

## A message from the Chief Investigators

There has been a flurry of recruitment activity at the start of October and it's on track to be the best recruitment month for PARTIAL. Three additional sites have recruited their first participants which means 25 (of 32 sites) have now successfully recruited. By popular request we have also produced bite size recruitment videos (video links below), with examples of how to address common recruitment barriers such as randomisation and patient preference for treatment. Many thanks to Mr Chakravarti (Wolverhampton PI) for his help making these videos.

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## Recruitment table from 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 2024 (in order of highest recruiting and most recently opened):

	Site	PI	Recruitment (1st Aug 2024 - now)
27	Wolverhampton	Mr Aniruddha Chakravarti	6
24	Stockport	Mr Steve Bromage	4
16	Edinburgh	Mr Alexander Laird	4
26	Plymouth	Mr Jack Coode-Bate	2
25	Leeds	Ms Anna Wright	2
47	Kirkcaldy	Mr Richard Chapman	1
42	Wakefield	Mr Mohammed Aldiwani	1
31	Liverpool	Mr Robin Weston	1
32	Oxford	Mr Mark Sullivan	1
18	Exeter	Mr Nick Campaign	1
20	Nottingham	Mr Thomas Walton	1
19	Guy's	Mr Ben Challacombe	1
11	Newcastle	Mr Rajan Veeratterapillay	1

Well done to  
Wolverhampton,  
Stockport and  
Edinburgh!!

Congratulations to  
Kirkcaldy, Wakefield and  
Liverpool for recruiting  
their first participants!

Recruitment **actual** (on 24 Oct 2024): **120**  
Recruitment **target** (on 31 Oct 2024): **136**

### The race for the 140<sup>th</sup> participant!

There will be a sweet treat in the post for the site that recruits participant #140 – bringing us to **1/3** of the overall recruitment target for PARTIAL! **Good luck!**

### New recruitment resource! Bite size recruitment videos

Please click on the links to view. Many thanks to Mr Chakravarti (Wolverhampton PI) for his help making these videos, providing an example of how he manages these conversations with potential participants.

1. [Treatment options and introducing the PARTIAL study](#)
2. [Discussing randomisation](#)
3. [Exploring a patient's preference for partial nephrectomy](#)
4. [Exploring a patient's preference for total nephrectomy](#)



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