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Study Title:

A two-stage trial of antiemetic therapy in patients with cancer and nausea not related to anticancer therapy.

Study 2: A randomised controlled double blind study of levomepromazine versus placebo with rescue antiemetics (best supportive care) in patients with refractory nausea

Brief description of the study:

To assess the efficacy of parenteral levomepromazine and parenteral ondansetron versus placebo with BSC rescue in patients with cancer and nausea refractory to guideline driven targeted antiemetic therapy or single agent therapy with haloperidol.

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 - blinded
	Intervention: Comparative or cohort study
	Intervention: Case series

Project details:

Funding source (Optional): NHMRC Project Grant						
Has the study received ethics approval?	**X**	Yes		No		Not applicable
Project starting date: 01 January 2010						
Project completion date: 31 December 2012						
Multi site:	**X**	Yes		No		Not applicable

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