

RECOVERY-EU NEWSLETTER #1

Dear RECOVERY Investigators,

We are proud to share the very first edition of the RECOVERY-EU newsletter. In this newsletter you will find the current country status, milestones and operational updates. As we are slowly heading towards summer, we expect recruitment to slow down. We still encourage you to continue your recruitment efforts.

RECOVERY Background

2024 sees the opening of the first RECOVERY sites in the EU, but the trial started over four years ago in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. In early 2020 RECOVERY opened at >170 hospitals in the UK, and then expanded to other countries, now with sites in Nepal, India, Vietnam, Indonesia, South Africa and Ghana. It has recruited over 49,000 participants, and tested fifteen COVID-19 treatments, several of which were found to be life-saving, such as dexamethasone.

The international collaboration continues to expand with the inclusion of EU sites, which will allow RECOVERY to produce clear results for the patients hospitalised with influenza and CAP, in the same way that it has done for COVID-19.



First patient in

We are very happy with the hard work and team efforts of all the sites and are pleased to announce that the **first patient** was enrolled on **22 March 2024**. We would like to congratulate Dr. Delphine Douillet and the study team of CHU Angers with the milestone of being the first activated site and randomizing the first patient!

EU Expansion

Exciting News! Our Sponsor, the University of Oxford, has confirmed their interest to expand RECOVERY in EU with 50 additional sites. In the upcoming months, Ecraid will look for the new upcoming sites/countries to add them to the RECOVERY EU network. If you are aware of interested hospitals/ colleagues, please let us know.

General update

- **Baloxavir** will be introduced later this year as a **new treatment group for Influenza** in RECOVERY EU.
- All up-to-date ISF templates can be found on the [Files – SURFdrive](#).
- The [RECOVERY EU page](#) is now available on the RECOVERY website in all local languages. Check it out for complete and up-to-date information on the trial documents, such as training materials, regulatory documents and FAQs.

Country Updates and Milestones

France

6/9 active sites

- ✓ 6 SIVs have been completed
- ✓ First activated site: CHU Angers
- ✓ First patient in: 22-Mar-2024

Italy

0/6 active sites

- ✓ 2 SIVs have been completed
 - Awaiting first site activation
 - ❖ 3 sites to be added in next CTIS submission

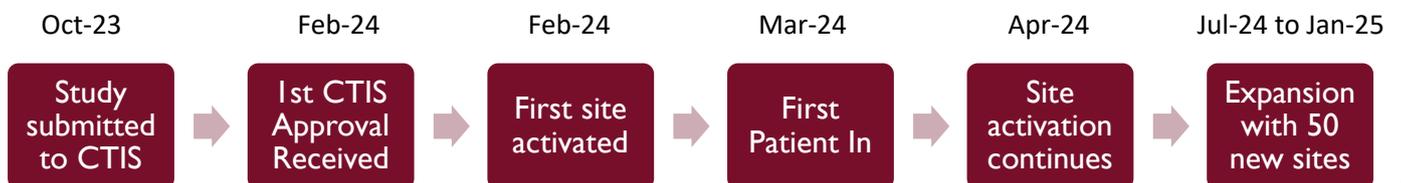
The Netherlands

1/4 active sites

- ✓ 2 SIVs completed
- ✓ First activated site: Jeroen Bosch Ziekenhuis
- ✓ First patient in: 29-May-2024
- ❖ 1 site to be added in next CTIS submission

Timeline

Below is the current timeline of the study:



Message to investigators

Your Feedback is important

We always strive to improve data quality. We invite and encourage you to provide feedback on RECOVERY eCRF systems – OpenClinica and Randomisation system. Your valuable insights can contribute to make the system more secure, user friendly and efficient.

Preparations for Activation

We encourage you to be ready for the site activation & recruitment once the SIV is concluded.

- review the trainings available on the website,
- identify the site staff,
- discuss the recruitment strategy and collaborate with other internal departments for quick patient identification, and,
- keep essential start-up documents complete.

Please reach out to your local CRA and/or respective Jr. project manager if you have any questions.

Thank you and your team for your hard work!