



# REMAP-CAP

Randomized, Embedded,  
Multifactorial Adaptive Platform  
trial for Community-Acquired  
Pneumonia



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## NEWSLETTER



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### Meet the REMAP-CAP Australia and New Zealand Network

REMAP-CAP is an international collaborative study which is not limited to Europe. The international trial steering committee consists of researchers, mostly intensivists, from all over the world. Currently there is one other network, namely the ANZ (Australia and New Zealand) network about to start recruiting patients into REMAP-CAP. The chief investigators and responsible project managers are presented on the left. We expect that during the conduct of the study also networks of other regions will be added.

### Protocol Version 2.0 finalized

During the month December, protocol version 2.0 was finished by the international trial steering committee. With regard to the latest developments in the ICU world, it was decided to extend the primary endpoint (all-cause mortality) from 60 to 90 days of follow-up after inclusion of a subject. Another major adaptation to the protocol was the decision to stop registering serious adverse events after discharge from the hospital. If possible, sites will implement version 2.0 of the protocol instead of 1.1. The EU project managers will send this new version to the sites and support local implementation.

### Constructing a Case Record Form: a worldwide collaboration

The data-management teams of both the EU and the ANZ network have put an enormous effort into the creation of an online case record form (eCRF). This was a challenging task because two identical eCRFs for both regions had to be constructed in two different data management systems: "ResearchOnline" for Europe and "Spinnaker" for ANZ. "Research Online" is an online CRF and randomization application designed by the University Medical Center of Utrecht. We have managed to organize the "logic" of randomization and data-collection within the data-management systems, to provide you with a good user experience and prevent human mistakes. In January and February, the eCRF will become available for Europe. When sites are ready to start inclusion, they will receive an introduction into the CRF during the initiation meeting.

### Are you interested to join?

If you would like to join the REMAP-CAP Study, please send an email to the general REMAP-CAP email address (below). The members of the Regional Coordinating Committee will provide you with essential information and guide you through the process of becoming a member of the REMAP-CAP family.

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