

62 Participants are now enrolled!



GP PRACTICES

- Bristol**
- Shirehampton Group Medical Practice
 - Mendip Vale Medical Practice
 - Pioneer Medical Group
 - Montpelier Health Centre
 - Clevedon Medical Centre
 - Horfield Health Centre

- Southampton**
- Westlands Medical Centre
 - Liphook & Liss surgeries
 - Wareham Surgery
 - Swanage Medical Centre
 - Wellbridge Practice
 - The Bosmere Medical Practice
 - Adam Practice

- Nottingham**
- Elmswood Surgery
 - Leen View Surgery
 - The Family Medical Practice
 - Riverlyn Medical Centre
 - Parkside Medical Practice
 - Rise Park Surgery
 - Fairfields Practice
- Lincolnshire**
- Birchwood Medical Practice
 - Nettleham Medical Practice
 - Lindum Medical Practice



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Happy Easter to all participants of the BEE Study



Welcome to your BEE study newsletter where we keep all participants updated with news, information and progress of the study

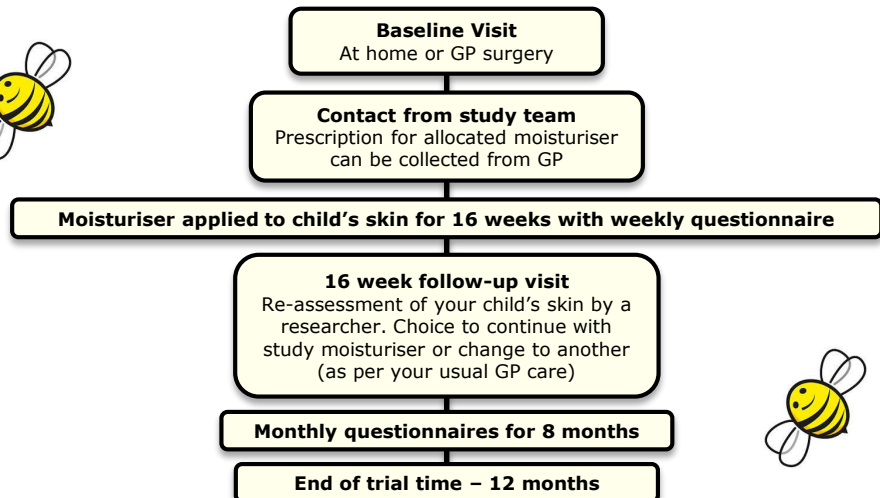


Benefits of the Study

Moisturisers are considered important in eczema treatment, but there is unreliable information about how well they work, and whether one moisturiser works better or they all work as well as each other.

We hope results from the BEE study will help us answer this question and provide information to you and your GPs about which moisturisers work better in treating children's eczema.

Recruitment Update





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Meet the BEE team: Dr Eileen Sutton



Senior Qualitative Research Associate
& Trial Coordinator



My role involves helping with trial coordination - including randomising patients to their allocated moisturisers. I am also visiting families in their homes, or speaking with them by telephone, to find out more about their experiences of using different treatments for eczema and how they are getting on with their study moisturiser. The information that they provide will help us to understand more about what it is like for families who are living with eczema and will add to the data that we are collecting in the study surveys.

Away from the University I like spending time on my allotment and watching Bristol Rovers, and I am a Trustee of the Wellspring Healthy Living Centre.

Things to Remember.....

- ✓ Keep filling in your weekly questionnaires. Your information is so important to us!
- ✓ We'd like you to use your study moisturiser for 16 weeks.
- ✓ If you experience a problem with the study moisturiser, get in touch with your child's usual GP to discuss this.
- ✓ If you do need to change your study moisturiser, when filling in 'Use of Treatments' section of the weekly questionnaire, please answer question 1.2 instead of 1.1.

1.1) Over the last week, on which days has your study moisturiser been applied to your child's skin? (As best as you can remember)

Day of week used	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Did not use
Study moisturiser	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 7	<input type="checkbox"/> 0

1.2) Over the last week, has any other moisturiser been applied to your child's skin?

0 No - go to next page
1 Yes - please tell us what and on which days (As best as you can remember):

		Day of week used						Did not use	
	Type of moisturiser	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	not use

- ✓ Please note these questions in your questionnaires **only** relate to leave on moisturisers and not those used in the bath/washing or use of steroids.
- ✓ Some members of our team cannot know which moisturiser you are using (we call this "blinded"). If you are ever unsure, please ask before discussing your moisturiser.

The BEE study needs you!

We are looking for children/families who may be willing to be involved in BEE publicity (e.g. on the website, newsletter etc) to let potential new participants know what it's like to take part! If you are interested, please contact Sian Wells at bee-study@bristol.ac.uk

A great big THANK YOU to our participants and all involved for your continued participation and support of the BEE study