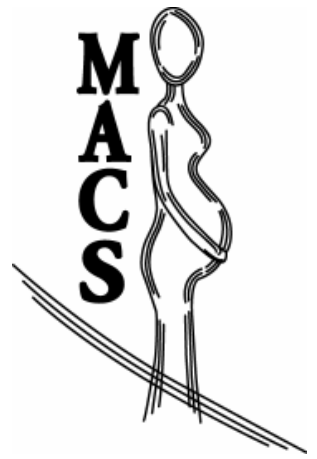


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## MACS COLLABORATORS' MEETING

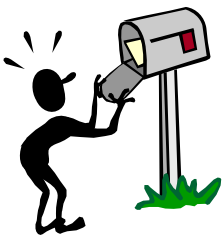


Thank you to everyone who came to Toronto last week. We were delighted to see you all! We hope you all had a great time too!

We will send you the slides from the presentation once the results are published.

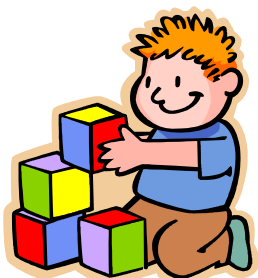
Now that the primary results of MACS have been presented, we can focus on the follow-up phase of MACS.

## 3 MONTH POST PARTUM QUESTIONNAIRES



The database for the 3MPQs will be closed very soon. Please send us any completed 3MPQs as soon as possible.

## 18-24 MONTH FOLLOW-UP



MACS 18-24 Month follow up is ongoing. Let's continue to aim for 100%! Keep up the hard work!

Feel free to contact us if you have any questions!

## 18-24 Month Follow-up of MACS Babies



The MACS 18-24 Month Follow-up is displayed in the following table.

Centres are listed according to the total number of recruits by country.

See below for the number of follow-up assessments performed by your centre!

**Let's aim for 100% follow-up for 2003, 2004 & 2005!!**

Follow-Up Status	2001		2002		2003		2004		2005		2006		Totals	
	# Recruited	# Complete Follow-Up	# Recruited	# Complete Follow-Up	# Recruited	# Complete Follow-Up	# Recruited	# Complete Follow-Up	# Recruited	# Complete Follow-Up	# Recruited	# Complete Follow-Up	# Recruited	# Complete Follow-Up
<b>As of September 2007</b>														
<b>COUNTRY</b>														
ARGENTINA					2	2	145	123	190	115	114		451	240
CANADA	29	29	67	63	66	64	68	58	60	29	52		342	243
POLAND			70	67	76	66	39	26	32	8	13		230	167
ISRAEL	20	20	50	45	56	49	57	34	32	11	8		223	159
CHILE			20	16	23	23	38	31	34	11	33		148	81
GERMANY			2	2	33	26	40	28	17	7	13		105	63
COLOMBIA							35	24	31	14	25		91	38
HUNGARY			17	16	14	14	11	9	3				45	39
USA	8	7	9	3	14	4	10	5	3	1	1		45	20
DENMARK	9	9	13	13	5	5	6	5	2				35	32
SWITZERLAND	3	3	6	6	8	7	5	5	3	2	2		27	23
BRAZIL					3	3	4	4			18		25	7
SPAIN					3	3	7	7	4	3	7		21	13
RUSSIA					1	1	10	10	1	1	6		18	12
JORDAN					12	12	3	3					15	15
BOLIVIA							8	8	1	1	5		14	9
THE NETHERLANDS					5	5	1	1	2		1		9	6
UK					1	1	3	3			4		8	4
CHINA							4	4					4	4
PERU									1		1		2	
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>303</b>		<b>1858</b>	<b>1175</b>
		<b>98.6%</b>		<b>90.9%</b>		<b>88.5%</b>		<b>78.5%</b>		<b>48.8%</b>				<b>63%</b>

### CENTRES BY COUNTRY

(Shaded area is prior to start-up)

#### ARGENTINA

Hospital Penna, Bahia Blanca							71	67	95	53	38		204	120
Hospital Posadas, Buenos Aires					2	2	18	16	20	11	20		60	29
Hospital JR Vidal, Corrientes							8	4	21	7	15		44	11
Hospital Ramon Carrillo, Santiago del Estero							11	11	18	18	9		38	29
Hospital LC Lagomaggiore, Mendoza							15	13	14	9	4		33	22
Hospital Sarda, Buenos Aires							5	5	14	11	4		23	16
Hospital Angela Iglesia de Llano, Corrientes											18		18	
Hospital Italiano de Buenos Aires, Buenos Aires							7	5	8	6			15	11
Hospital JM Cullen, Santa Fe											6		6	
Hospital Ramos Mejia, Buenos Aires							5						5	
Hospital Italiano de La Plata, La Plata							3						3	
Hospital Fiorito, Avellaneda							2	2					2	2

#### CANADA

Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto	9	9	18	15	11	10	22	15	17		12		89	49
Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton	2	2	8	8	11	11	10	10	11	8	4		46	39
IWK Health Centre, Halifax			5	5	12	12	5	5	5	3	9		36	25
St Boniface General Hospital, Winnipeg			5	5	6	6	6	6	8	4	3		28	21
Royal University Hospital, Saskatoon	8	8	9	9	6	6	2	2	1	1			26	26
Regina General Hospital, Regina			5	5	1	1	4	4	5	3	11		26	13
CHUS Fleurimont, Sherbrooke	3	3	9	8	5	5	7	7	1	1			25	24
Children's & Women's Health Centre of BC, Vancouver	7	7	5	5	4	4	2	1	2	2	2		22	19
Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre, Toronto			3	3	5	5			3	3	9		20	11
North Bay General Hospital, North Bay					5	4	7	5	4	2	1		17	11
Dr Everett Chalmers Regional Hospital, Fredericton							3	3	3	2	1		7	5

#### POLAND

Univ School of Medicine, Poznan			35	35	30	26	22	13	14	5	7		108	79
Polish Mothers Memorial Hospital, Lodz			21	19	19	16	8	6	14	2	4		66	43
Medical University of Gdansk, Gdansk			14	13	27	24	9	7	4	1	2		56	45

#### ISRAEL

HaEmek Medical Center, Afula			10	9	11	10	26	8	11	1			58	28
Rabin Medical Center, Petach Tikva	9	9	10	9	8	8	5	5	4	2	1		37	33
Edith Wolfson Medical Center, Holon			8	7	15	15	5	5	5	3	1		34	30
Ma'ayney HaYeshua Medical Center, Bnei Brak	7	7	1	1	9	9	5	2	7		3		32	19
Meir Medical Center, Kfar-Saba			3	2	5	2	11	10	4	4	3		26	18
Soroka Medical Center, Beer Sheva	1	1	12	12	1	1	1						15	14
Bnai Zion Medical Center, Haifa	3	3	3	3	5	4	1	1					12	11
Hadassah Medical Center - Ein Kerem, Jerusalem							3	3	1	1			4	4
Poriya Government Hospital, Tiberias			3	2									3	2
Sheba Medical Center, Ramat-Gan					2								2	

#### CHILE

Hospital Dr Sotero del Rio, Puente Alto			16	12	12	12	27	23	16	7	21		92	54
Universidad Catolica, Santiago			4	4	11	11	6	6	5	3	7		33	24

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<b>As of September 2007</b>														
Hospital Clinico San Borja Arriaran, Santiago							5	2	13	1	5		23	3

**GERMANY**

Klinikum Nurnberg Sud, Nurnberg			2	2	15	14	9	9	3	2	6		35	27
CUB - Benjamin Franklin, Berlin					10	7	3		3				16	7
University Hospital Geissen and Marburg GmbH, Marburg					2	2	6	2	4		2		14	4
Helios Klinikum, Erfurt							6	5	2	2	5		13	7
St Hedwig Hospital, Regensburg					2	2	4	4	1	1			7	7
University of Saarland, Homburg/Saar							4	4	1	1			5	5
Universitätsklinikum Leipzig, Leipzig					2		3						5	
Dr Horst-Schmidt-Kliniken, Wiesbaden							2	2	3	1			5	3
TU Munchen, Munich					1		2	2					3	2
MHH Hannover, Hannover					1	1							1	1
Bonn University, Bonn							1						1	

**COLOMBIA**

CEMIYA, Cali							35	24	25	14	25		85	38
Universidad del Norte, Barranquilla									6				6	

**USA**

Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx	7	7	6	2	9	3	4	3	1				27	15
University of Illinois Medical Center of Chicago, Chicago							4	2	2	1	1		7	3
Bethesda North Hospital, Cincinnati			2	1			1						5	1
Baystate Health Systems, Springfield					2	1							2	1
Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati			1		1								2	
Albany Medical Center, Albany	1												1	
Winthrop, Mineola							1						1	

**HUNGARY**

University of Debrecen, Debrecen			17	16	14	14	11	9	3				45	39
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**DENMARK**

Aarhus University Hospital, Aarhus	9	9	13	13	5	5	6	5	2				35	32
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**SWITZERLAND**

University Women's Hospital, Basel			2	2	8	7	3	3	1	1			14	13
CHU Vaudois, Lausanne	3	3	4	4			1	1	1				9	8
University Hospital, Zurich							1	1	1	1	2		4	2

**BRAZIL**

UFSC, Florianopolis											8		8	
Hospital Geral, Caxias do Sul					3	3	4	4			1		8	7
Maternidade Escola da UFRJ, Rio de Janeiro											5		5	
Hospital Materno Infantil, Goiania											4		4	

**SPAIN**

Hospital Clinic-University of Barcelona, Barcelona					3	3	7	7	4	3	7		21	13
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**RUSSIA**

Research Centre of Obs, Gyn & Perinatology, Moscow					1	1	7	7	1	1	6		15	9
Research Institute, Ivanovo							3	3					3	3

**JORDAN**

Islamic Hospital, Amman					12	12	3	3					15	15
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**BOLIVIA**

Instituto de Salud Reproductiva/UDIME, Santa Cruz							8	8	1	1	5		14	9
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**THE NETHERLANDS**

Academisch Ziekenhuis Maastricht, Maastricht					4	4	1	1	2		1		8	5
Atrium Medical Center, Heerlen					1	1							1	1

**UK**

Diana, Princess of Wales Hospital, Grimsby											4		4	
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, King's Lynn					1	1	1	1					2	2
Royal Free Hospital, London							2	2					2	2

**CHINA**

Peace Maternity, Shanghai							4	4					4	4
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**PERU**

Hospital Nacional Cayetano Heredia, Lima									1		1		2	
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