

NIHR Patient Engagement in Clinical Development Service: Opportunity to shape the design of a clinical trial in Lymphoma

[The National Institute for Health Research Clinical Research Network](#) is pleased to share an opportunity to be involved in the design of a commercial trial to determine if a new drug is safe and effective in the treatment of relapsed/refractory Diffuse large B-Cell Lymphoma, and participate in an online insight session. By sharing your thoughts we hope to ensure that this and future trials are designed with patients and for patients. We want to make trials as accessible as possible for everyone.

Am I eligible to participate?

The NIHR is looking for up to 6 adult individuals with direct experience of relapsed/refractory Diffuse large B-Cell Lymphoma (although not newly diagnosed or in the first line of treatment) to participate in this opportunity, who would be willing attend an insight session online.

You will need to be able to join an online insight session via an online platform like Zoom.

Prescribing clinicians are not permitted to participate for regulatory reasons. If you are a prescribing clinician and are unsure please get in touch to discuss this.

How long will it take?

The online insight session will be held for up to two hours. We are sensitive to availability and therefore will be as flexible as possible.

Will I get paid?

The NIHR, on behalf of the life science company, will reimburse you £100 for your participation in the online session. Please also review the NIHR's guidance on payment [here](#).

What's the NIHR Patient Engagement in Clinical Development Service?

The NIHR Patient Engagement in Clinical Development Service is designed to enable the Life Science Industry to engage with individuals such as yourself, to ensure that trials can be co-designed with individuals most likely to be impacted by them, to ensure that the objectives of the trial align with those of

the patient community and that these are as easy to join and complete as they can possibly be.

You can find out more about this service at the following:

[Information Sheet for Patients](#)

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Are these commercial trials? What does this mean? Will they be able to access my information?

These are clinical trials created by and funded by a commercial sponsor (the company). They will be hoping to deliver these clinical trials with the NHS.

As the information at this stage is sensitive we can't share with you the company name but if you agree to participate we will be able to share this with you.

As the service is being facilitated by the NIHR we will not be sharing your details with the company, this will be managed by the NIHR.

You can find additional information about this in the [Information Sheet for Patients](#).

What Information will the NIHR need about me?

To ensure we're engaging with as diverse a demographic of people as possible we'd ask you to share with us your name, age, experiences of your condition (either as a patient or a carer), if you've participated in clinical trials previously or similar initiatives.

What happens afterward?

Once the review has been completed the NIHR will arrange to reimburse you for your time and efforts. After your feedback has been digested and potential changes made to the clinical trial design, a report will be shared with you highlighting the impact that your shared insights have had.

I'd like to be involved, how do I found out more?

If you'd like to register your interest in participating in this opportunity or simply if you have any questions in relation to this please contact:

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