



The BATHE Study



Sometimes your skin gets itchy and red. You may use cream to help your skin but sometimes this doesn't work.

Doctors, nurses and researchers are investigating ways to help with this. Some people think that using special bath oil will help but no-one really knows this for sure.

We are looking for 260 children like you to help in this investigation. Half of the children will be asked to use bath oils and the other half will be asked not to use any bath oil. A computer will decide which group you will be in.

To help the doctors and nurses to know if your skin is getting better, your parents will be asked to answer some questions. You can help them by telling them how you feel. Some of the information can be filled in on the computer and they may let you help them.

If we find out that the bath oils do help children like you, then we can give them to more children to make their skin better. If they don't really help then we can keep looking for ways to help everyone.

If you would like to chat about this or have any questions then please ask your mum or dad, or the nurse about this.

Thank you for reading this!

