



Updates

A huge thank you to site teams for the hard work getting the study set up - we're now recruiting at **73 Trusts/Boards across the UK (>115 individual Hospitals).**

Since the last newsletter was published, we have been joined by:

- Sandwell and West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust
- South Tyneside and Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust

We have several Trusts who are close behind and the following will be joining soon:

- University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust
- Swansea Bay University Health Board

SIGNET Recruitment



Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the SIGNET team!

Different Ways to Introduce SIGNET

During November we ran a couple of feedback sessions with the NHSBT Specialist Nurses in Organ Donation and Specialist Requesters. Here are some of the ways that the nurses introduce SIGNET as part of the organ donation conversation.

1

MEDICAL AND SOCIAL HISTORY

"When you get to the question 'Did your relative ever take regular medications?', I would introduce SIGNET at this point. If the patient is already on a Statin, it's really easy to explain and the families may support it if they know that their relative has already been on this in the past." - **Andrew**

2

DONOR MANAGEMENT

If you're discussing the medications that will be given to support the donor, you can introduce SIGNET at this point of the conversation.

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AS THE FIRST RESEARCH QUESTION

As SIGNET is a simple intervention, you can talk about it first in the research conversation and then move onto more complicated research projects like QUOD and INOAR. Remember that the hospitals where QUOD takes place are not the same as where SIGNET can take place - check DAT3936 for the open SIGNET sites.



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