

PROTECTOR Newsletter – August 2022

Welcome to the PROTECTOR newsletter! We have now recruited over 690 patients to the study and would like to thank all those involved to date. Total recruitment currently stands at **691 patients**.

PROTECTOR is registered with the **NIHR Associate PI Scheme**. Information about the scheme and registration can be found in the attached presentation, please consider signing up!

A special thank you to the teams at **Belfast** and **Royal Cornwall** who have performed particularly well recently and to the team at **Swansea** who have recruited their first participant this month. Treats are on their way to you!

We wish a warm welcome to all staff that have joined the PROTECTOR team recently, in particular the team at **St James's University Hospital** in Leeds, which has recently opened for recruitment. PROTECTOR is now active at **40 sites**.

Site	Recruitment
Barts Health NHS Trust	88
Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust	56
St George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	47
Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	46
University College London Hospital Foundation Trust	40
Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust	39
Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust	34
Worcestershire Acute Hospital Trust	34
Brighton and Sussex University Hospitals NHS Trust	33
University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust	28
Cardiff and Vale NHS Trust	21
Ninewells Hospital, NHS Tayside	17
Portsmouth Hospitals NHS Trust	17
Liverpool Women's Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	17
Norfolk and Norwich University Hospitals	16
Belfast Health & Social Care Trust	16
Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust	14
Northampton General Hospitals NHS Trust	14
Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust	14
University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust	12
Aberdeen Royal Infirmary, NHS Grampian	11
Royal Devon & Exeter NHS Foundation Trust	11
County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust	9
East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust	9
North Tees and Hartlepool NHS Foundation Trust	8
University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust	7
Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust	7
East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	6
Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust	5
Ysbyty Gwynedd Hospital, Betsi Cadwaladr UHB	4
Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, NHS Lothian	3
Newcastle upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	2
Royal United Hospitals Bath NHS Foundation Trust	2
Northwick Park and St Mark's Hospitals	1
South Tyneside and Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust	1
South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	1
Swansea Bay University Local Health Board	1
NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde	0
University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust	0
Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	0

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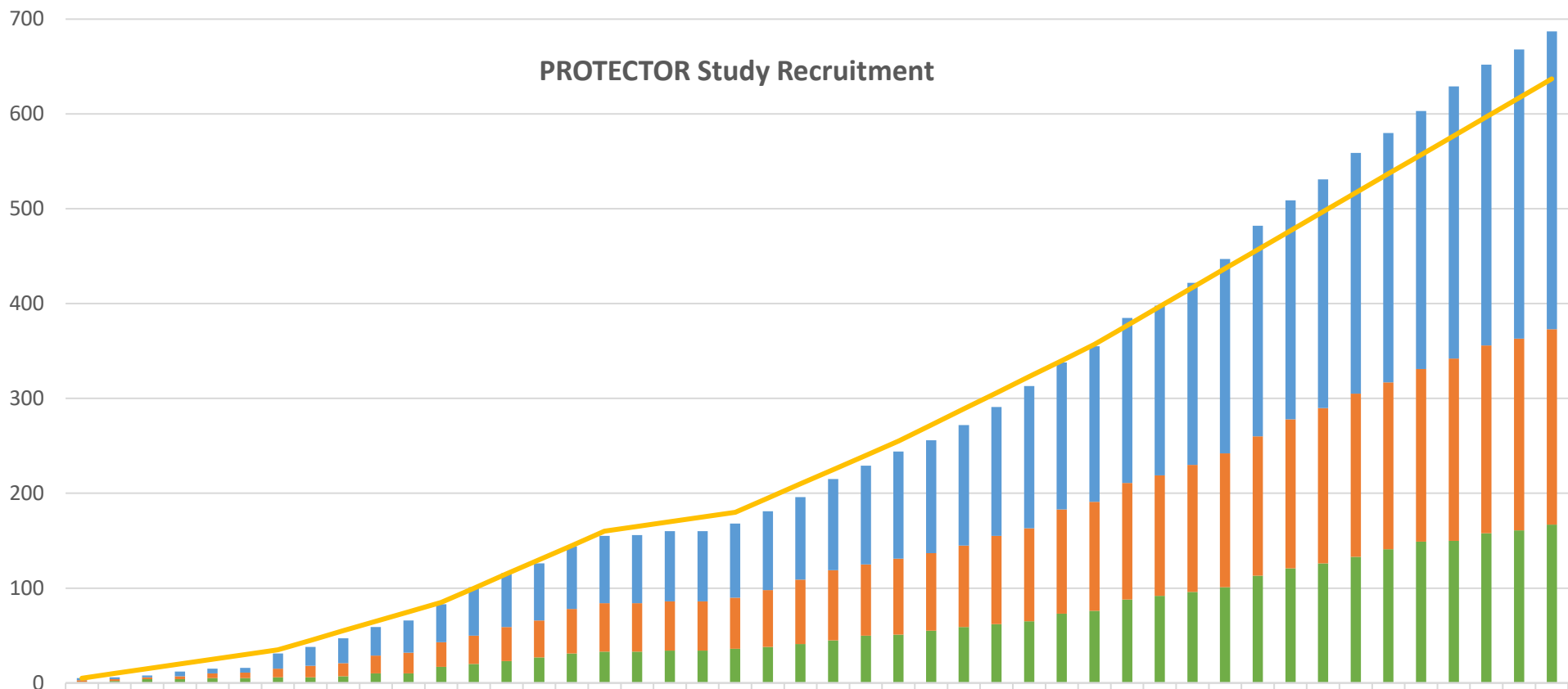
- Please save the date for our Collaborators' Meeting at Charterhouse Square on **18th April 2023!**
- The PROTECTOR study is open to BRCA1, BRCA2, RAD51C, RAD51D, BRIP1, and PALB2 mutation carriers.
- Notify us when a participant's **surgery** is scheduled or has happened.
- Per the new SOP, please post histopathology and cytology slides and blocks to the **PROTECTOR team** following local pathology review. **Please notify us when slides are on the way and ensure slides are sent in a timely manner.**
- You can contact the PROTECTOR team at bciprotector@qmul.ac.uk. Please do not send any patient identifiable information to this email. If you need to send us identifiable information, use our NHS email: protector.study@nhs.net.
- Please keep the study database up-to-date. Patient postal addresses on the Registration form should be current so questionnaires reach them. The baseline investigations and hormonal profile forms are important to determine eligibility. <https://trials.ecmc.qmul.ac.uk/protector>
- Completed **Baseline questionnaires** should be posted to the below address at the earliest convenience. Prepaid envelopes can be requested.
PROTECTOR Study Research Team
Barts Cancer Institute, CECM
Charterhouse Square, London EC1M 6BQ
- A reminder to **please complete Baseline questionnaires in clinic** wherever possible and to contact patients whose **Baseline is outstanding**.

Study website: protector.org.uk

Twitter: [@PROTECTOR_QMUL](https://twitter.com/PROTECTOR_QMUL)

PROTECTOR Study Recruitment

Number of Participants



	Nov-18	Dec-18	Jan-19	Feb-19	Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	Dec-21	Jan-22	Feb-22	Mar-22	Apr-22	May-22	Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22
Cumulative RRESDO	2	2	2	5	5	5	16	20	26	30	34	40	51	57	60	66	71	72	74	74	78	83	87	96	104	113	119	127	136	150	155	164	174	179	192	205	222	231	241	254	263	272	287	296	305	314
Cumulative RRSO	2	2	2	3	5	6	9	12	14	19	22	26	30	36	39	47	51	51	52	52	54	60	68	74	75	80	82	86	93	98	110	115	123	127	134	141	147	157	164	172	176	182	192	198	202	206
Cumulative Control	1	2	4	4	5	5	6	6	7	10	10	17	20	23	27	31	33	33	34	34	36	38	41	45	50	51	55	59	62	65	73	76	88	92	96	101	113	121	126	133	141	149	150	158	161	167
Total cumulative	5	6	8	12	15	16	31	38	47	59	66	83	101	116	126	144	155	156	160	160	168	181	196	215	229	244	256	272	291	313	338	355	385	398	422	447	482	510	532	560	581	604	630	653	670	691
Target cumulative	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	45	55	65	75	85	100	115	130	145	160	165	170	175	180	195	210	225	240	255	272	289	306	323	340	357	377	397	417	437	457	477	497	517	537	557	577	597	617	637