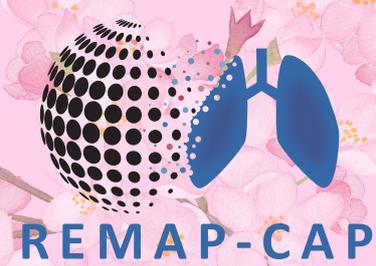


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Flu Recruitment Figures

Top Adult Sites	Flu patients recruited
Milton Keynes Hospital	79
St Mary's Hospital	40
University College London Hospital	34
St Thomas' Hospital	20
Rotherham Hospital	16

Top Paediatric Sites	Patients recruited
St Mary's Hospital	13
Bristol Royal Hospital for Children	13
University Hospital Southampton	6
Milton Keynes Hospital	6
John Radcliffe Hospital	3
Evelina London Children's Hospital	3

Newsworthy

Imperial Closure dates

Imperial College and the central lab will be closed from **Thursday 17th April to Tuesday 22nd April 2025** due to the Easter break.

During this period, the team will have limited availability, responding only to emergency queries. Additionally, no swabs will be processed at the lab.



Letter from ITSC

An ITSC letter circulated to sites emphasised the need to open the "no antiviral" intervention

- Expanding this arm is key to strong evidence on influenza antivirals in severe cases.
- To open this intervention, complete and return the Influenza antiviral choice page.

NIHR Impact Prizes

The Imperial Critical Care Research team were recently awarded the first-ever National Institute for Health and Care Research (NIHR) Impact Prize. These awards recognise major improvements in health over the last two decades, driven by research and scientific advances.



Lucy Stronach representing the Imperial Critical Care research team



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Guidance on Deferred Consent Process

If your site is using 'deferred consent,' please ensure you follow the correct process:

- Select **YES** if the patient is competent or if a legal representative has been approached, regardless of the outcome.
- Select **NO** if the patient is not competent and no proxy consent has been obtained—this allows you to proceed with screening.
- You can **SAVE** the eCRF while obtaining consent. Follow the instructions and document the patient's unique eligibility code.



Do not select an option if consent has not been obtained. Instead, **SAVE** the form and return to complete it once consent is confirmed.

Paediatric database update

The **baseline paediatrics weight field** has been updated to allow the entry of values with up to one decimal place.



Substantial AM42

The most recent amendment 42 was sent out to sites last week along with a follow-up email to address any questions, the amendment included:

- Changes to SmPCs
- Tocilizumab labels
- SoeCAT V1.0 & V2.0
- RCC letter and QP declaration for Baloxavir paediatric formulation
- Updated PIS/CFs

Inbox queries

All REMAP-CAP queries should be sent to the management inbox: ukremap-cap@icnarc.org

Please **DO NOT** send queries to info@remapcap.org OR remap-cap@spinnakersoftware.com



Pending templates

The management team are currently drafting a number of templates for the trial which will be available soon, these include:

- Consent statement
- Eligibility statement
- Updated study drug accountability log.

