Progress Report: Sri Lanka Clinical Trials Registry

SLCTR registration number: 2014/032

Scientific title of trial: Weekly versus daily antenatal oral iron and folic acid supplementation in

non anaemic pregnant women: a randomized controlled trial.

Date of commencement (enrolment of first participant):

Progression: 6 months \square 1 year \square 2 years \square 3 years \square

At completion X□

1. Baseline data

Any changes to the trial design/ methodology/ protocol after commencement: No

Any changes to trial outcomes after commencement: No

2. Current status

Recruitment status: pending/ recruiting/ recruitment complete/ recruitment

suspended / recruitment terminated

Number assessed for eligibility: 350

Number recruited and randomized: 291

Number allocated to each intervention/arm: 142 and 149

Losses/exclusions after randomization:

37 in the daily group and 43 in the weekly group.

3. Trial output

Summary of Interim/Final data (if available):

In non anaemic pregnant women, weekly antenatal oral iron and folic acid supplementation is not significantly different from daily antenatal oral iron and folic acid supplementation in preventing anaemia and iron deficiency during pregnancy.

Presentations of results at scientific meetings

This work was presented earlier as a free oral communication at the 47th Annual Scientific Sessions of the SLCOG and published as an abstract in the Sri Lanka Journal of Obstetrics & Gynaecology 2015;37(Suppl 1): OP 2, pg 3

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Publications: A full paper is being prepared for submission to the Ceylon Medical Journal for consideration of publication

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