

NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2020

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

We wish all of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We would like to say thank you for your commitment to SWITCH. It's a pleasure working with all of you! Let's keep the progress going!



MILESTONE - 150 Patients

This month we could reach our milestone of 150 patients! Such fantastic news just before Christmas!

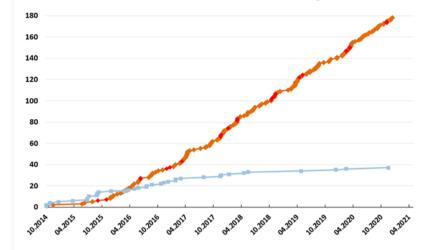
The trial team in Düsseldorf randomized the 150th SWITCH patient! Many thanks and congratulations again to Keril Beseoglu and his team!

We are very happy to send our little surprise your way...



RECRUITMENT

Randomized trial: 152 Observational arm: 26 Recruiting sites: 36



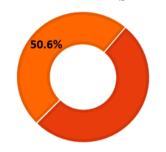
Number of randomized patients

◆ Randomized patients

◆ Patients in observational arm

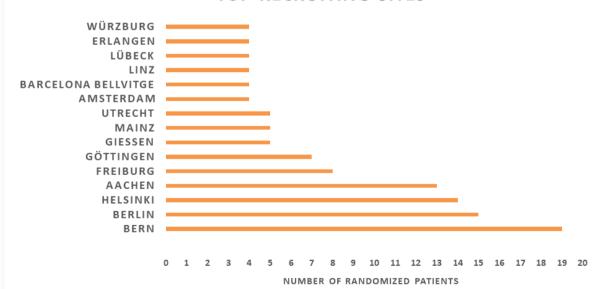
■ Number of recruiting sites

Patients randomized to SWITCH (goal: 300



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WELCOME ON BOARD - OLDENBURG

We are very happy to announce that the Evangelisches Krankenhaus in Oldenburg, Germany is now open for accrual. Welcome on board of the SWITCH network.



REMINDER

We would like to use the opportunity to remind all of you, to keep working on the database. As you are aware of, the next phase of the central data monitoring will start soon to prepare the data for the forthcoming second interim analysis.



Therefore, it's very important that you fill in all available data into the database, verify, and sign the forms and resolve the queries of the central data monitors. In this way, the clinical trial unit (CTU) Bern will be able to review them. They can only review the forms that have been 'signed', so please do not forget to sign the completed and verified forms.



Furthermore please send all imaging data (anonymized!) from Visit 1, 3, and 7 once the patient has complete Visit 7 CDs can be send to:

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We thank everyone for their efforts and support for the SWITCH trial and it is really a pleasure to working with all of you!

Thanks for your commitment to SWITCH and please keep going with your excellent work!

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