

Welcome to the summer edition of the By-Band-Sleeve study newsletter!

We would like to thank you for your invaluable contributions to the study. Together we are building a picture of the differences between the three main types of bariatric surgery and their long term effects on weight and quality of life.

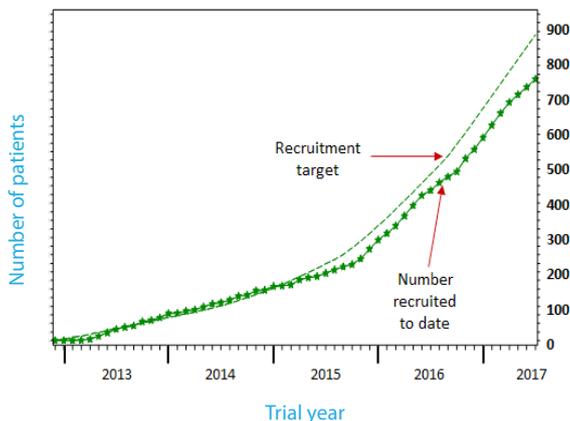
What can I do to help BBS improve?

You could join our By-Band-Sleeve Patient and Public Involvement (PPI) group....

We are always looking for members to join our PPI group which meets annually to provide the research team with feedback on the study and information about bariatric services. If you wish to become a member of the PPI group please contact us. All travel expenses are covered.

Look how far we've come, thanks to you!

766 patients recruited to the study - June 2017



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- ★ There are now 766 patients participating in the BBS study.
- ★ We are proud to have so many engaged patients taking part in our study.
- ★ This study is the largest of its kind in the world!

Patient Feedback!

We love hearing from you and are pleased to be able to share the thoughts of one of our participants, from London, William Van Der Westhuizen.

Before



After



My start weight: 165 kg
My current weight: 96 kg
My total loss: 69 kg

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'I am a 36 year old male who has been struggling with weight problems for a few years and this has caused me great discomfort and made me feel very sad and depressed.

I was very fortunate to be accepted for surgery and it has truly changed my life! The hospital staff at Homerton hospital were absolutely amazing and in my opinion the best medical team I have ever met!

Thanks to Homerton hospital for changing my life and for offering the By-Band-Sleeve program.'

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