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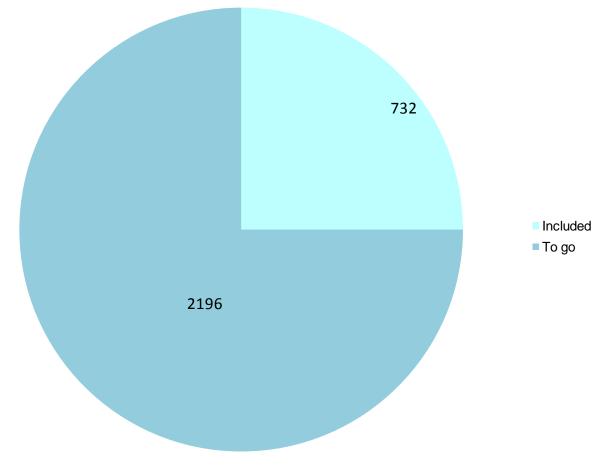
HOT-ICU newsletter – July 2018

Thank you very much for your great engagement in the HOT-ICU trial.

Status

We have now randomised a quarter of the planned 2928 patients in the HOT-ICU trial. Congratulations on this to you all and thank you for your effort so far. Furthermore, the first patient in Aalborg has reached one-year follow-up.

We are actively recruiting at twenty-three sites now in five countries and have randomised 732 patients in total. Several additional sites are getting ready to start and we are looking forward to their participation.



HOT-ICU overall inclusion

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Top recruiters

Top five recruiters in June were

- 1. Aalborg (14)
- 2. Bispebjerg (12)
- 3. Hillerød (10)
- 4. Hvidovre (9)
- 5. Køge (7)

Congratulation to you all.

A few things to highlight:

- 1. Please include all patients as soon as possible after they fulfil the inclusion criteria
- 2. Please ensure that the specific e-mail notifications of major protocol violations are handled and possible misinterpretations are corrected to secure adherence to the protocol
- 3. Due to summer holidays, the case-money settlements of the present quarter will not be distributed until the end of July/start of August

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to send an e-mail to <u>hot-icu@cric.nu</u> or to contact the HOT-ICU 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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We wish you all a nice summer and hope that inclusion rates will remain high albeit vacation

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