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EuroSIDA Newsletter

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The new EuroSIDA cohort

Seventy-two EuroSIDA centres have expressed interest in including HIV/HCV co-infected patients into the new EuroSIDA Cohort 10. In addition, we are happy to welcome two new EuroSIDA sites, Poznan in Poland and Tbilisi in Georgia.

Ethical approval has so far been obtained by 36 centres, which are hereby ready to enrol patients. Enrolment of the targeted number of patients should be completed within three months. Patients who are already in EuroSIDA cannot be enrolled into the new cohort.

It's our experience that many centres fill out the case-report forms in batches, but for the coordinating centre at CHIP to be able to monitor the progress of enrolment, we encourage you to complete at least section A (demography and HIV status) of the enrolment forms shortly after the informed consent has been obtained.

If you have any questions regarding enrolment or completion of the case-report forms in REDCap, please send a mail to Lars Peters, lars.peters@regionh.dk

EuroSIDA investigator meeting In Glasgow

EuroSIDA has planned an **investigator meeting at the HIV drug therapy 2014** conference in Glasgow. The meeting will take place on **Wednesday 5th November 12.00-13.00.** Focus will be on the new cohort. IT will be represented to clarify any questions regarding the new electronic CRF system, REDCap.

PUBLICATIONS

Publications since last newsletter

A survey of ATRIPLA use in clinical practice as first-line therapy in HIV-positive persons in Europe. Mocroft A, Reiss P, Rakhmanova A, Banhegyi D, Phillips AN, De Wit S, Ristola M, Lundgren JD, Grarup J, Kirk O; for EuroSIDA in EuroCOORD. Infection, 2014 Aug;42(4):757-62.

Deteriorating renal function and clinical outcomes in HIV-positive persons. Mocroft A, Ryom L, Begovac J, Monforte AD, Vassilenko A, Gatell J, Florence E, Ormaasen V, Kirk O, Lundgren

Dataset 40

The deadline for returning dataset 40 is 1st August 2014. If you have trouble meeting the deadline, please write us an email!

Reimbursement of all follow-up forms is every year in October.

New e-mail addresses

Please note that we have changed email addresses. You can reach us at <u>EuroSIDA.rigshospitalet@regionh.dk</u>. Emails sent to our old addresses will be forwarded.

New collaborating partners?

Kindly inform us if there are changes to the study group, principle investigators or other collaborating partners. Also, please inform us if there are changes to contact details so that we can keep our database up to date.

Update from EuroCoord

Please find the latest from EuroCoord at: newsletter at www.eurocoord.net



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