

Trial of an injection to reduce shoulder pain for people with Motor Neurone Disease

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Status RECRUITING
Sponsor Repatriation General Hospital
Enrollment 80 participants

Plain Language Summary

This study is looking at whether a nerve block injection above the shoulder blade (called a suprascapular nerve block) can reduce chronic shoulder pain in people with motor neurone disease (MND). Participants will receive either a real injection (local anesthetic and steroid) or a placebo (salt water) injection, and researchers will measure how much the pain improves over 12 weeks.

You may be eligible if:

- You have been diagnosed with motor neurone disease (MND)
- You have chronic shoulder pain

You may NOT be eligible if:

- Your life expectancy is less than 12 weeks (the follow-up period)
- You are already in significant difficulty breathing (severe respiratory distress)

Talk to your doctor about whether this trial might be right for you.

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (1)

- All patients with MND and shoulder pain will be considered for the study.

Locations (1 total)

Australia