

**CARer-ADministration of as-needed sub-cutaneous medication for breakthrough symptoms in homebased dying patients: a UK study protocol (CARiAD)**

**What information and training do carers and families need to provide the best care for their loved one who is dying, including training for giving medicines at home?**

Palliative and end of life care Priority Setting Partnership (PeolcPSP) Executive summary 2015

**THE CONVERSATION**

Academic rigour, journalistic flair

**Should family members be given more power to help relatives dying at home?**

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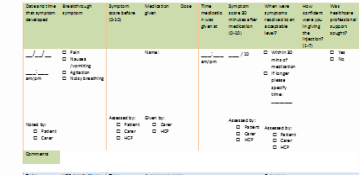
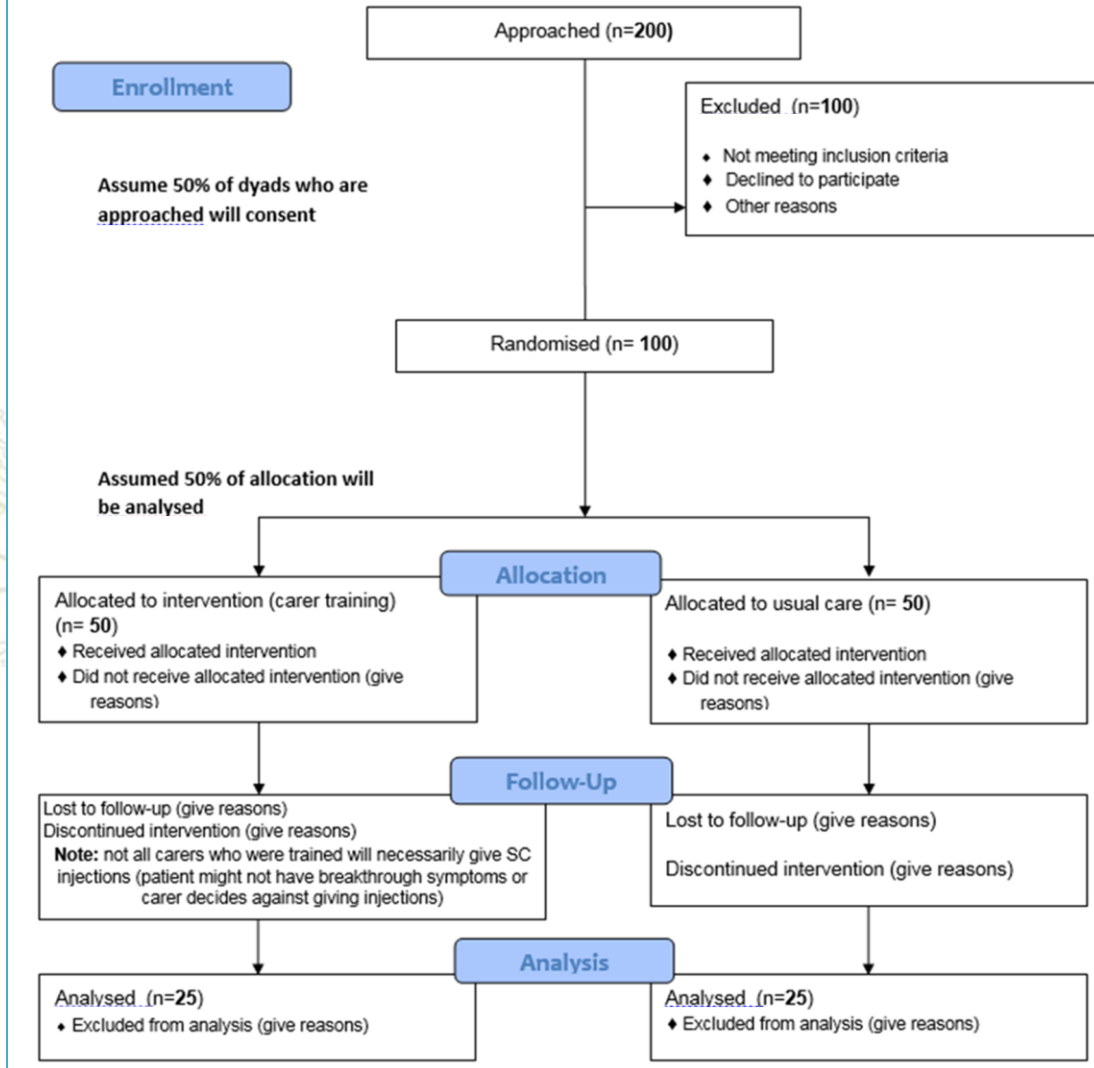
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**CONSORT 2010 Flow Diagram**



Step-by-step guides

Medication guide for carers

Carer diary

Manualised training package for carers delivered by DNs



## Feasibility

- Recruitment
- Attrition

## Safety

- SAEs
- Risk assessment

## Outcome measures

- Time to symptom relief
- Carer confidence
- MSAS GDI
- QOLTI-F
- Carer experience scale

Acceptability  
Carer and healthcare  
professional  
experiences

DCE  
Carer preferences for  
medication  
administration

➤ Findings will inform the feasibility and outcome measures for a definitive Phase III randomised controlled trial.

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