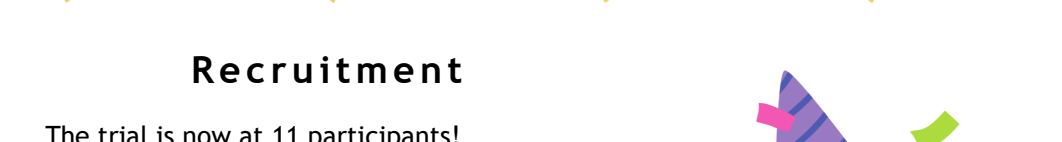


## December 2024 Newsletter



### Recruitment

The trial is now at 11 participants!

#### Congratulations to:

Kathleen Seed and the team at Newcastle

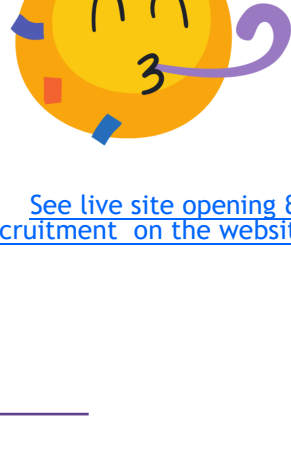
Stacey-Lee Reid and the team at Bristol

Dr Muthana Al Obaidi, Dr Senne Cuyx, Serena Cruickshank-Hull and Shaima Yussuf at GOSH

Dianne Lea, Susan Wadeson, Smitha Joseph,

Dr Eleanor Heaf and the team at Alder Hey

Marie Ward, Helen Parker and the team at UHNM



♦ [See live site opening & recruitment on the website](#)

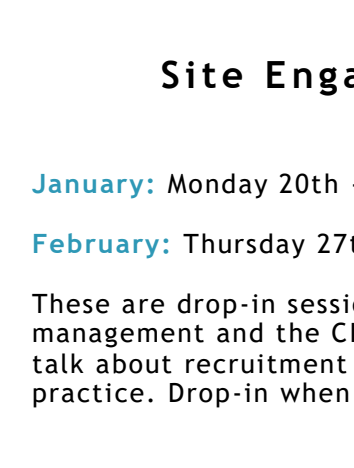
### Site Openings

#### Welcome to the trial:

Site 16: Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust

Site 03: Sheffield Children's NHS Foundation Trust

Site 08: Manchester University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

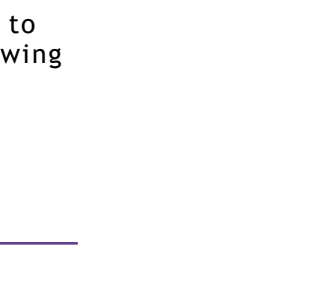


### Site Engagement Meetings 2025

**January:** Monday 20th - 16:00–16:45

**February:** Thursday 27th - 14:00–14:45

These are drop-in sessions **for all**—with trial management and the CI - to answer queries, talk about recruitment and share best practice. Drop-in when you can!



### Reminders



**Screening logs**—please ensure that you are completing screening logs for all potential participants—we are using the logs to monitor any barriers to recruitment so this it is vitally important that we capture this information.

**Consents**—please send all consent forms securely to [lctc\\_consent@liverpool.ac.uk](mailto:lctc_consent@liverpool.ac.uk) within 7 days following randomisation.

### Important Information for the Christmas Break

#### LCTC Shutdown

**Dates:** Friday 20th December until Thursday 2nd January

#### Biobank Shutdown

**Dates:** All samples to be sent to the biobank should be paused from Wednesday 18th December. Normal collection activities will resume on 2nd January 2025. All samples can be taken at another timepoint (as per the protocol) so participants will still be able to consent to biobank samples during this time.

#### Safety arrangements

There will be safety cover provided on Friday 27th December to process SAE reporting. Please continue to send through safety reports as normal



#### And finally....

Wishing you all a cosy and warm winter break. Thank you for all that you have done for STAR-JIA this year—looking forward to a wonderful 2025.

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