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OVERALL TOTAL: 1620
TOTAL THIS MONTH: 43

So close to
our all time
record of 45
recruits!

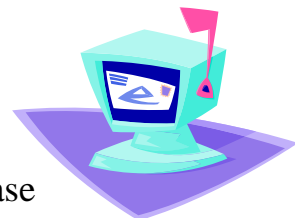


Electronic Newsletter Coming Soon!

We are excited to inform you that the format of the newsletter is changing! Starting in the New Year, an *electronic version* of the newsletter will be sent *by email*. The electronic newsletters will have a new format, new colours, and additional content.

In the New Year, keep an eye out for the e-newsletter in your email!

For those who wish to continue receiving a paper copy of the newsletter, please send us your request.



Data Queries

Monthly data queries are sent out in a continuous effort to maintain the accuracy of the TBS data. Thank you for your efforts so far in helping resolve data queries.

The process for resolving queries at your centre:

1. Data queries received by email
2. Check patient charts and records
3. Update or clarify data queries
4. Initial and date the changes or clarifications
5. Return resolved queries to the Data Coordinating Centre by email or fax.



Please note that we need a response for **all** queries. All queries must be updated to show the correction, or clarification to confirm the answers. Resolving monthly queries promptly will help reduce the number of queries you receive next time, and will therefore lessen the amount of time required to update them.

2 Year Follow-up Packages

As we approach 2009, this marks the 2 year follow-up for mothers recruited in 2007. We will be mailing out all 2 year follow-up forms in the next few weeks.



A Regional Meeting for Eastern Canadian Collaborators



Planning for the Eastern Canadian Collaborators' Meeting is underway for December 3, 2008. Invitations have been sent out. **Please respond to the invitation as soon as possible** by fax or email. We look forward to seeing you!

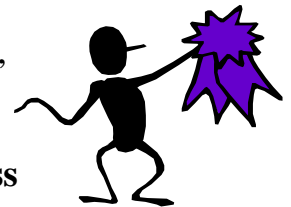
Congratulations on your first recruit!

We wish to acknowledge Dr Robert Gratton and the team at St Joseph's Health Care, Canada. Thank you for your hard work and congratulations on your first recruit!



Recruitment Excellence

Congratulations to **Dr Lynne McLeod** and the team at IWK Health Centre in *Halifax, Canada*; **Dr Arthur Zaltz** and the team at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre in *Toronto, Canada*; **Dr Marwan Hakim** and the team at Nazareth Hospital (EMMS) in *Nazareth, Israel*; **Dr Jesus Daniel Aguirre** and the team at Hospital JR Vidal in *Corrientes, Argentina*; **Dr Maria Mohedano de Duhalde** and the team at Hospital Avellaneda in *Tucuman, Argentina*; **PrDr Grzegorz Breborowicz** and the team at University School of Medical Sciences, *Poznan, Poland*; **Dr Renato Augusto Moreira de Sa** and the team at Maternidade Escola da UFRJ in *Rio de Janeiro, Brazil*; **Dr Antonio Ayub** and the team at ISCMPA – Maternidade Mario Totta, *Porto Alegre, Brazil*; and **Dr Fred Kirss** and the team at Tartu University Hospital – Women's Clinic in *Tartu, Estonia*. We will be sending a gold seal to place on your Certificate of Achievement. Congratulations on reaching your TBS annual recruitment goal. Keep up the good work!





as of October 31, 2008

COUNTRY	Annual Goal	Dec 2003	Jan - Dec 2004	Jan - Dec 2005	Jan - Dec 2006	Jan - Jun 2007	Jul - Dec 2007	Jan - Jun 2008	Jul 2008	Aug 2008	Sept 2008	Oct 2008	Grand Total
ARGENTINA	63		60	65	96	57	50	54	8	17	8	8	423
BRAZIL	49		2	44	71	31	23	35	5	5	3	7	226
CANADA	84	3	25	53	46	24	17	11	2	4	3	3	191
POLAND	15		4	28	18	16	28	14	3	7	1	5	124
ISRAEL	43		21	27	16	5	9	10	2	4	3	8	105
EGYPT	20		19	14	15	6		9					63
AUSTRALIA	32		2	15	12	13	4	10	1				57
CHILE	16		8	11	13	3	5	5		1	5	2	53
UK	45		2	2	15	10	8	7		1	2	2	49
THE NETHERLANDS	7		7	9	17	3	3	4	1				44
ESTONIA	3		5	12	8	4	3	4	1		1	1	39
USA	27		4	13	10	5	3	3					38
JAMAICA	4					9	14	5	6			1	35
SPAIN	5		2	6	10	4	5	5	1			1	34
JORDAN	9		5	5	8	7	2	6	1				34
HUNGARY	4		5	11	6	1	2	3				1	29
SERBIA	11							9		5		4	18
ROMANIA	3		2	5	2	4		2		1			16
BELGIUM	3		5	7	3								15
GERMANY	9			3	4	3	1	3					14
CROATIA	4		4	3	2								9
GREECE	6				1	3							4
Total	462	3	182	333	373	208	177	199	31	45	26	43	1620

CENTRES BY COUNTRY

(Shaded area is prior to start-up)

ARGENTINA

Hospital LC Lagomaggiore, Mendoza	12		31	32	27	10	12	10	1	3	1	3	130
Hospital Posadas, Buenos Aires	6		22	28	17	13	6	4			1		91
Hospital Ramon Carrillo, Santiago del Estero	10			2	15	9	10	12	1	4	2		55
Hospital Avellaneda, Tucuman	6			2	11	9	4	4	3	1	1	2	37
Hospital JR Vidal, Corrientes	6				4	4	6	9	1	4		2	30
Hospital Penna, Bahia Blanca	4				12	4	6	4		2			28
Hospital Angela Iglesia de Llano, Corrientes	3				5	4	5	1			1		16
Hospital Sarda, Buenos Aires	10				3	4	1	6			1		15
Hospital Juan A Fernandez, Buenos Aires	4							4	2	3		1	10
Hospital Alvarez, Buenos Aires	2										1		1
Centres that are no longer recruiting	0												10

BRAZIL

University of Campinas, Campinas	5		2	17	15	9	8	6	1	2		3	63
Maternidade Escola da UFRJ, Rio de Janeiro	6			8	16	10	8	8	1		2	1	54
University of Pernambuco, Recife	7			13	14	5	5	12	2			1	52
Hospital Universitario Antonio Pedro, Niteroi	5			1	10	3	2	1				1	18
ISCOMPA-Maternidade Mario Totta, Porto Alegre	6			5	4			2				1	12
Laranjeiras Clinica Perinatal, Rio de Janeiro	8				8	3							11
UFPE, Recife	5				4	1		2					7
Hospital Sao Lucas, Porto Alegre	5							2		2	1		5
Botucatu Medical School, Botucatu	2							2	1	1			4

CANADA

Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre, Toronto	5	3	14	11	13	10	8	1		2	2	1	65
McMaster University Medical Centre, Hamilton	5			10	7	4		2	1				24
IWK Health Centre, Halifax	7		1	4	6	3	1	3		2		1	21
Trillium Health Centre, Mississauga	6			6	4	1	5						16
Regina General Hospital, Regina	5			5	7	2	1		1				16
Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto	11		5	2	3								10
Lions Gate Hospital, Vancouver	3			6	1			1			1		9
Calgary Health Region - Foothills Hospital, Calgary	7		1	5	1			1					8
Royal University Hospital, Saskatoon	6				4	1		1					6
Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster	5		3	3									6
SMBD Jewish General Hospital, Montreal	6					2		2					4
Eastern Health, St John's	4			1			2						3
St Joseph's Health Care, London	9											1	1
Toronto East General, Toronto	5					1							1
Centres that are no longer recruiting	0												1

POLAND

University School of Medical Sciences, Poznan	8		3	24	15	15	18	8	3	5	1	5	97
Polish Mothers Memorial Hospital, Lodz	5			1	2		10	6		2			21
Medical University of Gdansk, Gdansk	2		1	3	1	1							6

Annual Goal	Dec 2003	Jan - Dec 2004	Jan - Dec 2005	Jan - Dec 2006	Jan - Jun 2007	Jul - Dec 2007	Jan - Jun 2008	Jul 2008	Aug 2008	Sept 2008	Oct 2008	Grand Total
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ISRAEL

Edith Wolfson Medical Center, Holon	5		11	6	6		4	2				29
Ma'ayney HaYeshua Medical Center, Bnei Brak	10		5	4	5	1	3	1	1		2	22
Nazareth Hospital (EMMS), Nazareth	3						5	2		3	5	15
HaEmek Medical Center, Afula	7		1	7	2	2						12
Bnai Zion Medical Center, Haifa	8		4	7								11
Poriya Government Hospital, Tiberias	4			3	3		1		3		1	11
Hillel Yaffe Medical Center, Hadera	6					2	1	2				5

EGYPT

Assiut University Hospital, Assiut	20		19	14	15	6		9				63
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AUSTRALIA

Ipswich Hospital, Ipswich	3				1	9	3	7	1			21
St George Hospital, Sydney	3		2	5	1		2					10
Mater Mothers' Hospital, Brisbane	6			2	3	3						8
Toowoomba Base Hospital, Toowoomba	2			4	2							6
Monash Medical Centre, Clayton	4				4	1						5
Logan Hospital, Meadowbrook	5			3	1							4
Townsville Hospital, Townsville	3			1			1					2
Women's and Children's Hospital, Adelaide	6						1					1

CHILE

Hospital Dr Gustavo Fricke, Vina del Mar	5		8	11	8	3	3	3		1	4	2	43
Hospital Dr Sotero del Rio, Puente Alto	11				5		2	2			1		10

UK

Nottingham City Hospital, Nottingham	9		2	2	3	1	1	2		1	2	2	16
Bradford Royal Infirmary, Bradford	8				8	3	1	1					13
Basildon & Thurrock University, Basildon	6				1	1	4	2					8
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, King's Lynn	3					1	2	1					4
Lewisham Hospital, London	5				3								3
University Hospital of North Staffordshire, Stoke-on-Trent	8					3							3
Derriford Hospital, Plymouth	6					1		1					2

THE NETHERLANDS

Atrium Medical Center, Heerlen	3		4	5	7	2	3	4	1				26
Academisch Ziekenhuis Maastricht, Maastricht	2		3	2	1								6
Sint Lucas Andreas Ziekenhuis, Amsterdam	2				4	1							5
Centres that are no longer recruiting	0												7

ESTONIA

Tartu University Hospital - Women's Clinic, Tartu	3		5	12	8	4	3	4	1		1	1	39
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USA

East Bay Perinatal Medical Associates, Oakland	12			9	5	2	2	1					19
Maricopa Medical Center, Phoenix	8			3	3			2					8
University of South Carolina, Columbia	4			1	2	3							6
University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, Iowa City	3						1						1
Centres that are no longer recruiting	0												4

JAMAICA

University Hospital of the West Indies, Kingston	4					9	14	5	6			1	35
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SPAIN

Hospital Clinic-University of Barcelona, Barcelona	5		2	6	10	4	5	5	1			1	34
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JORDAN

Islamic Hospital, Amman	9		5	5	8	7	2	6	1				34
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HUNGARY

University of Debrecen, Debrecen	4		5	11	6	1	2	3				1	29
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SERBIA

University of Belgrade, Belgrade	11							9		5		4	18
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ROMANIA

University of Pharmacy and Medicine, Cluj-Napoca	3		2	5	2	4		2		1			16
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BELGIUM

Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Brussels	3		5	7	3								15
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GERMANY

Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich, Munich	2			1	4	3							8
CUB - Virchow Klinikum, Berlin	5							3					3
CUB - Benjamin Franklin, Berlin	2			2			1						3

CROATIA

Sveti Duh Hospital, Zagreb	4		4	3	2								9
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GREECE

Alexandra Maternity, Athens	6				1	3							4
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Centres awaiting first patient: [COUNTRY: Hospital, City (annual goal)] [month/year start-up package sent]

AUSTRALIA: Royal North Shore, St Leonards (3) [11/06]; BRAZIL: Hospital Materno Infantil, Goiania (3) [11/07]; CANADA: Children's & Women's Health Centre of BC, Vancouver (11) [02/08]; THE NETHERLANDS: Maxima Medical Centre, Veldhoven (3) [06/08]; UK: Aberdeen Maternity, Aberdeen (6) [11/06], Liverpool Women's Hospital, Liverpool (12) [05/07], Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham (6) [05/08]; USA: Washington University, St Louis (5) [01/07];

2 Year Follow-up of TBS Babies



The status of the TBS 2 Year Follow-up is displayed in the following table for centres that recruited patients. Centres are listed according to the total number of recruits by country and centre. See below for the number of follow-up assessments performed by your centre!

Let's aim for 100% follow-up!!

Follow-Up Status	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007		2008		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
As of October 2008														
COUNTRY														
ARGENTINA			60	50	65	56	96	41	107		95		423	147
BRAZIL			2	2	44	36	71	29	54		55		226	67
CANADA	3	3	25	20	53	38	46	19	41		23		191	80
POLAND			4	4	28	25	18	4	44		30		124	33
ISRAEL			21	21	27	23	16	5	14		27		105	49
EGYPT			19	19	14	14	15		6		9		63	33
AUSTRALIA			2	2	15	10	12	2	17		11		57	14
CHILE			8	8	11	11	13	8	8		13		53	27
UK			2	2	2	2	15	2	18		12		49	6
THE NETHERLANDS			7	7	9	9	17	12	6		5		44	28
ESTONIA			5	5	12	12	8	5	7		7		39	22
USA			4	2	13	7	10	2	8		3		38	11
JAMAICA									23		12		35	
JORDAN			5	5	5	5	8	3	9		7		34	13
SPAIN			2	2	6	6	10	4	9		7		34	12
HUNGARY			5	5	11	4	6		3		4		29	9
SERBIA											18		18	
ROMANIA			2	2	5	5	2	2	4		3		16	9
BELGIUM			5		7		3						15	
GERMANY					3	2	4	2	4		3		14	4
CROATIA			4	4	3	2	2						9	6
GREECE							1		3				4	
Total	3	3	182	160	333	267	373	140	385		344		1620	570
			100.0%		87.9%		80.2%		37.5%					35%

CENTRES BY COUNTRY

(Shaded area is prior to start-up)

ARGENTINA														
Hospital LC Lagomaggiore, Mendoza			31	27	32	31	27	17	22		18		130	75
Hospital Posadas, Buenos Aires			22	21	28	21	17	4	19		5		91	46
Hospital Ramon Carrillo, Santiago del Estero					2	2	15	11	19		19		55	13
Hospital Avellaneda, Tucuman					2	2	11	6	13		11		37	8
Hospital JR Vidal, Corrientes							4	1	10		16		30	1
Hospital Penna, Bahia Blanca							12	1	10		6		28	1
Hospital Angela Iglesia de Llano, Corrientes							5	1	9		2		16	1
Hospital Sarda, Buenos Aires							3		5		7		15	
Hospital Juan A Fernandez, Buenos Aires											10		10	
Hospital Ramos Mejia, Buenos Aires			7	2	1		2						10	2
Hospital Alvarez, Buenos Aires											1		1	
BRAZIL														
University of Campinas, Campinas			2	2	17	11	15	5	17		12		63	18
Maternidade Escola da UFRJ, Rio de Janeiro					8	8	16	7	18		12		54	15
University of Pernambuco, Recife					13	12	14	9	10		15		52	21
Hospital Universitario Antonio Pedro, Niteroi					1	1	10	4	5		2		18	5
ISCOMPA-Maternidade Mario Totta, Porto Alegre					5	4	4				3		12	4
Laranjeiras Clinica Perinatal, Rio de Janeiro							8	4	3				11	4
UFPE, Recife							4		1		2		7	
Hospital Sao Lucas, Porto Alegre											5		5	
Botucatu Medical School, Botucatu											4		4	
CANADA														
Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre, Toronto	3	3	14	12	11	1	13	2	18		6		65	18
McMaster University Medical Centre, Hamilton					10	10	7	5	4		3		24	15
IWK Health Centre, Halifax			1	1	4	4	6	3	4		6		21	8
Regina General Hospital, Regina					5	4	7	5	3		1		16	9
Trillium Health Centre, Mississauga					6	4	4		6				16	4
Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto			5	3	2	1	3	1					10	5
Lions Gate Hospital, Vancouver					6	6	1	1			2		9	7
Calgary Health Region - Foothills Hospital, Calgary			1	1	5	4	1	1			1		8	6
Royal University Hospital, Saskatoon							4	1	1		1		6	1
Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster			3	3	3	3							6	6
SMBD Jewish General Hospital, Montreal									2		2		4	
Eastern Health, St John's					1	1			2				3	1
St Joseph's Health Care, London											1		1	
York Central Hospital, Richmond Hill			1										1	
Toronto East General, Toronto									1				1	
POLAND														
Univ School of Medicine, Poznan			3	3	24	23	15	3	33		22		97	29
Polish Mothers Memorial Hospital, Lodz					1		2		10		8		21	
Medical University of Gdansk, Gdansk			1	1	3	2	1	1	1				6	4

Follow-Up Status	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007		2008		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	
ISRAEL															
Edith Wolfson Medical Center, Holon			11	11	6	6	6	4	4			2		29	21
Ma'ayney HaYeshua Medical Center, Bnei Brak			5	5	4	4	5	1	4			4		22	10
Nazareth Hospital (EMMS), Nazareth												15		15	
HaEmek Medical Center, Afula			1	1	7	6	2		2					12	7
Bnai Zion Medical Center, Haifa			4	4	7	7								11	11
Poriya Government Hospital, Tiberias					3		3			1		4		11	
Hillel Yaffe Medical Center, Hadera									3		2			5	
EGYPT															
Assiut University Hospital, Assiut			19	19	14	14	15		6		9			63	33
AUSTRALIA															
Ipswich Hospital, Ipswich							1		12		8			21	
St George Hospital, Sydney			2	2	5	5	1	1			2			10	8
Mater Mothers' Hospital, Brisbane					2	2	3		3					8	2
Toowoomba Base Hospital, Toowoomba					4	1	2							6	1
Monash Medical Centre, Clayton							4	1	1					5	1
Logan Hospital, Meadowbrook					3	1	1							4	1
Townsville Hospital, Townsville					1	1			1					2	1
Women's and Children's Hospital, Adelaide											1			1	
CHILE															
Hospital Dr Gustavo Fricke, Vina del Mar			8	8	11	11	8	6	6		10			43	25
Hospital Dr Sotero del Rio, Puente Alto							5	2	2		3			10	2
UK															
Nottingham City Hospital, Nottingham			2	2	2	2	3	1	2		7			16	5
Bradford Royal Infirmary, Bradford							8	1	4		1			13	1
Basilidon & Thurrock University, Basilidon							1		5		2			8	
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, King's Lynn									3		1			4	
Lewisham Hospital, London							3							3	
University Hospital of North Staffordshire, Stoke-on-Trent									3					3	
Derriford Hospital, Plymouth									1		1			2	
THE NETHERLANDS															
Atrium Medical Center, Heerlen			4	4	5	5	7	5	5		5			26	14
Maaslandziekenhuis Sittard, Sittard					2	2	5	5						7	7
Academisch Ziekenhuis Maastricht, Maastricht			3	3	2	2	1							6	5
Sint Lucas Andreas Ziekenhuis, Amsterdam							4	2	1					5	2
ESTONIA															
Tartu University Hospital - Women's Clinic, Tartu			5	5	12	12	8	5	7		7			39	22
USA															
East Bay Perinatal Medical Associates, Oakland					9	4	5	1	4		1			19	5
Maricopa Medical Center, Phoenix					3	2	3				2			8	2
University of South Carolina, Columbia					1	1	2	1	3					6	2
Texas Tech UHSC, Lubbock			2											2	
Jamaica Hospital Medical Center, Jamaica			2	2										2	2
University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, Iowa City									1					1	
JAMAICA															
University Hospital of the West Indies, Kingston									23		12			35	
JORDAN															
Islamic Hospital, Amman			5	5	5	5	8	3	9		7			34	13
SPAIN															
Hospital Clinic-University of Barcelona, Barcelona			2	2	6	6	10	4	9		7			34	12
HUNGARY															
University of Debrecen, Debrecen			5	5	11	4	6		3		4			29	9
SERBIA															
University of Belgrade, Belgrade											18			18	
ROMANIA															
University of Pharmacy and Medicine, Cluj-Napoca			2	2	5	5	2	2	4		3			16	9
BELGIUM															
Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Brussels			5		7		3							15	
GERMANY															
Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich, Munich					1	1	4	2	3					8	3
CUB - Virchow Klinikum, Berlin											3			3	
CUB - Benjamin Franklin, Berlin					2	1			1					3	1
CROATIA															
Sveti Duh Hospital, Zagreb			4	4	3	2	2							9	6
GREECE															
Alexandra Maternity, Athens							1		3					4	