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OVERALL TOTAL: 28

TOTAL FOR THIS MONTH: 5

Collaborators' Meeting a success!

The first EECV2 Collaborators' Meeting in Toronto this month was a tremendous success! We had an excellent turn out of collaborators from across the globe. The meeting generated some excellent discussion and ideas. Thank you to all for your participation and contribution to making this meeting a success!

Based on everyone's enthusiasm and positive feedback to the presentations and discussion at the meeting, we will be putting together a CD-Rom with all of the EECV2 presentations that will be circulated to those centres that participated in the collaborators' meeting.



Recruitment Excellence!

We had excellent presentations from four centres at the Collaborators' Meeting! These were very informative and inspiring. We hope that they will be useful to all centres for up-coming recruitment! Thank you to Marie-France Delisle, *Vancouver, CANADA*; Mario Palermo & Veronica Favilla, *Buenos Aires, ARGENTINA*; Gustavo Malinger, *Holon, ISRAEL*; and Frans Roumen & Mijntje Pieters, *Heerlen, THE NETHERLANDS* for sharing their experiences and insights!



Watch next month for some of these ideas!

Welcome to EECV2!

We are pleased to announce that 6 more centres have now joined our numbers as active centres! We now have 24 centres! A very warm welcome goes out to:



- Dr John R Neil at the Box Hill Hospital, *Box Hill*, AUSTRALIA
- Dr Tamás Major and Dr Robert Poka at the University of Debrecen, *Debrecen*, HUNGARY
- Dr Dean V Coonrod and Dr Lora Nordstrom at the Maricopa Hospital, *Phoenix*, USA
- Dr José Guilherme Cecatti and Dr Belmiro Goncalves Pereira at University of Campinas, *Campinas*, BRAZIL
- Dr Jorge Carrillo at the Padre Hurtado Hospital, *Santiago*, CHILE



Data Form Notes:

The data forms are starting to be returned and we would like to remind you to please complete all parts of a question. For example, the second part to question 6 of the Procedure Form is sometimes missed! If the ECV procedure was done in hospital, please let us know where.

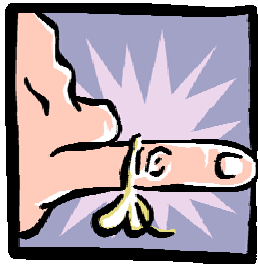
Q6. Was the ECV procedure done in hospital?

no • yes → if yes, **where?** (*mark ONE only*)

in or near the labour and delivery area in some other hospital setting

↑ please tell us where! ↑

Keep up the excellent work on filling in and returning your data forms – we look forward to receiving them!



Don't Forget!

We are always very excited to receive your Clinical Study Agreements! Please make sure to include **two copies** of the **Clinical Study Agreement** with original signatures.

Recruitment Recognition!

Your recruitment efforts are imperative to the success of the EECV2 Trial. In order to recognise your work in recruiting for the trial we planned a quarterly draw for a small token of recognition. Every time your centre recruits a woman into the EECV2 Trial, your centre is entered into the draw.

For this quarter we would like to congratulate Prof Kassam Mahomed and Dr David Gibson at Toowoomba Base Hospital, *Toowoomba*, AUSTRALIA! You are the first centre to win a quarterly recognition award! Watch out for our next winner in the July newsletter!



Recruitment

(planned enrolment of 1460)

as of April 30, 2005

Annual Goal	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Grand Total
	2004	2005	2005	2005	2005	

COUNTRY

COUNTRY	Annual Goal	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Feb 2005	Mar 2005	Apr 2005	Grand Total
CANADA	18	1	2	3	3	1	10
AUSTRALIA	3			2	2		4
THE NETHERLANDS	5			1	2	1	4
ARGENTINA	10		1	1	2		4
ISRAEL	9		1	1		1	3
JORDAN	14			1		2	3
Total	59	1	4	9	9	5	28

CENTRES BY COUNTRY

(Shaded area is prior to start-up)

CANADA

Centre	Annual Goal	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Feb 2005	Mar 2005	Apr 2005	Grand Total
Children's and Women's Health Centre of BC, Vancouver	18	1	2	3	3	1	10

AUSTRALIA

Centre	Annual Goal	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Feb 2005	Mar 2005	Apr 2005	Grand Total
Toowoomba Base Hospital, Toowoomba	3			2	2		4

THE NETHERLANDS

Centre	Annual Goal	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Feb 2005	Mar 2005	Apr 2005	Grand Total
Atrium Medical Centre, Heerlen	5			1	2	1	4

ARGENTINA

Centre	Annual Goal	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Feb 2005	Mar 2005	Apr 2005	Grand Total
Posadas, Buenos Aires	10		1	1	2		4

ISRAEL

Centre	Annual Goal	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Feb 2005	Mar 2005	Apr 2005	Grand Total
Edith Wolfson, Holon	9		1	1		1	3

JORDAN

Centre	Annual Goal	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Feb 2005	Mar 2005	Apr 2005	Grand Total
Islamic, Amman	14			1		2	3

Centres awaiting first patient: [COUNTRY: Hospital, City (annual goal)] [month/year start-up package sent]

AUSTRALIA: St George, Sydney (6) [11/04], Townsville Hospital, Townsville (5) [02/05], West Gippsland Healthcare Group, Warragul (9) [03/05], Box Hill, Box Hill (5) [04/05]; **USA:** University of Iowa, Iowa City (4) [12/04], Maricopa, Phoenix (10) [04/05]; **CHILE:** Universidad Catolica, Santiago (7) [01/05], Clinico San Borja, Santiago (18) [02/05], Hospital Padre Hurtado, Santiago (17) [04/05]; **EGYPT:** Assiut University Hospital, Assiut (20) [02/05]; **ISRAEL:** Ma'ayney-Hayeshua, Bnei Brak (15) [02/05]; Meir Hospital, Kfar-Saba (14) [02/05]; **THE NETHERLANDS:** Academisch Ziekenhuis, Maastricht (3) [03/05], Sint Lucas Andreas Ziekenhuis, Amsterdam (4) [03/05]; **POLAND:** Polish Mother's Memorial, Lodz (9) [03/05]; **BRAZIL:** University of Campinas, Campinas (8) [04/05]; **HUNGARY:** University of Debrecen, Debrecen (7) [04/05]; **PORTUGAL:** Distrital de Faro, Faro (7) [04/05]

EECV2 Collaborators' Meeting – Participants

Country	City	Centre	Name
ARGENTINA	Buenos Aires	Posadas	Prof Veronica Laura Favilla; Dr Mario SF Palermo; Dr Dolores Montes Varela
AUSTRALIA	Box Hill	Ramos Mejia	Dr Ricardo Savransky
	Carlton	Box Hill	Dr John R Neil
	Sydney	Royal Women's	Dr Penelope Sheehan
		Royal Prince Alfred	Ms Hala Phipps; Dr Alec Welsh
		St George	Ms Lynn Roberts
	Toowoomba	Toowoomba Base	Dr Kassam Mahomed; Dr David Gibson
	Townsville	Townsville	Ms Lynn Heilbronn; Dr Peter Kraus
	Warragul	West Gippsland	Ms Sue Crosby
BRAZIL	Campinas	University of Campinas	Dr José Guilherme Cecatti; Dr Belmiro Goncalves Pereira
	Porto Alegre	ISCOMPA-Maternidade Mario Totta	Dr Antonio C Ayub; Ms Simone Guimaraens Moreira
CANADA	Calgary	Calgary Health Region	Dr Jeffrey Pollard; Ms Cheryl Swaby
	Edmonton	Royal Alexandra	Dr Nestor Demianczuk; Ms Elizabeth Penttinen
	Halifax	IWK Health Centre	Dr Barbara Parish
	New Westminster	Royal Columbian	Ms Lily Lee
	North Bay	North Bay General	Dr Ramesh Kulkarni
	Regina	Regina General	Dr George D Carson
	Toronto	Mount Sinai	Dr Rory Windrim; Ms. Lynn Haslam
		Sunnybrook & Women's College	Dr Jon Barrett
		St Michael's	Ms Catherine Moravac
CHILE	Vancouver	Children's & Women's of BC	Dr Marie-France Delisle; Ms Shelley Soanes
	Santiago	Clinico San Borja	Dr Pedro Ferrand; Dr Jaime Saez
		Padre Hurtado	Dr Jorge Carillo
		Universidad Catolica	Dr Enrique Oyarzun; Dr Alonso J Rioseco
DENMARK	Aarhus	Aarhus University	Ms Inger Marie Mortensen; Ms Anne Mouritzen
EGYPT	Assiut	Assiut University	Dr Tarek Al-Hussaini; Dr Ihab M.H.El-Nashar; Dr Sahar N.M Abdel-Samad
GERMANY	Berlin	Charite Universitätsklinikum	Ms Katharina Weizsaecker
HUNGARY	Debrecen	University of Debrecen	Dr Tamás Major; Dr Robert Poka
ISRAEL	Bnei Brak	Ma'ayney-Hayeshua	Dr Linda Harel; Ms Sima Siev
	Holon	Edith Wolfson	Ms Zvia Hiaeb; Dr Gustav Malinger
	Kfar-Saba	Meir	Dr Hagai Kaneti; Dr Biron-Shental Tal
	Beer-Sheva	Soroka	Dr Doron Dukler; Dr Arie Koifman
JORDAN	Amman	Islamic	Dr Lama Al-Faris; Dr Mazen Y El-Zibdeh
NETHERLANDS	Amsterdam	Sint Lucas Andreas Ziekenhuis	Dr Marion Heres; Ms Monique Hoonings
	Heerlen	Atrium Medical Centre	Dr Mijntje Pieters; Dr Frans JME Roumen
	Leiden	TNO Prevention and Health	Ms Marlies Rijnders
	Maastricht	Academisch Ziekenhuis	Dr Frans Smits
POLAND	Gdansk	Medical University of Gdansk	Dr Beata Krolikowska; Dr Zofia Pankrac
	Lodz	Polish Mothers Memorial	Dr Michael Krekora; Prof Jan Wilczynski
PORTUGAL	Faro	Distrital de Faro	Dr Joaquim AR Cravo
SINGAPORE	Singapore	KK	Dr Horng Yen Wee
SPAIN	Barcelona	University of Barcelona	Dr Miriam Munoz
UK	Wirral	Arrowe Park	Dr C Ross Welch
USA	Columbia	Richland Memorial	Ms Stanette Brown; Dr Mark Wild
	Iowa City	University of Iowa	Dr Janet I Andrews
	New York	Weill Medical Center	Dr Georges Sylvestre
	Phoenix	Maricopa	Dr Dean V Coonrod; Dr Lora Nordstrom
	Tulsa	University of Oklahoma	Dr Fred Fumia

Guest Speaker:

Dr Justus Hofmeyr (East London, South Africa)

Steering Committee:

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Ms Sarah Edwards

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Ms Ariadna Fernandez

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Ms Levina Kasmara

Other Invited Guests:

Dr Anthony Armson (IWK Health Centre, Halifax); Dr Elizabeth Asztalos (Women's College, Toronto)
Dr Heather Maclean (CRWH, Toronto); Dr Kellie Murphy (Mt Sinai, Toronto); Dr Nanette Okun (Mt Sinai, Toronto)

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