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## Newsletter



### Season's Greetings TILT Teams,

It's Christmas time!! The decorations are up and there are still 5 days left I can eat advent calendar chocolates at breakfast with no regrets! What a time to be alive! But there is something even more thrilling which awaits... that's right you guessed it... the second edition of the TILT festive Newsletter!

2019 has been a huge year for TILT, we have welcomed a number of new UK sites and an international site to the TILT family! I would like to thank you all for your terrific recruitment and randomisation efforts this year. The rates have significantly increased in the last few months and it would be great to continue this over into 2020!



### TILT in 2019

## The Highlights

**Bath** averaged a 98.45% data completion rate across 2019. A record across all sites!

**Princess Anne** smashed their monthly recruitment target a massive 8 times!

**Homerton** achieved a record high 41 recruits across all sites in October and randomised the most participants in a month across all sites (37!) in March.

**Hammersmith** achieved a site record high 11 randomisations in November, and had the lowest non-randomisation rate across all sites in 2019 (14.71%)!

**St Barts** recruited a site record high 25 patients to the study in October. Followed by 22 recruits in November!

**Chinese University of Hong Kong** today randomised their 100th TILT patient!

**Derriford** broke their monthly recruitment target 6 times! Currently on 8 recruits for December!

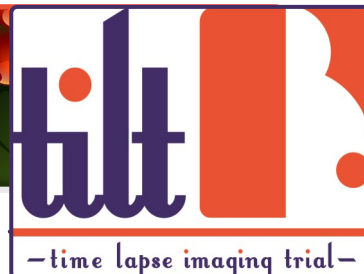


### Don't forget!

This is a reminder that sites can now **re-randomise** patients to TILT. Please acquire the written consent from both partners before re-randomising!

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### STUDY UPDATES

1. As of 19th December, a total of **942** patients have been recruited and **686** randomised to the study!
2. **Chinese University of Hong Kong** recruited the **900th** TILT patient to the study! (participant UHK/0115).
3. The **650th** patient was randomised by **St Barts Hospital**! (participant SBH/0075).
4. Across all sites recruitment and randomisation records were smashed in October where **105** were recruited and in November where **76** were randomised!
5. **Bath Fertility Centre** have sadly withdrawn as a participating site, but we would like to thank the team for all of their efforts on the study.
6. We welcomed **Truro** to the TILT family as a Patient Identification Centre (PIC) for **Derriford Hospital** in October.

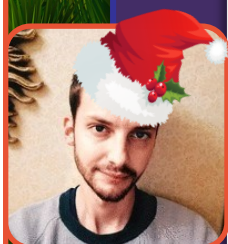
Recruiting centre	Total	Dec 19	Nov 19	Oct 19	Sep 19	Aug 19
Homerton University Hospital	526	8	32	41	32	31
Chinese University of Hong Kong	133	18	24	14	19	23
Princess Anne Hospital	84	0	1	13	12	4
St Barts Hospital	83	5	22	25	16	5
Derriford Hospital	47	8	7	5	7	3
Bath Fertility Centre	35			1	1	6
Hammersmith Hospital	34	1	6	6	5	3
	<b>942</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>75</b>

### Meet the Team - Erika Francesch-Domenech

Erika has recently joined the BARC team as Data Assistant. She will be managing the quality and completeness of the data collected across all of the BARC studies, including the TILT study, so you can expect to regularly hear from her about all things TILT data related! Feel free to get in touch and say hello!

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**Thank you all for your hard work on the TILT study throughout 2019. We really appreciate it. From all of us here at TILT HQ, we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!!**

**Please feel free to contact me with any suggestions/content for inclusion in the next instalment e.g. a feature about your site teams.**

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