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1000 patients by July 2018 – YES WE CAN !!!

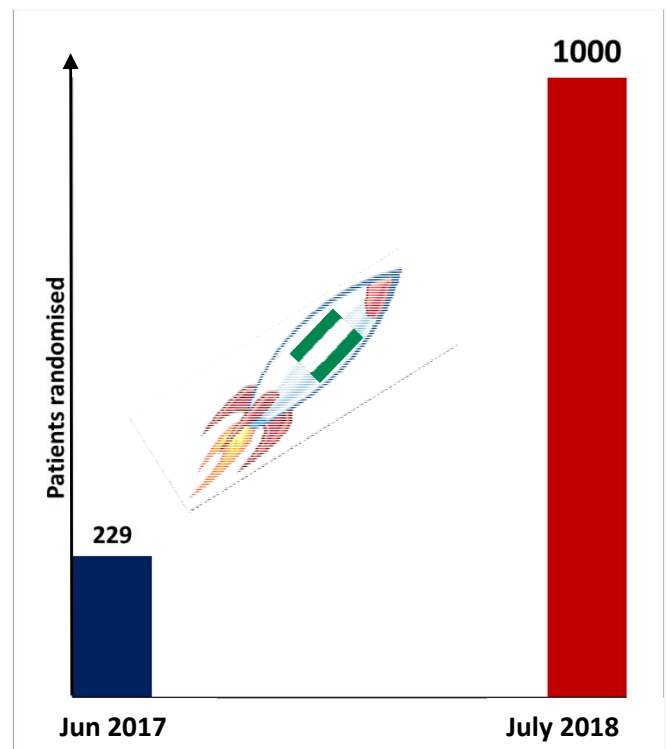


Dear Colleagues, it was wonderful seeing you all at the CRASH-3 Nigeria meeting in Ibadan. We left the meeting with the promise of a thousand Nigerian patients recruited by the end of the trial next year.

We heard from Professor Malomo and Professor Shokunbi about the burden of Traumatic Brain Injury in Nigeria and the devastating impact this has on families, the doctors and nurses who have to treat them and to the nation as a whole .

Present at the meeting were the leaders of trauma care and neurosurgery in Nigeria. Working together we hope to get a good result that will change medical care world-wide.

Our Recruitment Mission



If there is any thing we can do to help, please contact us:

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CRASH- 3 NIGERIA COLLABORATORS MEETING – JUNE 2017



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“I am absolutely sure that the main reason why the Nigerian CRASH-3 collaborators are prepared to take on the extra work of participating in the trial is that they want to improve outcomes for patients with brain injury. CRASH-1 is the largest trial in traumatic brain injury to date. CRASH-3 will be even larger!”



(Haleema Shakur, Trial Director)



CRASH- 3 NIGERIA COLLABORATORS DINNER – JUNE 2017



**We win because we work
and play together 😊**

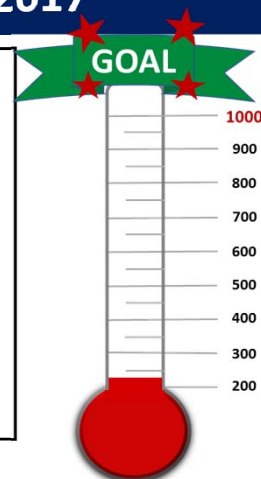


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CRASH-3 NIGERIA STATUS REPORT – SEPTEMBER 2017

The CRASH-3 Nigeria meeting in Ibadan was a great success! It was fantastic having teams from across the country coming together to figure out the best ways to ensure that we meet our goal of randomising 1000 CRASH-3 Nigeria patients by the end of the year. We will circulate the Ibadan Declaration (which is a summary of points agreed at the meeting) shortly. In the meantime below are some of your ideas on how to ensure that every hospital in Nigeria randomises patients into the trial every week:

- Make randomising a patient part of the standard protocol in your accident and emergency/ trauma units.
- Build a strong team that includes all relevant persons at your hospital.
- Hold regular refresher sessions with your team to ensure that they understand the importance of the trial and that they are confident carrying out their roles.
- Inform the coordinating centre of other motivated colleagues who would like to start the trial at their hospitals.



Recruitment in CRASH-3 Nigeria Sites

Site	Principal Investigator	A&E Lead	Recruitment to date	Last recruited	Recruitment since June 2017
Abubakar Tafawa Balewa UTH	Dr Azeez Tella	Dr Chime Obodozie	6	18/09/2017	6
Bowen UTH	Dr Adewumi Durodola	Dr Isaac Amole	11	03/08/2017	3
FMC Abeokuta	Dr Fidelis Ojebunu	Dr Fidelis E Ojebunu	24	30/06/2017	2
FMC Bida	Dr John Adeniran	Dr John James Adeniran	7	14/07/2017	1
FMC Lokoja	Dr Ukpong Udoffa	Dr Kamardeen Ibrahim	6	31/08/2017	3
FMC Umuahia	Dr Uchechi Ekpemiro	Dr. Nnamdi Ezekiel Ojima Dr Andrew Okomayin	3	26/01/2017	0
Irrua Specialist TH	Dr Andrew Dongo	Ms Nancy Ukwu	5	01/09/2017	5
Jos UTH	Dr Danaan Shilong	TBC	6	15/01/2016	0
Lagos State A&E Centre	Dr Olawale Adegbite	Dr Adeolu Arogundade	Awaiting NAFDAC approval		
Lagos UTH	Dr Femi Bankole	Dr Henry Akujobi	52	29/08/2017	4
National Hospital Abuja	Dr Olaomi Oluwole	Dr. Apollo Kanati Dennis	28	23/08/2017	12
Obafemi Awolowo UTH	Dr Edward Komolafe	Prof. Lawrence Akinyoola	23	29/08/2017	2
Olabisi Onabanjo UTH	Prof. Lateef Thanni	Prof. Lateef Thanni	35	06/08/2017	1
Ondo State Trauma and Surgical Centre	Dr Temiloluwa Olufemi	Dr Adesunloro (Head of A&E)	Awaiting first patient		
State Hospital, Ijaiye, Abeokuta	Dr Nafiu Aigoro	Dr Mazeed Oloko	6	18/07/2017	2
UCH, Ibadan	Prof. Adefolarin Malomo	Dr Adewale Ismail Badru	32	02/07/2017	2
University of Benin TH	Dr Abiodun Azeez	Dr Peter Agbonrofo	6	30/08/2017	2
University of Nigeria TH Enugu	Dr Wilfred Mezue	Dr Mark Chikani	7	16/09/2016	0
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