

CareSearch Project
Research Studies Register: Registration Proforma

Study Title: Cancer Pain Education for Patients					0003	
Brief description of the study: A randomized study in patients with advanced cancer and pain to see if an educational intervention consisting of a Video, a booklet or both versus standard care can improve patients' knowledge and attitudes about pain, pain levels, anxiety levels and quality of life.						
Study Methodology: (Please mark with an x which type of study methodology)						
	Epidemiology					
	Health Services / Health Economics / Quality Improvement					
	Qualitative, Observational or Descriptive					
	Mixed Method					
	Systematic Review					
x	Intervention: RCT					
	Intervention: Comparative or cohort study					
	Intervention: Case series					
Project details:						
Funding source (Optional):						
Has the study received ethics approval?		x	Yes		No	Not applicable
Project starting date: November 2003						
Project completion date: Recruitment to complete June 2006						
Multi site:		x	Yes		No	Not applicable
RESEARCHERS						
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Investigator E (Name)						
Associated publications / reports: Nil. Conference presentations at ANZSPM 2002, COSA 2003 about						
Background to study.						
TOPIC: PAIN						