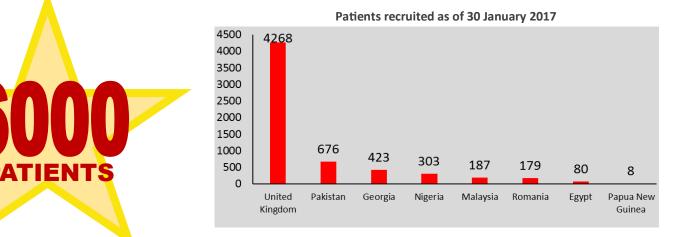
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Congratulations and a huge **Thank You** to all our collaborators for randomising over **6000** patients!



"With more than 6,000 patients recruited, I am very proud to be part of this global team of collaborators! The first patient in Pakistan was randomised in March 2016, and since then, 676 patients have been recruited in 14 hospitals. We are very happy to have so many sites recruiting, with many more in the process of coming on board. This trial is particularly important in Pakistan, as many of our patients have variceal bleeding, commonly caused by Hepatitis C induced Cirrhosis. HALT-IT needs about 2,000 patients to reach the 8,000 target. In HALT-IT's final year, I encourage all sites to do their best to recruit all of their patients with significant GI bleeding. The results of this trial will benefit not only our patients, but all patients worldwide with GI haemorrhage".

Professor Muttiullah Khan Head of Department at Unit II Holy Family Hospital Rawalpindi National Coordinator in Pakistan



TALK TO US

On our upcoming spring Newsletter we want to hear from you, we want YOU to feature & have YOUR say in HALT-IT.

We want all our collaborators to contribute, please send:

- Photos of the team
- •What makes the trial interesting & important for you?

•Share tips & comments about what makes the trial work in your hospital !!

Sharing is caring & together we can make a difference!

Please remember

To focus recruitment on patients with severe bleeds including those with shock, hypotension, tachycardia, in need of transfusion, endoscopy or surgery. Please DON'T randomise patients with small bleeds, or those who have stopped bleeding.

Drug Accountability Logs

THANK YOU FOR SENDING US YOUR COMPLETED DALS!

We're delighted to be receiving your DALs soon after you complete a box. This good practice is essential to accurately account for every pack you use. Keep up the good work team!!!

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