

ENOS NEWS

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HAPPY CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR 2002

2ND ENOS INVESTIGATORS MEETING

Currently we are in the process of arranging a venue for our second investigators meeting. Provisionally, we plan to hold this in Valencia on Thursday 22nd May at the 12th European Stroke Conference. This will be an opportunity for us to provide you with an update on the trial's progress so far and answer any questions that you may have.

1ST MEETING OF THE DATA MONITORING COMMITTEE

The independent Data Monitoring Committee have met for their first teleconference this month to review the data from the 2001/2002 recruitment. We are presently awaiting the full formal report from this meeting and will obviously keep you informed of any matters that have arisen.

NEW CENTRES FOR ENOS

We are pleased to announce that we have recently received notification of successful ethics approval to start recruitment into ENOS for 2 centres in Warsaw, Poland. One centre is located at the Institute of Psychiatry and Neurology and the other is at Warsaw Military Medical Academy. We'd like to thank the research staff at both of these centres for their efforts in helping the Trial Management Committee obtain approval for ENOS in Poland and we wish them well in recruiting their first patients in the new year.

If you are interested in joining ENOS please fax, email or post the form which is attached with this newsletter to the ENOS trial office. You'll find the address for this below. Alternatively, you can meet with us at the BASP (British Association of Stroke Physicians) conference in Keele this January. Please note that if you do want to join but don't have time to fill out a lengthy ethics application then we can usually help out.

RECRUITMENT TOTAL: 71

NOTTINGHAM CITY HOSPITAL - 38
SINGAPORE GENERAL HOSPITAL - 26
GLAN CLWYD GENERAL HOSPITAL - 0
ROYAL HALLAMSHIRE, SHEFFIELD - 1
ABERDEEN, SCOTLAND - 1

NOTTINGHAM, QUEEN'S MEDICAL CENTRE - 0
BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL - 5
DELANCEY HOSPITAL, CHELTENHAM - 0
HALIFAX, CANADA - 0