

# IPF Job Exposures Study (IPF JES) Flow Chart

## Cases

Inclusion criteria:

- Male
- New diagnosis of IPF between 02.17 and 10.19

4800 new diagnoses of IPF per year at 25 specialist centres

Estimated 3000 potential cases at 16 participating centres

Exclusion criteria:

- Unable to consent
- Worked outside of UK for one year or more (does not include work outside the UK by members of the armed forces or merchant navy)

460 Cases

## Controls

Inclusion criteria:

- Male
- Outpatient clinic attendance between 02.17 and 10.19

Random selection of control clinic. Controls recruited overall 1:1 ratio with cases (frequency matched to five year age bands)

Exclusion criteria:

- Unable to consent
- Worked outside of UK for one year or more (does not include work outside the UK by members of the armed forces or merchant navy)
- Diagnosis of IPF

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Telephone interview for historic asbestos exposure assessment and blood test for genetic susceptibility

Analysis

(IPF JES - version 0.6 )