

Natural Course of Hot Flash Symptoms in Men Receiving Androgen-Deprivation Therapy for Prostate Cancer – a Pilot Investigation.

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Status RECRUITING
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Enrollment 20 participants

Plain Language Summary

This study is observing how hot flashes naturally develop and change over time in men being treated for prostate cancer with hormone therapy (androgen deprivation therapy, or ADT). Hot flashes are a very common side effect of this treatment and can significantly affect quality of life. Participants will fill out a hot flash questionnaire at regular intervals over 3 years. No extra tests or treatments are needed beyond what is already part of their usual cancer care.

You may be eligible if:

- You are a male with prostate cancer that has been confirmed by biopsy
- Your cancer has not previously been treated with hormone therapy
- You are starting androgen deprivation therapy (LHRH analogues) for the first time
- You are able to complete the questionnaire independently

You may NOT be eligible if:

- You have previously received androgen deprivation therapy
- You are unable to complete the hot flash questionnaire on your own
- Your ECOG performance status is 2 or higher (significant limitations in daily activity)

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

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (1)

- Men with histologically confirmed and hormone-naive prostate cancer, being commence on androgen-deprivation therapy for the first time.

Locations (1 total)

NSW, Australia