



PAPAGAIO

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Happy New Year, and welcome to the next edition of the PAPAGAIO monthly newsletter!

A very warm welcome to our newest site that recruited their first participant in December:
Campinas State University, São Paulo, Brazil 🇧🇷 !

Recruitment continued with a fantastic rate in December, with **336** potential participants screened!

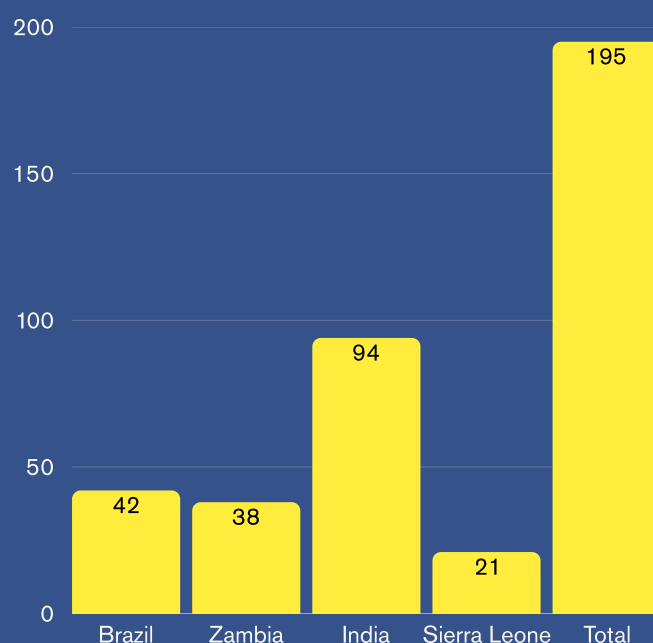
We finished December with **195** new participants randomised in the PAPAGAIO trial, bringing our total to **787**! We're **past the halfway mark** to the recruitment goal!

December stats:

Sites open: **14**

Participants randomised: **195**

December Participant Recruitment Numbers



Site	Country	Date opened	Total screened	Total randomised	Screened (Dec)	Eligible (Dec)	Randomised (Dec)
Botucatu Medical School	BR	01/07/2025	156	154	19	19	19
Ribeirão Preto	BR	14/08/2025	66	63	14	12	12
Belo Horizonte	BR	09/10/2025	17	17	5	5	5
Campinas State University	BR	29/11/2025	7	6	6	6	6
Women's and Newborns University Teaching Hospital	ZM	15/07/2025	142	94	21	10	10
Ndola Teaching Hospital	ZM	17/07/2025	109	79	17	8	8
Kitwe Teaching Hospital	ZM	17/07/2025	98	63	19	10	10
Kabwe General Hospital	ZM	16/07/2025	117	64	17	10	10
PGIMER, Bhubaneswar	IN	09/10/2025	61	30	27	18	18
JNMC, Belgavi	IN	10/10/2025	69	25	39	6	6
KIMS, Hubballi	IN	27/10/2025	70	54	25	19	19
SMS Medical College, Jaipur	IN	17/10/2025	81	67	31	30	30
BDLE (Deemed to be University), Vijayapura	IN	11/10/2025	121	34	72	21	21
Princess Christian Maternity Hospital, Freetown	SL	18/11/2025	41	37	24	21	21
GRAND TOTAL			1155	787	336		195

PARTICIPANT TRACKER

GOAL: 1310

Current: 787





MEET THE TEAM: BRAZILIAN SITES



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MEET THE TEAM: BRAZILIAN SITES



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SPOTLIGHT: PAPAGAIO Top Tips from the Brazilian Teams

Some of our Brazilian teams were asked “**What do you enjoy most about working on PAPAGAIO?**”



Here are their responses:

Luiz from **Ribeirão Preto** said
“The possibility to work with something that might change the way we see preeclampsia in a near future.”

Paulo from **Botucatu** said
“I am truly glad to be part of such an important project, one with the potential to make a significant impact and save many lives.”

Letícia from **Botucatu** said
“I learned in clinical research on pre-eclampsia to direct my arguments about the role of the recruited women towards the fact that they contribute significantly to the future health of women and babies in Brazil and the world. They feel grateful and useful to society, making the experience very rewarding.”

Priscila from **Ribeirão Preto** said
“Participating in PAPAGAIO has been truly gratifying. A lot of mothers, particularly in low- and middle-income countries, lack access to proper information about preeclampsia risks and tools like PLGF testing. Being able to contribute to more targeted care and reducing complications for both moms and babies, that's what makes this work meaningful.”





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Larissa from **Ribeirão Preto** said

“In addition to providing health education on preeclampsia, this technology contributes to a more accurate diagnosis and enables individualized patient care.”

Laís from **Botucatu** said

“I can stay close to the patient's care, monitoring clinical outcomes, observing the evolution of cases, and understanding, in practice, the impact of the care provided to the patient with pre-eclampsia.”

Priscilla from **Botucatu** said “Knowing that we are helping to develop a new method for caring for pregnant women with pre-eclampsia, which will help not only them but society as a whole, is very rewarding. We learn a lot about obstetrics and women's health during the research and we know that we will make a difference in the future. I am eager to see the positive impacts that this research will have on maternal mortality and comorbidities.”





NOTICES

DATABASE UPDATE!

Recruitment for the PAPAGAIO Biobank and Validation study has commenced! You may have noticed that there are 2 new sections on the eligibility and consent page.

If your site is not currently involved with this part of PAPAGAIO, please select “not currently recruiting at this site” for both questions.

PAPAGAIO Biobank Consent

*Consents to joining PAPAGAIO Biobank: ☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Not invited to participate
☐ Not currently recruiting at this site

*Date of consent: dd/mm/yyyy (dd/mm/yyyy)

*Time of consent: (hh:mm)

*Consent form signed / thumbprinted: ☐ Yes ☐ No

*Why did the woman decline to participate: -Select-

*If other, please provide detail:

PAPAGAIO VALIDATION Consent

*Consents to joining PAPAGAIO VALIDATION study: ☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Not invited to participate
☐ Not currently recruiting at this site

*Date of consent: dd/mm/yyyy (dd/mm/yyyy)

*Time of consent: (hh:mm)

*Consent form signed / thumbprinted: ☐ Yes ☐ No

*Why did the woman decline to participate: -Select-

*If other, please provide detail:

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**THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR HARD WORK,
AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!**