

January 2025 Newsletter



Participant Videos-Can you help?

We are creating some videos about taking part in STAR-JIA—to encourage more recruitment.

We would like to involve participants, parents and HCP.

Do you know a STAR-JIA participant (or parent) that would be interested in filming a short clip answering 4 questions about being part of STAR-JIA?

Would you be willing to take part yourself?

All filming will be done using their/your own phone and will be very brief. The videos will be placed on the STAR-JIA website and shown to potential participants.

Please contact the trial team if you or your patient/family would like to take part.

Recruitment

The trial is now at 12 participants!

Congratulations to:

Charlene Bass-Woodcock, Ellen Mosley and all the team at Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust



See live site opening & recruitment on the website



Site Openings

Welcome to the trial:

Site 06: Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Cambridge got greenlight on 19th Decemberwelcome to the trial team!

Site Engagement Meetings 2025

February: Thursday 6th - 13:00-13:45

March: Friday 7th - 12:00-12:45



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 it is vitally important that we capture this information.

Consents-please send all consent forms securely to lctc_consents@liverpool.ac.uk within 7 days following

Feedback from our lay co-applicants

Jasmine Davey-"As a patient who has lived with JIA for 24 years, I feel really proud to be able to represent and provide a voice for other children and young people living with this condition, as a co-applicant on STAR-JIA.

Clinical trials such as STAR-JIA are vital to influence future treatment pathways for patients like ourselves, maximising the care and management for our conditions in the future"

Christina Pringle-"As a parent of a child with JIA, I am proud to be a co-applicant on the STAR-JIA trial. Evidence based research is key to ensuring all children diagnosed in the future receive the best possible treatment and management of their condition.'

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