

Top recruiting sites in January:

1. Bristol Royal Infirmary
2. St Mary's Hospital
3. Russell's Hall Hospital

Shout out to St Mary's Hospital for recruiting the studies 100th GM-CSF participant



Well done to Calderdale Royal Hospital for recruiting their first patient to the SepTiC Study!

Shout out to Russell's Hall Hospital for recruiting their first GM-CSF patient!

LIVE
WEBINAR



Recruiting sites last month:

Site	Jan 2026 Total=34
Bristol Royal Infirmary	7
St Marys Hospital	5
Russells Hall Hospital	3
Kings Mill Hospital	2
St Georges Hospital	2
Sunderland Royal Hospital	2
Salford Royal Hospital	2
Charing Cross Hospital	1
Hammersmith Hospital	1
Kettering General Hospital	1
Royal Glamorgan Hospital	1
Royal Victoria Belfast	1
Scunthorpe General Hospital	1
Musgrove Park Hospital	1
Southend University Hospital	1
Southampton General Hospital	1
Southmead Hospital	1
Calderdale Royal Hospital	1

Upcoming SepTiC Webinar

In our upcoming SepTiC Webinar we will be joined by **Prof Paul Dark**, the **diagnostic intervention lead**.

Join us on **Feb 5th** at **11am** on [Zoom](#)
Meeting ID: 938 1776 7036
Passcode: 1LmN^L

Further SepTiC Q&As have been scheduled in for the following:

- 3rd March 11am-12pm
- 15th April 2pm-3pm
- 18th May 11am-12pm

These sessions will be held run by the SepTiC Study team and the CI and will be a great opportunity to ask questions.

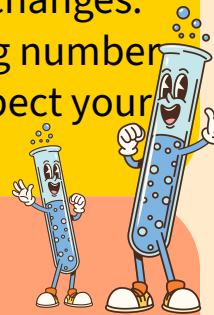
Updated Sample Shipping form



We have updated the sample shipping form to version 2.0, the changes provide further clarification on what information should be added to the form, please remember the following:

1. Do not include the patient name or any patient identifiable information on the sample shipping form
2. Remember to include the patient DOB (month and year only)
3. Include all the email addresses you would like to be notified of the results, no text messages are issued with the results.

Please see the updated sample shipping manual which also reflects the changes. When a patient is recruited please remember to send the sample tracking number to the central SepTiC team - this allows us to let the lab team know to expect your samples!



SepTiC Reminders:

1) Consumables

- Please email the SepTiC Team about any consumables that you are running low on, and make sure to check all your stock expiry dates. Please make sure to give the SepTiC team adequate notice when requesting more consumables.

2) Screening logs

- When completing screening logs, please only use the drop down-options as this will help us understand reasons for exclusion, please remember to remove all patient identifiable information from the screening logs before sending it to the septic team. Please do not write 'not eligible' but use one of the drop-down options or select 'Other' and give a reason. Ensure any abbreviations are explained.

3) Randomisation allocation

IMPORTANT

- Treatment is the name of the allocation box on the assignment form. The Treatment box should be populated with the following allocations: **Diagnostic - Standard of Care** or **PCR-based Pathogen Testing with PCT**, **Fluid - Standard of Care** or **Conservative Fluid Therapy with De-Resuscitation**, **GM-CSF - kit code**.

4) Source Documents

- Please print off and complete a **paper version** of the **eligibility form** for all patients (unless an electronic version has been approved). Remember to also complete a paper version of the EQ-5D-5L first before transcribing this into OpenClinica.

SepTiC Socials:

1) Youtube: Reminder that all of our webinar recordings are available on our YouTube channel along with helpful training videos on randomisation and sample collection

2) Website: Our website contains all our updated FAQ's, Training documents and Amendments

3) LinkedIn: Follow us on our LinkedIn page for more regular updates on the study: [LinkedIn- SepTiC Trial](#)