

GALA



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General anaesthetic versus local anaesthetic for carotid surgery

GALA Trial: now the largest randomised carotid endarterectomy trial!

Total so far: 3,163 patients
but

keep randomising – GALA needs to be bigger. Now the target is 3,500+ patients so we can answer the question “General anaesthetic or local anaesthetic for carotid endarterectomy?”

Overdue Data – please send your data to us now.

The following are 6 months overdue:

29 signed patient consent forms
25 discharge forms
42 one-month follow-up forms
63 one-year follow-up forms

47 discharge queries
7 one-month follow-up queries



Meetings and conferences 2007

European Society for Vascular Surgery, Madrid, Spain:
20th – 23rd September (www.esvs.org)

The UK Vascular Society, Manchester, UK:
28th – 30th November (www.vascularsociety.org.uk)

Welcome to the last new centres:

Diakonissen-Stiftungs-Krankenhaus, Germany
Klinikum rechts der Isar der TU München, Germany
Nemocnice Ceske Budejovice as, Czech Republic
St Anne's Faculty Hospital, Czech Republic

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