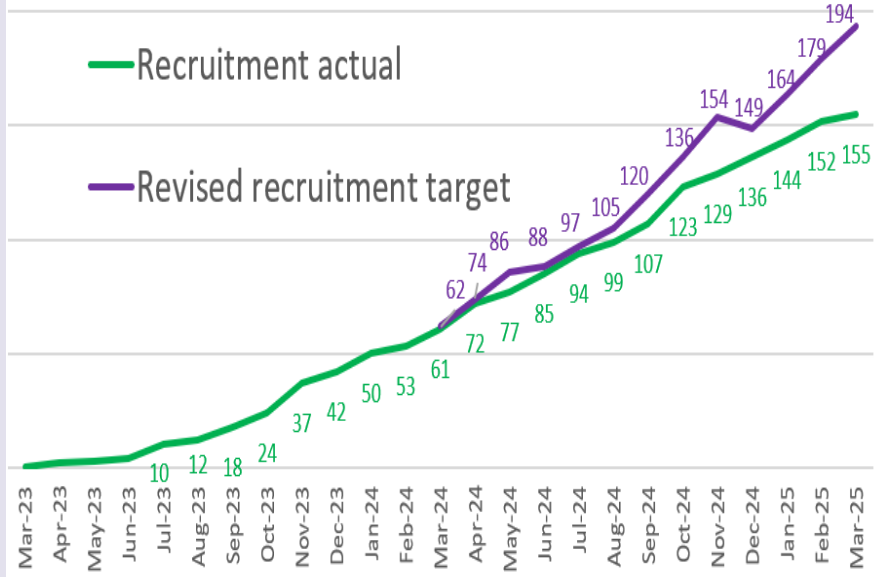


A message from the Chief Investigators

To update you all on the extension request for PARTIAL; the funder has sent some queries to which we have responded. We are looking to extend recruitment into **late 2026** to enable recruitment to our **overall target of 420 participants**. Please do get in touch if there is anything we can do to support you. We are falling behind target (see table alongside of actual vs target recruitment) and it's critical for the success of the study for **all sites** to continue screening and recruiting.



Professor Naem Soomro and Professor Rakesh Heer

Recruitment table (2025 to date):

| Site | PI | Recruitment |
|------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| 24 Stockport | Mr Steve Bromage | 3 |
| 47 Kirkcaldy | Mr Richard Chapman | 2 |
| 44 Aberdeen | Mr Grigorios Athanasiadis | 2 |
| 23 Royal Free | Prof Axel Bex | 2 |
| 27 Wolverhampton | Mr Aniruddha Chakravarti | 2 |
| 19 Guy's | Mr Ben Challacombe | 2 |
| 40 Wirral | Mr Thiagarajan Nambirajan | 1 |
| 26 Plymouth | Mr Jack Coode-Bate | 1 |
| 18 Exeter | Mr Nick Campain | 1 |
| 20 Nottingham | Mr Thomas Walton | 1 |
| 16 Edinburgh | Mr Alexander Laird | 1 |
| 13 Cambridge | Prof Grant Stewart | 1 |

Congratulations to Stockport for recruiting 3 participants so far this year. You can expect a sweet treat in the post as a thank you – keep up the good work!



Congratulations to Cambridge – it's great to see you back on the recruitment table!



We circulated to all sites last month some PARTIAL notepads – feedback so far has been very positive! The notepads include an image of the kidneys which consultants can use to show the location of the tumour and explain treatment options during consultations. Please do encourage your consultants to use these and let us know if you would like more copies.

A big **THANK YOU** to the 14 sites that have updated their clinic log data on the study website in the last three months. This information is very helpful for us to better understand the challenges with recruitment.



Contact the PARTIAL Trial Office at partial@abdn.ac.uk