

SCC-AFTER

Do you have a skin cancer called squamous cell carcinoma (skin SCC)? If so, you may be eligible to take part in the SCC-AFTER study

What is the SCC-AFTER study about?

- Although skin SCC is often cured by surgery, it can return. This is more likely when doctors identify that the cancer is at 'high risk' of returning. Doctors look at samples of the tumour to work out whether they believe it to be high risk.
- Some people with high-risk skin SCC are treated with radiotherapy after surgery, in the hope that this will prevent the cancer returning. But we have no proof that radiotherapy reduces the chance of the cancer returning.
- We want to see whether having radiotherapy after surgery reduces the chance of the cancer returning or whether high risk skin SCC is better treated with surgery alone.

Who can take part?

If you will have had a skin SCC removed, and your doctors think you are at high risk of the cancer returning, you may be able to take part.



Want to know more?

Please talk to your doctor (your dermatologist, oncologist or plastic surgeon) or visit our study website by scanning the QR code.

www.cardiff.ac.uk/centre-for-trials-research/research/studies-and-trials/view/scc-after