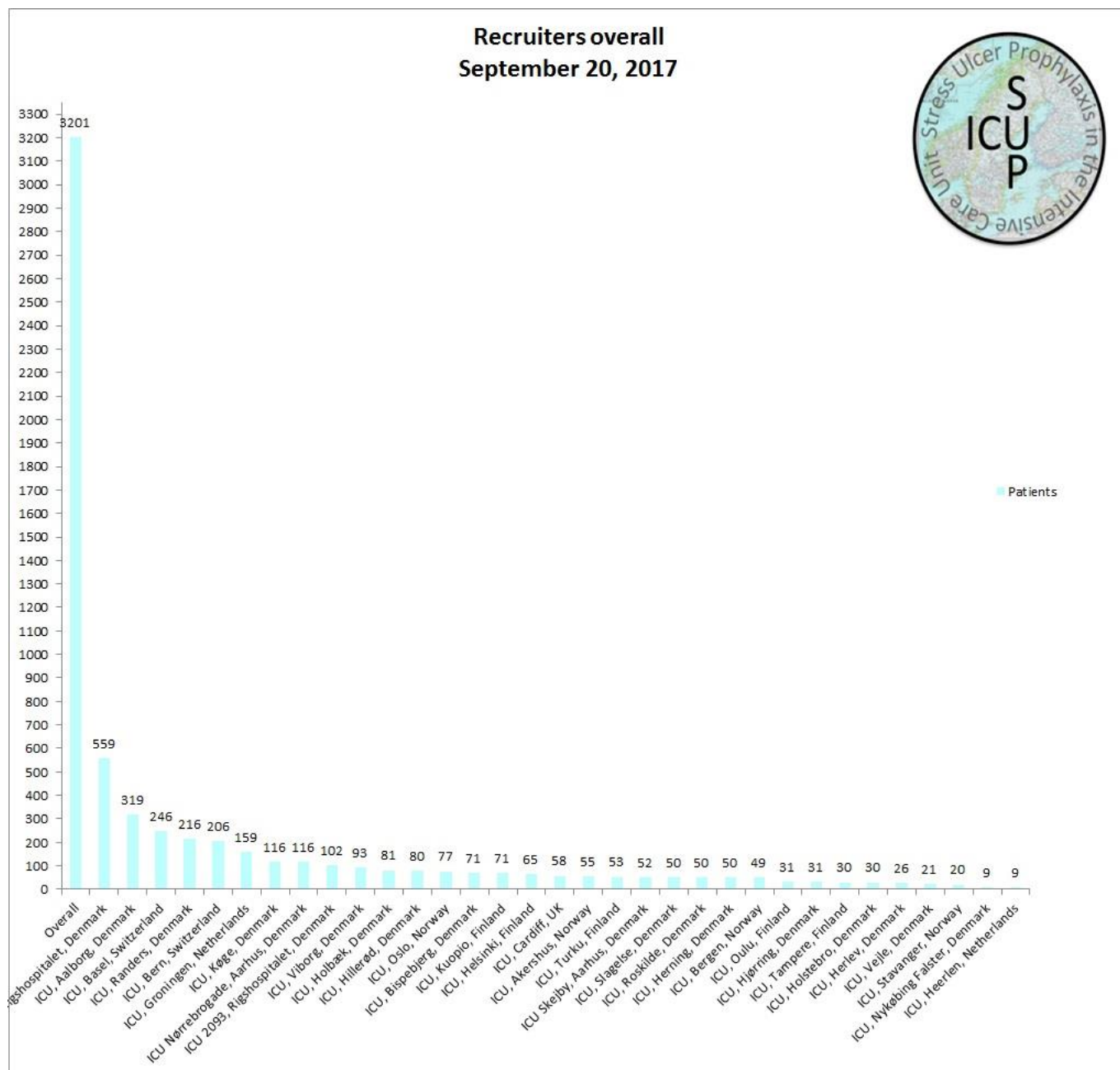




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SUP-ICU Newsletter – September 2017



Thank you for your great commitment to the SUP-ICU trial.

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Status

Since the previous newsletter more than 182 patients have been randomised, and we have now randomised 3203 patients (95%). Thirty-one sites in six countries are active at present.

You can follow the inclusion and the number of active trial sites at www.sup-icu.com (press F5 to refresh the page and get the updated status).

Site changes

- *Nykøbing Falster Hospital (DK) and Roskilde Hospital (DK) are no longer active in the trial.*
- *Bergen and Stavanger are no longer randomising new patients, due to limited trial medication*
- *Groningen and Heerlen will not be randomising new patients after October 1st, due to limited trial medication*

Monthly top recruiters

Top 5 overall recruiters in August were:

1. (Rigshospitalet 4131) (30)
2. Aalborg (17)
3. Cardiff (15)
4. Aarhus NBG (14)
5. Bern (10) and Basel (10)

Congratulations to Aalborg for finishing as monthly top recruiter in August!

Cardiff, Aarhus NBG, Bern and Basel continue to randomise patients at a steady state.

Weekly top recruiters

There will be a weekly top recruiter prize until the end of the trial

Congratulations to the winners so far!

Week 34 – Cardiff (UK)

Week 35 – Viborg (DK)

Week 36 – Basel (CH)

Week 37 – Aarhus NBG (DK)

Important information

- **The majority of trial medication will expire end of november 2017. A minor part, however, is due one more month and will expire end of december, 2017. Accordingly we need to randomise the last patient as close as possible to October 1st, 2017, to maximize the number of days of possible follow-up with IMP. Please note that the trial will continue until 3350 patients have been randomised.**
- The re-distribution of IMP with the longest due date among active sites are ongoing. We are well aware that this mandates a big effort on you to re-pack and help shipping trial medication between sites. We are very grateful for the work you put into this, as this is absolutely needed to finish the trial properly.

Other

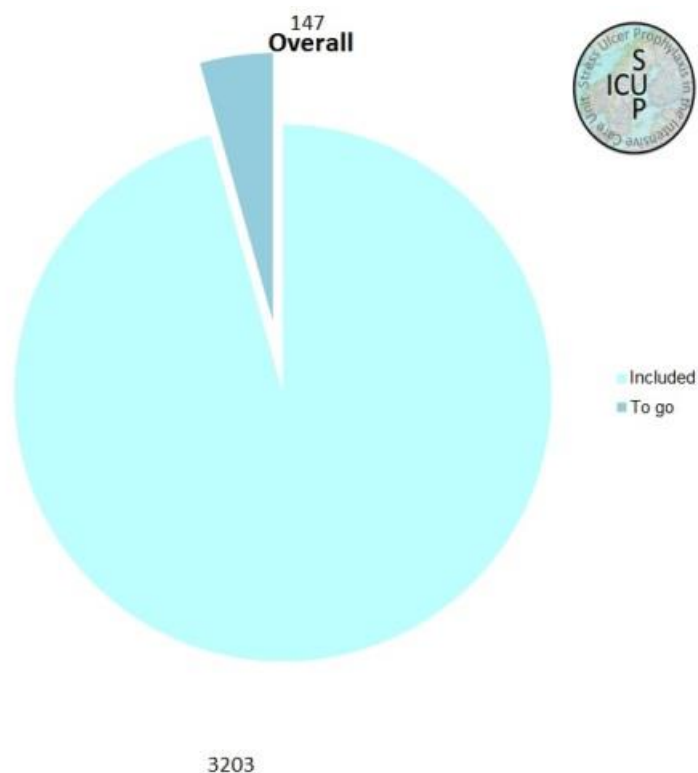
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- Thank you very much for your commitment; keep up the good work – less than 5% to go!

SUP-ICU hotline

If you have any questions please send us an email (soeren.marker.jensen.01@regionh.dk) or contact the SUP-ICU hotline 24/7 (+45 3545 7450). If no one answers the phone, please **leave a message and your phone number** and we will call you back as soon as possible.

Please continue your great work in this final stretch of the SUP-ICU trial and help us include the remaining patients as soon as possible! – We are almost there!



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Best regards

Søren, Anders, Carl and Morten