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Single Pill to Avert Cardiovascular Events (SPACE) Collaboration

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. For more information about the SPACE collaboration, please contact:

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SPACE Collaboration members

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- Dr Andre Pascal Kengne, Medical Research Council of South Africa

Role of the co-ordinating 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