

We are looking for 'Expressions of Interest' from sites to help support ROSSINI 2 and to recruit participants to this multi-arm, multi-stage (MAMS) trial.

WHAT IS ROSSINI 2?

ROSSINI 2 is a 'National Institute of Health Research' funded trial (NIHR HTA reference: 16/31/123) and aims to randomise approximately 6610 participants to determine whether three specific in-theatre interventions, used alone or in combination, result in decreased rates of surgical site infection (SSI) up to 30 days post operation in adult patients undergoing abdominal surgery.

WHO CAN ENTER ROSSINI 2?

Patients 16 years or older, undergoing abdominal surgery of any level of contamination, both emergency and elective (open or laparoscopic extraction site) with a planned incision of at least 5cm are eligible. Patients must also be able and willing to give written informed consent and be available for a wound assessment (face to face or remotely) at day 30-37. Patients with a previous laparotomy within 3 months prior to randomisation, pregnant or breast feeding and wounds not closed primarily are excluded.

WHAT'S NEXT?

ROSSINI 2 is led by Professor Thomas Pinkney, managed by Birmingham Clinical Trials Unit and sponsored by the University of Birmingham. We will fully support all new sites in study set-up and trial conduct. For more information or to express an interest, please contact the ROSSINI 2

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