Hello! We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support by completing the CREW questionnaires.

Before Christmas we were given the great news that Macmillan Cancer Support have agreed to continue funding the CREW study. This is why we have sent you a 4 year follow up questionnaire and next year we will be sending you a 5 year questionnaire.

Even though we have been collecting data for 4 years, each questionnaire you complete and return is still very valuable to us, even if you have moved on and feel you have made a good recovery following your treatment for colorectal cancer. This is because we are using the results and information provided to us in those questionnaires to understand how life unfolds for people with colorectal cancer, and what things make life more difficult and also easier during the treatment and recovery of colorectal cancer.

The study is still being overseen by the Macmillan Survivorship Research Group, at the University of Southampton. We are currently busy analysing data from your questionnaires up to 2 years post surgery. We will be posting summaries of our findings on the website, however if you would like more information on our results please do drop us an email.

Meet the Macmillan Survivorship Research Group team at the University of Southampton

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MSRG Announcements!

Claire Foster, Director of MSRG, has recently been promoted to Professor, so huge congratulations to her on this amazing achievement!

We have two new members of the team, Kerry and Amy. Kerry Coleman is the new administrator for MSRG. Kerry took over from Carol Hill in December last year.

Amy Din is the new Senior Research Assistant for the CREW study. Amy started in October last year and looks after the day-to-day running of CREW.

If you have any queries about CREW you can contact Kerry or Amy on the details below.

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Please have a watch of our short film about the CREW cohort study. The film talks about the study and has interviews with some of the patients who have been taking part in the CREW study. To watch it go to www.southampton.ac.uk/msrg.

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We also have a Twitter page if you would like to follow us: @macmillanuos

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As always we look forward to receiving your questionnaire and seeing how you are getting on!

Once again thank you for your continued support. From the team at...

FAQs

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