

Withholding Enteral Feeds Around Blood Transfusion (International)

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Status	RECRUITING
Phase	Not Applicable
Sponsor	IWK Health Centre
Enrollment	4,333 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (1)

- \. Preterm birth at $<30+0$ gestational weeks + days

Exclusion (4)

- Parent(s) opt-out of trial participation.
- Packed red cell transfusion with concurrent enteral feeds prior to enrolment. (Infants who have received a packed red cell transfusion while nil-by-mouth are eligible; or minimal enteral nutrition (<15 ml/kg/day feeds) at the time of transfusion; defined as before, during and for at least 4 hours after transfusion, are eligible.
- Infants who are not being fed at the time of randomization or where enteral feeding is contraindicated [e.g. Major congenital abnormality of the gastrointestinal tract (GIT)].
- Previous episode of NEC Bell stage 2 or higher or SIP prior to first study packed cell transfusion.

Locations (1 total)

IWK Health, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada