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HOT-COVID newsletter – March 2021



Dear friends and colleagues
 Happy Easter 😊 We hope you are all doing well.

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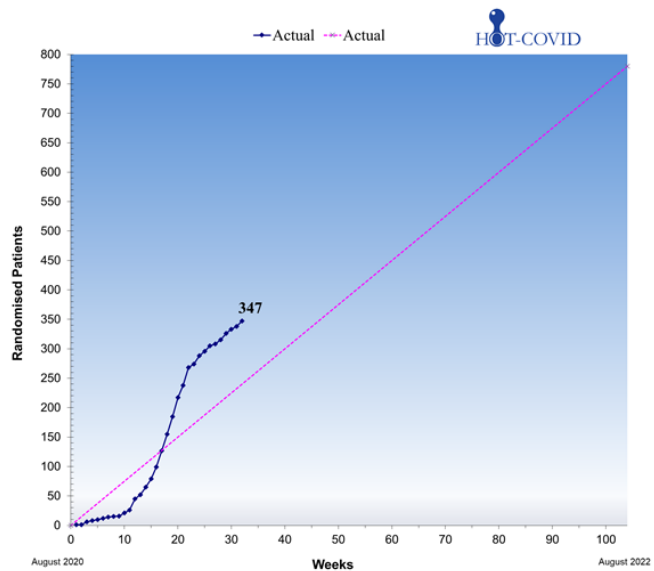
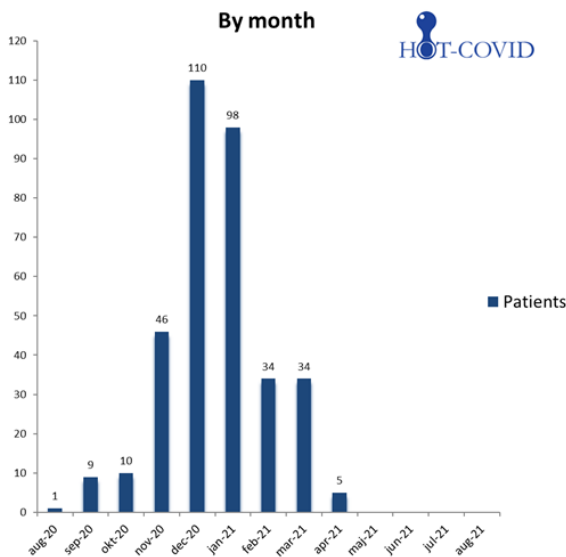
Randers Hospital, Denmark has been successfully included into the trial and should soon be able to begin randomizing patients.

Oslo University Hospital, Rikshospitalet, Norway has randomized their first patients.

Recruitment

Currently 348 patients have been included.

Despite dwindling numbers of Covid-19 admissions in March, a stable recruitment rate is still observed across most participating sites. We would like to thank and applaud all sites for their diligence in this aspect.



Top recruiters in March 2021

1. Herlev and Kolding, both with 7 included
2. Aalborg (6)
3. Basel (5)

Congratulations to all sites!

Things to highlight:

1. Please strive to screen all patients fulfilling the inclusion criteria as soon as possible after ICU admission
2. Please ensure that the specific e-mail notifications of major protocol violations are handled to secure adherence to protocol for all patients
3. **Only for Danish sites:** Translations of the written information for participant are now available in English, Russian, Romanian, Polish and Arabic. More translations will follow shortly.

HOT-COVID hotline

If you have any questions do not hesitate to send an e-mail to hot-covid@cric.nu -or to contact the HOT-COVID hotline (+45 2118 2543). Please **leave a message and your phone number if the call is not answered** and we will call you back as soon as possible.

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Kindest regards

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