

CIRCA DIEM newsletter

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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome to the latest edition of our monthly newsletter. This newsletter provides updates on our study, as well as any important study related information.

The CIRCA DIEM Team would like to thank all our study families for your involvement in our research. Your contributions are helping to improve outcomes for our tiniest babies, and we are enormously grateful for all your support.

Enrolment Update

- ★ So far, we have had **513** babies join CIRCA DIEM!
- ★ Wellington Hospital in New Zealand recently joined The CIRCA DIEM Study. The team have recruited their first 3 preterm babies to the study!
- ★ We now have 11 hospitals recruiting babies to our study.

Study Milestones

- 1 408 babies have celebrated their first birthday.
- 2 261 babies have turned 2 years old.

Bayley-4 Update

So far, 185 toddlers have completed their 2-year Bayley-4 assessment for our study.

If your child has already turned 2 years old, and you are yet to hear from us about booking in your Bayley-4, please contact Tash, our Clinical Trial Co-Ordinator on Natasha.sorensen@telethonkids.org.au.

Jai's Story

- ★ Jai was born at 29+5 weeks gestation at Kalgoorlie Regional Hospital in February 2019.
- ★ Jai was then transferred to King Edward Memorial Hospital by the Royal Flying Doctor Service.
- ★ He is a very kind and empathetic boy who loves his family- especially his little brother Finley.
- ★ He loves building lego, helping with cooking and spending time with his close friends. Jai started Pre-Primary this year and has had a great transition to school-life.
- ★ The CIRCA DIEM Team cannot believe Jai is already 5 years old, and we can't wait to see what the future holds for him and his lovely family.



If you have an update about your little one that you would like to share, please email circadiem@telethonkids.org.au.