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## SPACE Collaboration

### Single Pill to Avert Cardiovascular Events

SPACE is a collaboration of studies assessing the role of a single combination pill (or ‘polypill’) in people who have had a heart attack, stroke or other reason to be at risk of cardiovascular disease.

### SPACE Collaboration members

**Co-ordinator** Dr Ruth Webster, Research Fellow, The George Institute, Sydney

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### Role of the co-ordinating centre

The co-ordinating centre for the collaboration is located at The George Institute in Sydney, Australia. The centre:

- facilitates communication between the collaboration members
- hosts an information-sharing website to share resources between collaboration members
- ensures relative uniformity of trial materials amongst the various participating trials in order to maximise comparability between trials for future meta-analysis of results
- facilitates teleconferences, investigator meetings and provides administrative support to the chair of the Collaboration
- Facilitates meta-analysis of trial data
- Provides a single point of contact between all the participating trials and Dr Reddy’s Laboratories (provider of the study drug)

### Funding Agencies

- Dr Reddy’s Laboratories, Hyderabad, India



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