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**From:** Carlon Colker [carlon@peoplepc.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 10, 2002 6:17 AM  
**To:** David Brown  
**Subject:** Re: CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY UPDATE!

Dave,  
 Don't sweat sending different product. I think it is better to leave it alone at this point. If you are heading to Expo East in October and are swinging through the NY/CT area, I would love to connect. Perhaps you will have time for me to treat you to a meal with Zackary (solid foods for you, of course!).  
 Best,  
 Carlon

----- Original Message -----

**From:** David Brown  
**To:** 'Carlon Colker'  
**Sent:** Monday, September 09, 2002 7:27 PM  
**Subject:** RE: CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY UPDATE!

Carlon-

I'm pleased to hear that everything is progressing well. You're right, sending the bottles that way seems to have been a little careless. Should we send different product? Maybe some unmarked, empty bottles? If you want us to do anything, let me know. On a different note, I'm considering a trip to Expo East in October and possibly going up to New York afterwards. We'll definitely have to get together---I'm looking forward to seeing that cute, little guy (just to avoid any confusion, I'm referring to your baby!).

Take care,

David

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**From:** Carlon Colker [mailto:carlon@peoplepc.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 09, 2002 12:39 PM  
**To:** David Brown  
**Cc:** Garry Pay; Bob Herrmann; Dirk Aschmoneit  
**Subject:** CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY UPDATE!  
**Importance:** High

Dear Dave and everyone,  
 Please note the following updates:

1. Since receiving the products/placebo only less than 3 weeks ago, recruitment has been an absolute phenomenal success by research trial norms I am aware of anywhere. To be as exact as possible, so far ~95 people to date have been screened and interviewed for study participation, with ~63 of them qualifying. Of those ~53 have already been seen for their first visit and have officially been started in their respective group assignment. The remaining ~10 are all scheduled for their first official clinic visit on or before this Friday. That will leave only ~9 more subject participant slots to be filled in the weeks ahead. Thus, I have been thrilled with the success of our initial work, and hope that you are equally impressed.
2. The only mistake worth making you aware of at this juncture, which I already called Dirk's attention to, was the fact that every bottle sent to us was cast emblazoned with "Metabolife" on the side of each bottle and on top of the lid of each bottle! As a result, we have had ~7 prospective subjects decline to participate after seeing the bottle. Reasons were varied slightly from person-to-person, but all seemed to stem from worry over the negative press on Metabolife swirling around us (that which I combat with Jan on almost a daily basis!). So, needless-to-say, this silly and careless oversight introduced a minor selection bias. The good news is that, apart from slowing us down a bit in terms of recruitment (i.e., it's a shame those ~7 qualified candidates were unnecessarily scared off and declined to participate), it really isn't a significant enough issue to have even a remote possibility of effecting study outcome.
3. Jeff Brady has scheduled a site visit on or about the 18th of this month.