



DTORS

A major new national study funded by government to examine the treatment of problem drug users

Inclusion in DTORS

Any potential client presenting in person to your agency should be included in DTORS, whether or not they go on to receive treatment

If a client is included in NDTMS, they should be included in DTORS

DTORS participants will be interviewed by the research team and offered a £10 voucher for their time

Eligibility

DTORS participants will be:

- 18 and over
- Presenting with a drug problem
- Making a face to face contact to this agency within the sample window
- Requesting treatment for their drug problem

Special Circumstances

- **Shared Care/GP surgeries**
A potential client in shared care should be included for DTORS when they make a face to face contact with a member of staff from your agency.
- **Referral from one agency to another**
A potential client who has been referred from another agency and/or is already receiving treatment from elsewhere should be included for DTORS when they make a face to face contact with your agency.
- **Telephone contacts**
A potential client, whose details are taken down over the telephone, should be included for DTORS when they make a face to face contact with the agency.
- **Prisons and police stations**
A potential client who has been assessed in a police custody or prison (usually referred for as DIP/CJIT/DIR assessment), should be included for DTORS when they make a face to face contact with your agency.
- **Outreach**
A potential client who has made contact via outreach should be included for DTORS when they make a face to face contact with the agency.

Important Reminder

Details of potential clients should be reported to your research team contact