

The NIHR Clinical Research Network have various light touch studies available for GPs to take part in:

The DISCOVER ME study - More and more GP practices across GM are taking part in the Discover Me study, offering their patients the opportunity to find out their ancestry as well as contribute to creating a dynamic research resource to help us understand disease susceptibility and severity.

The BRIT2 study - Researchers at the University of Manchester have developed a series of dashboards for EMIS that uses data from GP practices to help understand where to focus efforts to optimise prescribing. Software is downloaded to the practice system and anonymous data is viewed by the study team, but the practice team can view identifiable information and use it to inform prescribing.

The TIGER study - This study is aiming to find out whether changes in the diet of children with eczema, based on the results of food allergy tests, improves their eczema control or not. This video link provides a short summary of the study: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ks54IBptYOY>

Information Governance

A joint statement has been issued from the HRA (Health Research Authority), CRN (Clinical Research Network) and R&D forum, about information governance, which should provide some reassurance to primary care providers participating in research studies. Further information can be found by accessing [this link](#)

Trailblazer GP, GP Rebecca Clark, showcases the potential of primary care for commercial research. Dr Rebecca Clark is a trailblazer when it comes to delivering commercial research, delivering over 50 clinical trials at her GP practice in Blackpool. Rebecca is passionate about making research accessible to her patients and also demonstrating the unique benefits GP sites can offer commercial research. Read more about Dr Clark's experience [here](#)

A full list of all available studies in General Practice can be found on our Primary Care Research Hub - <https://sites.google.com/nihr.ac.uk/crnqm-primarycare-researchhub/portfolio-studies>