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HOT-COVID newsletter – October 2021



Dear friends and colleagues

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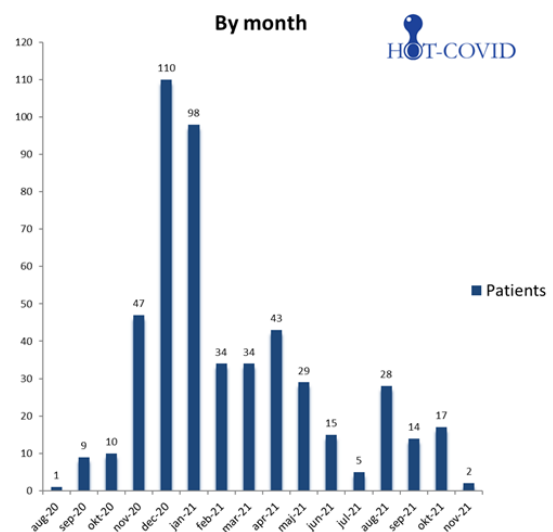
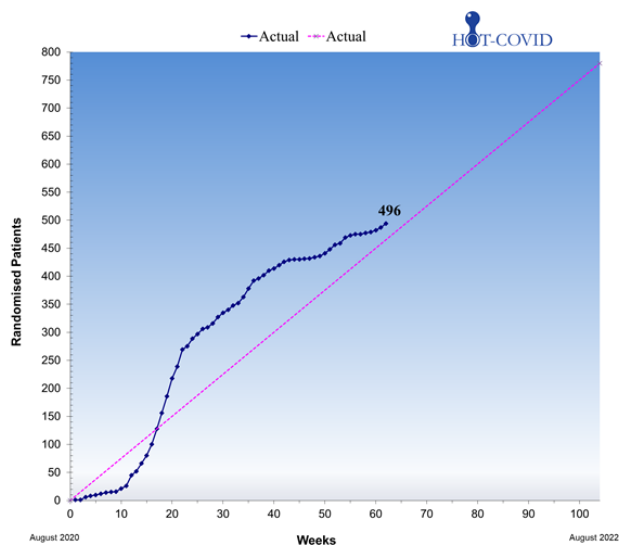
The number of COVID-19 cases has increased notably within the last weeks in all participating countries. How this will translate into numbers of patients admitted to an ICU with severe COVID-19 is yet to be seen, but we implore all participating sites to keep up the excellent work and screen all relevant patients.

Recruitment

Currently 496 patients have been randomised into the trial.

We would like to acknowledge Randers for randomising their first patient.

A sincere thanks to all sites for your continued efforts in screening and randomising patients into the trial.



Top recruiters in October 2021

1. Aalborg (7)
2. Hillerød (4)
3. Basel (3)

Congratulations to all sites!

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

Frederik, Thomas, Olav and Bodil

