jun 99	Jul 99	Aug 99	Total
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(shaded area is prior to recruitment)

PAKISTAN	29	13	54	54	32	21	4	178
CANADA	157	63	51	26	19	10	4	173
UK	150	43	32	29	16	13	3	136
ARGENTINA	47	13	26	46	16	16	8	125
BRAZIL	49	1	19	42	16	16	4	98
INDIA	45	14	18	37	13	9	2	93
JORDAN	42	1	10	34	23	14	8	90
AUSTRALIA	51	14	36	21	4	11	1	87
ISRAEL	106	15	21	25	17	6	2	86
CHILE	46	7	3	37	14	16	8	85
SOUTH AFRICA	16	12	28	23	2			65
USA	98	16	11	22	7	7	1	64
ZIMBABWE	39		1	23	9	4	4	41
ROMANIA	9			2	13	17	5	37
POLAND	22	1	6	6	6	3	2	24
FINLAND	13	15	4	3	1			23
EGYPT	12		4	8	5	1	1	19
YUGOSLAVIA	15	5	10	1	1	1		18
PORTUGAL	7			11	1	5		17
SWITZERLAND	9	3	6	5		2		16
THE NETHERLANDS	5			8	4	2		14
GERMANY	7	1		5	1	1	1	9
MEXICO	12		3	5				8
NEW ZEALAND	5			1				1
DENMARK No longer recruiting								1
Total	991	237	343	474	220	175	58	1508

PAKISTAN								
Jinnah PMC, Karachi	14	6	46	42	19	13	2	128
Civil, Karachi	11			12	13	8	1	34
Liaquat National, Karachi	4		6				1	7
Centre(s) no longer recruiting								9

CANADA								
Riverside, Ottawa	6	19	10	6	1	2		38
Guelph General	4	8	1	3	3			15
St Joseph's, London	11	7	3		3			13
St Boniface, Winnipeg	10	4	3		3	1		11
Sunnybrook & Women's, Toronto	8	6	2	1	1			10
St Joseph's, Hamilton	8		2	3	3	1		9
Grey Nuns', Edmonton	9		6		1	2		9
Misericordia, Edmonton	9		6	2				8
Foothills, Calgary	12		2	4				6
Kingston General	6		2	3		1		6
BC Women's, Vancouver	19	1	4					5
Scarborough Centenary	7	3	1				1	5
Regina General	9	1	3					4
Royal Victoria, Barrie	4	1	2					3
York County, Newmarket	5			2	1		1	4
CUSE (Site Fleurimont), Sherbrooke	8				2	1		3
Ottawa General	7	1		1		1	1	4
Royal Alexandra, Edmonton	11			1		1	1	3
Brantford General	4				1			1
Centre(s) no longer recruiting								16

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UK								
Treliske, Truro	11	5	4	12	6	9		36
Liverpool Women's	14	7	3	2	2	2		16
Arrowe Park, Wirral	11	6	6	2		1		15
Bradford Royal Infirmary	11	7	5	2				14
Leeds General Infirmary	11	7	3	2	2			14
Ormskirk General	3		2	4	1			7
Peterborough Maternity Unit	9	3	2	1	1			7
Pilgrim, Boston	5		1	1	3	1		6
Friarage, Northallerton	4	3	2					5
St John's, Chelmsford	10		3					3
Royal United, Bath	9			2			1	3
North Staffordshire, Stoke on Trent	15			1	1		1	3
Lewisham	7	1						1
St James's University, Leeds	12	1						1
Northern General, Sheffield	8		1					1
Sunderland Royal	10						1	1
Centre(s) no longer recruiting								3

ARGENTINA								
LC Lagomaggiore, Mendoza	19		18	40	7	10	5	80
Maternidad "Martin", Rosario	11	7	7	2	2	3	1	22
Ramos Mejia, Buenos Aires	3		1	4	3			8
Prof A Posadas, Buenos Aires	10				4	3	1	8
Eva Peron, Rosario	4						1	1
Centre(s) no longer recruiting								6

BRAZIL								
Jundiaí, São Paulo	6		8	15	10	4	1	38
ISCOMPA, Porto Alegre	13		1	17	3			21
Hosp das Clinicas da UFPE, Recife	10		7	4	1		2	14
Materno Infantil, Goiânia	5	1	3	6	2		1	13
IMI Pernambuco, Recife	15					12		12

INDIA								
Nowrosjee Wadia, Mumbai	13	12	8	12	3	1		36
Christian Medical College, Vellore	14	2	10	14	7	3	2	38
LTMCM & LTMGH, Mumbai	18			11	3	5		19

JORDAN								
Princess Badeea, Irbid	24	1	7	26	14	10	8	66
Islamic, Amman	18		3	8	9	4		24

AUSTRALIA								
Caroline Chisholm Centre, Liverpool	7		10	10	1	3		24
Mornington Peninsula, Frankston	5	9	3	4				16
King George V, Sydney	12	2	1	5	2	3	1	14
Logan, Meadowbrook	8		10		1	1		12
St George, Sydney	7	2	4	2		1		9
Mona Vale	2		3			2		5
Gosford	7		3					3
Women's & Children's, Adelaide	3	1	1			1		3
Centre(s) no longer recruiting								1

ISRAEL								
Ma'ayney Hayeshua, Bene Beraq	10	8	7	3	1	1		20
Makassed Islamic, Jerusalem	5		9	4	4			17
Edith Wolfson, Holon	9		1	7	8	1		17
Meir, Kfar Saba	14	5		1	1	1		8
Bnai-Zion, Haifa	10			5	1	1	2	9
Poriya, Tiberias	5	2	2	2				6
Soroka, Beer Sheba	25		2	1	1			4
Chaim Sheba, Tel Hashomer	18			2	1	1		4
Hadassah Ein Karem, Jerusalem	10					1		1

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	97	98	98	99	99	99	99	

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CHILE								
Sótero del Río, Puente Alto	37			34	12	15	8	69
Universidad Catolica, Santiago	9	7	3	3	2	1		16
SOUTH AFRICA								
Coronation, Johannesburg	16	12	5	2	2			21
Centre(s) no longer recruiting								44
USA								
Univ Utah, Salt Lake City	6	5	2	3				10
Univ New Mexico, Albuquerque	10	6	1	2	1	1	1	12
Baylor College of Medicine, Houston	12		1	2	1	2		6
Boston Medical Center	5		1	2	2			5
Maricopa, Phoenix	8			3	1			4
Univ Iowa, Iowa City	4		3			1		4
Hutzel, Detroit	16			2		2		4
Univ Michigan, Ann Arbor	8			3				3
Oregon Health Sci Univ, Portland	6			2				2
Univ Mississippi, Jackson	9			1	1			2
Univ Maryland, Baltimore	4	1			1			2
Harbor, Baltimore	4			1				1
Jefferson Med Coll, Philadelphia	6					1		1
Centre(s) no longer recruiting								8
ZIMBABWE								
Harare Maternity	39		1	23	9	4	4	41
ROMANIA								
IOMC-Polizu, Bucharest	9			2	13	17	5	37
FINLAND								
Central University, Helsinki	13	15	4	3	1			23
POLAND								
NRI of Mother & Child, Warsaw	6		4	2	2	2	1	11
Polish Mothers Memorial, Lodz	11			3	3			6
University of Gdansk	5	1	2	1	1	1	1	7
EGYPT								
Assiut University	12		4	8	5	1	1	19
YUGOSLAVIA								
Novi Sad	15	5	10	1	1	1		18
PORTUGAL								
Distrital, Faro	7			11	1	5		17
SWITZERLAND								
Hôpitaux Universitaires, Geneva	7	3	4	4		2		13
Regionalspital, Biel	2		2	1				3
THE NETHERLANDS								
Atrium, Heerlen	5			8	4	2		14
GERMANY								
Ludwig Maximilians, Munich	4			5	1	1	1	8
University, Bonn	3	1						1
MEXICO								
Dr M G Gonzalez, Mexico DF	12		3	5				8
NEW ZEALAND								
Queen Mary Maternity, Dunedin	5			1				1
DENMARK								
No Longer Recruiting								1

July 31, 1999, centres awaiting first patient: Centre, city, COUNTRY, (annual goal) [month/year start-up package sent]

Charite, Virchow Klinikum, Berlin, GERMANY (9) [3/99]; Slaska Akademia Medyczna, Bytom, POLAND (4) [3/99]; Diana Princess of Wales, Grimsby, UK (6) [1/99]; Countess of Chester, Chester, UK (10) [7/98]; Hosp Parroquial de San Bernardo, Santiago, CHILE (9) [6/98]; Royal University, Saskatoon, CANADA (11) [4/98].