

National Recruitment Total = 460, final target is 1200 patients



And the Golden inhaler award... goes to **Aberdeen**



Aberdeen began recruiting in February 2009 & consistently appear in the recruitment league table, often meeting or exceeding their recruitment target. They have done particularly well since re-launch in June. Keep up the good work!

Spotlight on.... Peak Flow

- PEFR overall completion rates are a little low at 75%
- This can only be measured whilst the patient is in the ED, so think PEFR!

GCP Training on CEM website

- There is currently a problem printing certificates from CEM website when GCP training is complete, CEM are trying to fix this
- In the meantime, please let your Research Nurse know if you complete the training but can't get a certificate.

SEPTEMBER RECRUITMENT LEAGUE TABLE

Month Total = 39 (sites only listed if they have recruited in the past month)

A personal best and study record monthly recruitment at Edinburgh!

Well done to Plymouth, Crosshouse and Derby who all also achieved PBs for monthly recruitment and recruited over target!

Site	Number Recruited in Sept	PI	Research Nurse	Monthly Target *	Performance Against Target in Sept
Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh	11	Alasdair Gray	Moyra Masson	4.6	2.39
Plymouth Derriford Hospital	7	Jason Smith	Rosalyn Squire	3.1	2.26
Crosshouse	3	Crawford McGuffie	Elma Norwood	2	1.5
Royal Derbyshire Hospital	4	Iain Lennon	Ruth Ballington	3.9	1.03
Northern General Hospital	3	Steve Goodacre	Yvonne Meades	3.7	0.81
Barnsley Hospital	2	Julian Humphrey	Yvonne Meades	2.5	0.80
Fife Queen Margaret	1	Colin Dewar	Christine Harley	1.3	0.77
Aberdeen Royal Infirmary	2	Angus Cooper	Phillippa Smith	2.7	0.74
Bath Royal United	2	David Watson	Barbara Madigan	2.7	0.74
Lancaster Royal Infirmary	1	Andrew Webster	Jayne Craig	2.3	0.43
Bradford Royal Infirmary	1	David Robinson	Karen Regan	3.7	0.27
Coventry University Hospital	1	Mehmood Chaudhry	Geraldine Ward	3.7	0.27
University Hospital of North Staffordshire	1	Mark Poulson	Racquel Carpio / Loretta Barnett / Sarah Plant	4.8	0.21

*based on 1 per week per 100,000 ED attendances

Wow! Exceptional recruitment in September! But not quite a study personal best (40 recruited in November 2009), so let's try and beat it in October.