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HOT-COVID newsletter – September 2021



Dear friends and colleagues

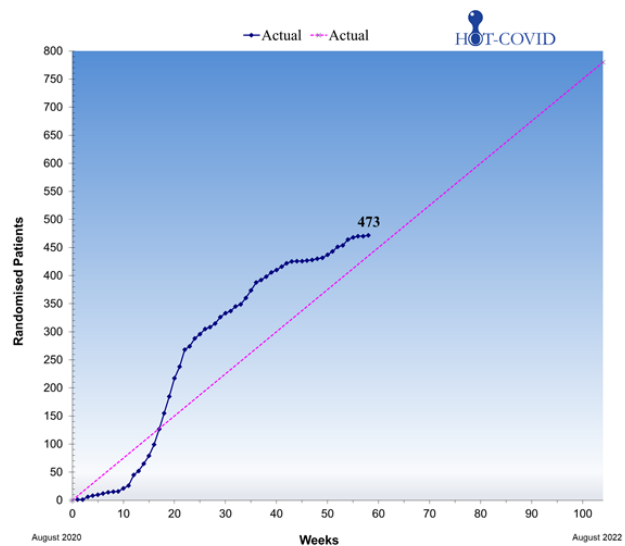
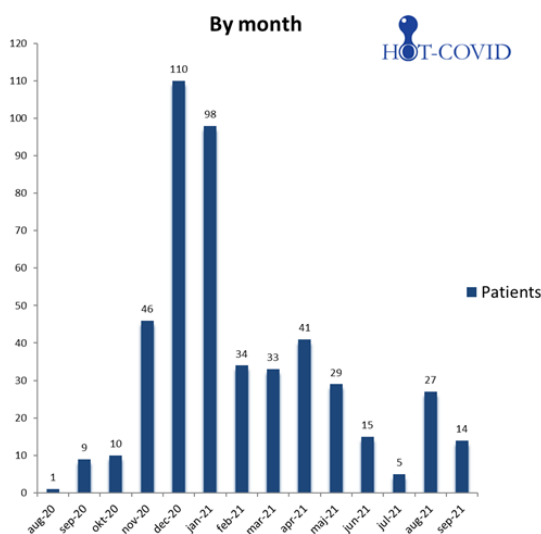
Status

We have received the evaluation of the interim analysis from the DMSC. Based on their recommendation the HOT-COVID trial will continue with the goal of randomizing the planned 780 patients.

Recruitment

Currently 474 patients have been randomised into the trial.

In September we have seen low recruitment rates across most sites reflecting the current status of the pandemic. A sincere thank you to all sites for your continued efforts in screening and randomising patients into the trial.



Top recruiters in September 2021

1. Basel (6)
2. Aalborg (4)
3. Køge (2)

Congratulations to all sites!

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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, Arabic and Spanish. Please contact us if in need.

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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