

Top recruiting sites in April:



Bristol Royal Infirmary recruited 4 participants

The following staff all recruited 3 patients this month:

- Salford Royal Hospital
- Charing Cross Hospital
- John Radcliffe Hospital

Recruiting sites last month:

Site	April 2026= 36 total
Bristol Royal Infirmary	4
Charing Cross Hospital	3
Salford Royal Hospital	3
John Radcliffe Hospital	3
Kings Mill Hospital	2
St Georges Hospital	2
Queens Medical Centre	2
Huddersfield Royal Infirmary	2
Stoke Mandeville Hospital	2
Queen Alexandra Portsmouth	1
Russells Hall Hospital	1
Scunthorpe General Hospital	1
Royal Victoria Belfast	1
Darent Valley Hospital	1
Southampton General Hospital	1
Hull Royal Infirmary	1
Southend University Hospital	1
Southmead Hospital	1
Warrington Hospital	1
Doncaster Royal Infirmary	1
Queen Elizabeth Hospital Woolwich	1
University Hospital Lewisham	1

New SepTiC Sites

Well done to Queen Elizabeth Hospital Woolwich, University Hospital Lewisham, and Doncaster Royal Infirmary for recruiting their first patients within days of being open to the study!

SepTiC Reminders:

1. New GCP Regulations

To ensure the SEPTIC Study remains fully compliant with these new standards, **all site staff must be trained on the latest regulations.** Please send your updated GCP certificates (reflecting R3 training/refreshers) to septic@imperial.ac.uk

2. 'If it isn't documented it didn't happen'

Please remember the importance of documenting all consent discussions and follow-up telephone calls, this is the source data that all database data can be verified from.

3. Day 180 Follow up completion on paper

A paper EQ5D5L questionnaire **must be** completed for all follow up questionnaires, this includes the script all site staff should follow when completing the questionnaire with the the patient.



Consumables

Please let the SepTiC team know if you require any more consumables/ if any of your tubes have expired.

Queries on OpenClinica

Automatic system queries

For the SepTiC Trial all forms are one page with either a 'Close' or 'Complete' option. When a form is 'Closed' the data in the form is saved however you can enter back into the form and change the data without having to enter a reason for this data change.

When the form is 'Completed' the data is saved, when the form is opened again it will be in 'Review Mode' and if you would like to change data or complete any outstanding data, you will need to provide a reason for the change.

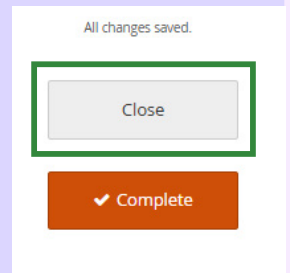
When completing data entry, if all the data is not yet available, please '**Close**' the form and do not '**Complete**' it. If the form is completed partially filled the system will raise automatic system queries for all empty fields.

Answering queries on OpenClinica

GCP standards mandate that data entry for a completed visit should be completed within 14 days. Data queries should also answered within 14 business days.

All forms with open queries will have a red bubble on the form box. The full list of queries can be viewed in the query section of the navigation tab.

1. To answer queries select the query you want to respond to and/or update.
2. If you need to change information in a form, close the Query widget, and make changes to the Form manually. You must provide a Reason for Change before completing the Form.
3. In the Respond to query field, enter text explaining the query response.
4. Click the Update button to add the response and leave the query open.



Home Participant Matrix Add Participant **Queries**



Upcoming Webinar: Wednesday 18th May 2026 11:00 - 12:00

Our upcoming SepTiC Webinar will be a Q&A session with the study team.

Monthly Q&A session with the research team on Zoom

Meeting ID: 938 1776 7036

Passcode: 1LmN^L

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

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 out 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