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Intravenous or Subcutaneous Natalizumab in Patients with Relapsing Remitting Multiple Sclerosis: Investigation on Efficiency and Savings—The EASIER Study

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Tasks	Unchanged (n. responding HCP)	Changed (n. responding HCP)	Null (n. responding HCP)	Delta (minutes)
1 – Material preparation	6	20	0	-0.54
2 – Drug pick-up at the H pharmacy	24	2	0	0
3 – Patient preparation	5	20	0	-4.84
4 – Drug preparation*	NA	NA	NA	-2.31
5 – Drug infusion	0	25	0	-45.84
5.1 – Drug infusion—Active time**	9	14	2	-2.22
6 – Post-infusion tasks**	1	20	4	-5.39
7 – Monitoring	10	15	0	-14.8
7.1 – Monitoring—Active Time***	13	10	2	0
8 – Infusion field cleaning and waste disposal	1	23	1	-0.84

Online Resource 5. How much EASIER? Impact estimations on every task according to the responders.

HCP = healthcare professional

* IV-specific task, and as such omitted from questionnaire—the delta corresponds to mean observed value for IV, that would be saved with SC as not pertinent

** Estimated time savings (-4.3 min for task 5.1 and -6.1 min for task 6) greater than observed mean value for IV: delta limited to mean IV time as logic constraint

*** Set at 0, as majority of HCP responders answered it would be unchanged, despite mean estimated saving resulted in 2.97 minutes