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Developments to established dose-finding methodologies for application in trials with complex and innovative designs

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Abstract

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Implementing the TITE-CRM in the Presence of Partial Orders into the ADePT-DDR Trial

1.1 Draft Structure

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  - Main objective of the trial
  - Introduce the new TD notation link to previous trial designs
  - Paragraph on traditional dose finding trial designs 3+3, CRM etc.
  - Methodological issues which arise due to investigating combination of drugs/varying parameters (new concept by Piers)
  - Necessity of time-to-event components for DLTs which may occur later

  - Other possible methodologies in this area which may be of use to solve this problem
  - Mini literature search will do a citation search for both methodology papers (potentially use a table/figure to summarise)
  - Detail whats to come in the chapter

- The PO-TITE-CRM Design
- PO-TITE-CRM in ADePT-DDR
- Modifications to the specification to improve operating characteristics

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Published clinical trial designs in this arena include extensions of CRM. Braun's

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