

Team CTU: Half-time Report

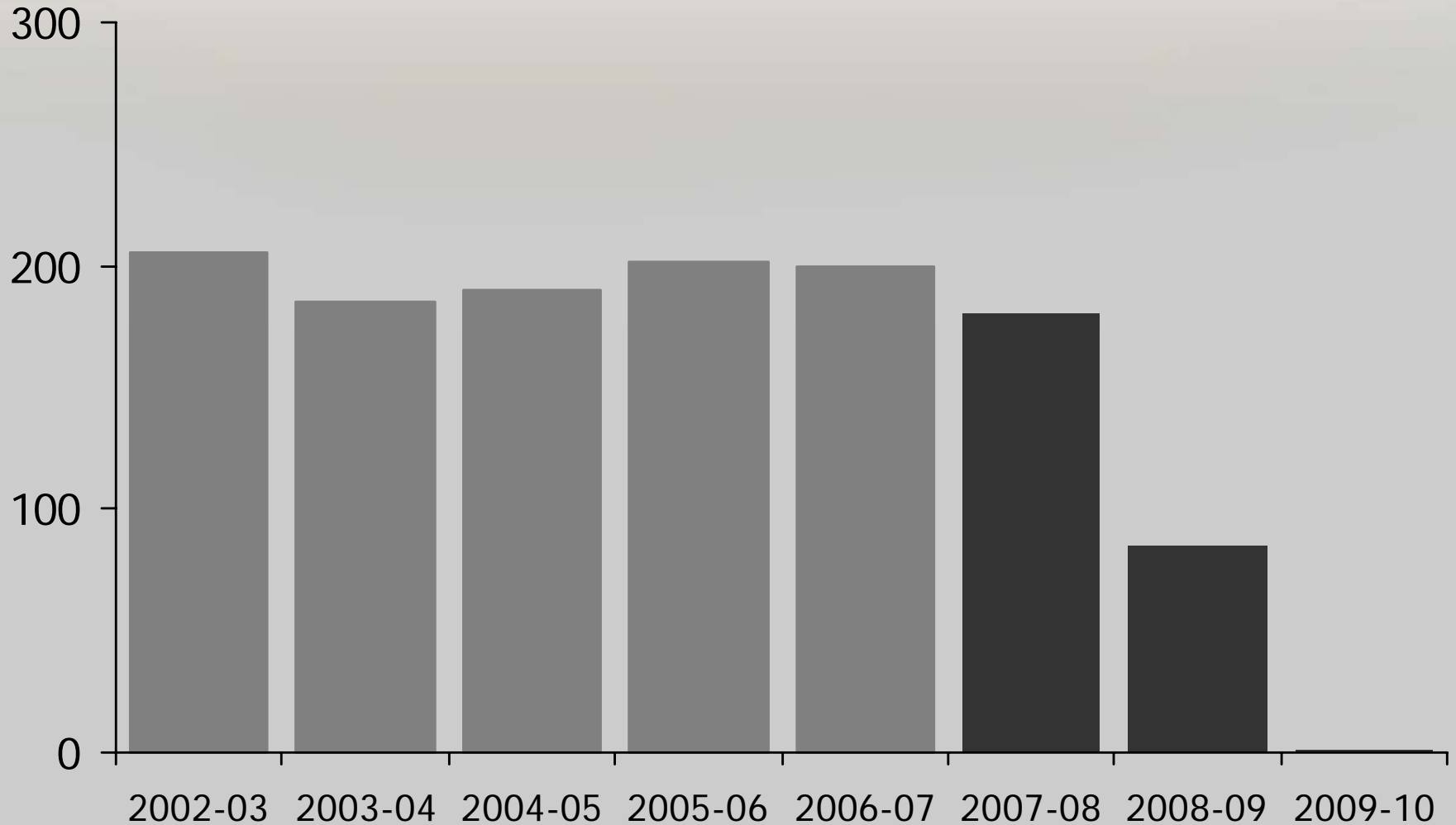
Dr Rod Owen: Team Manager





Annual Research Income 2002-2010

■ DH "Budget 1" ■ DH "Transitional"



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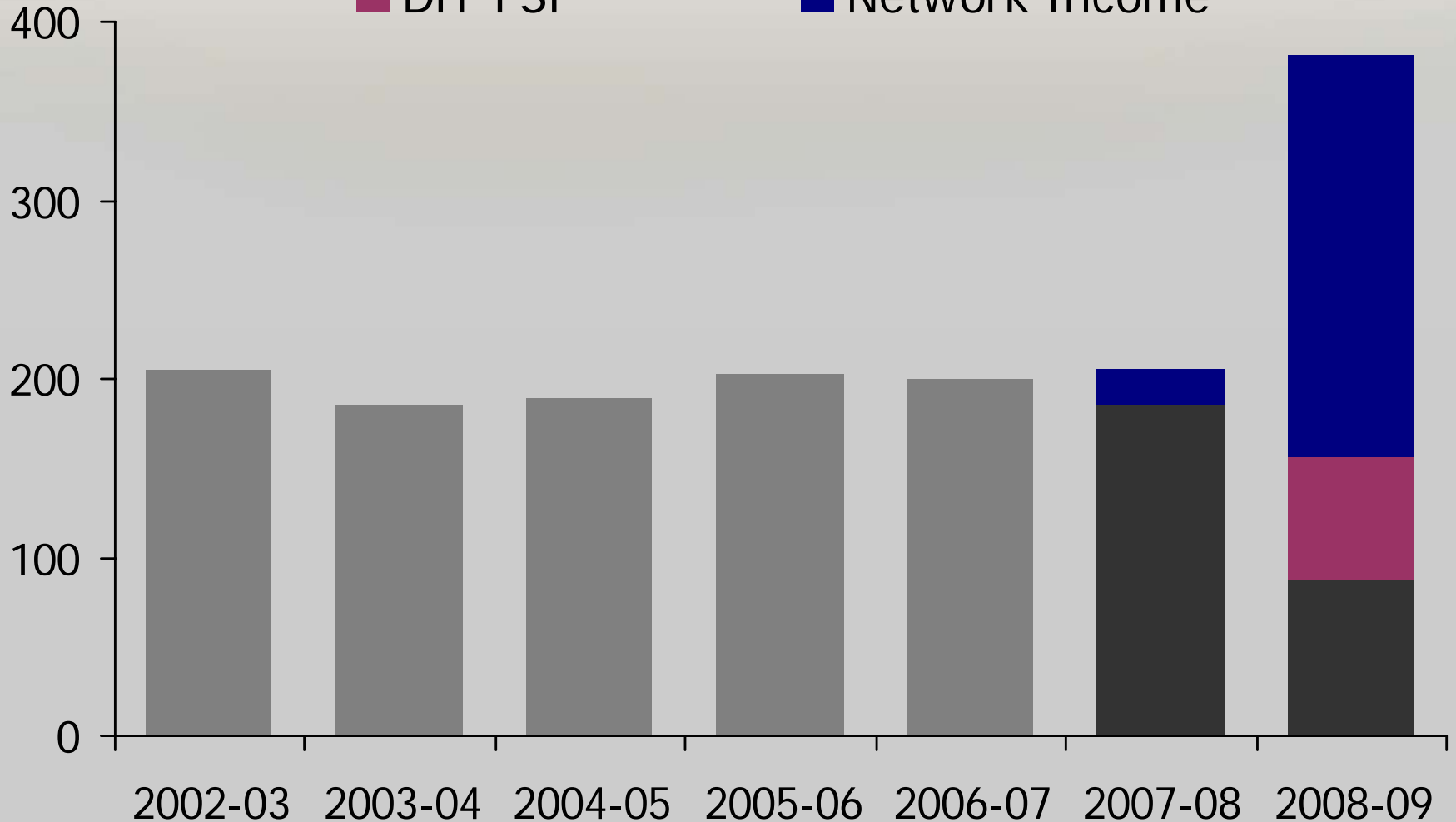
Research and development

The Clinical Trials Unit, which opened in April 2007 in response to changes in funding opportunities for research, has performed excellently. This unit provides

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- DH "Budget 1"
- DH "Transitional"
- DH 'FSF'
- Network Income



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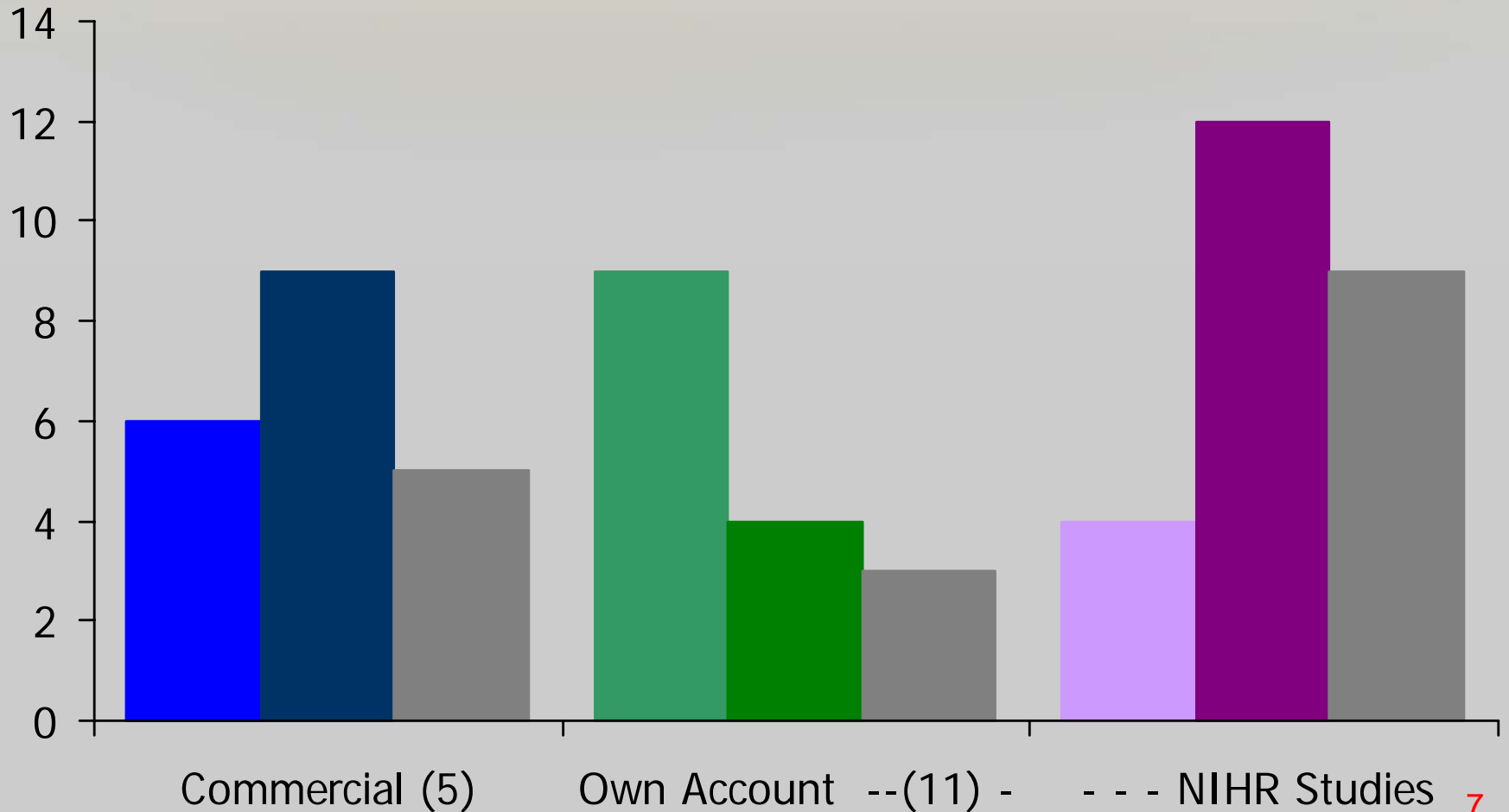
sponsored clinical trials. This first period of operation has been more successful than anticipated in attracting new researchers and expanding the Trust's research activity.

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New Studies Approved

(Investigators not previously on R&D databases)

■ 2007 (Apr-Dec) ■ 2008 (Jan-Aug) ■ In 'Pipeline'



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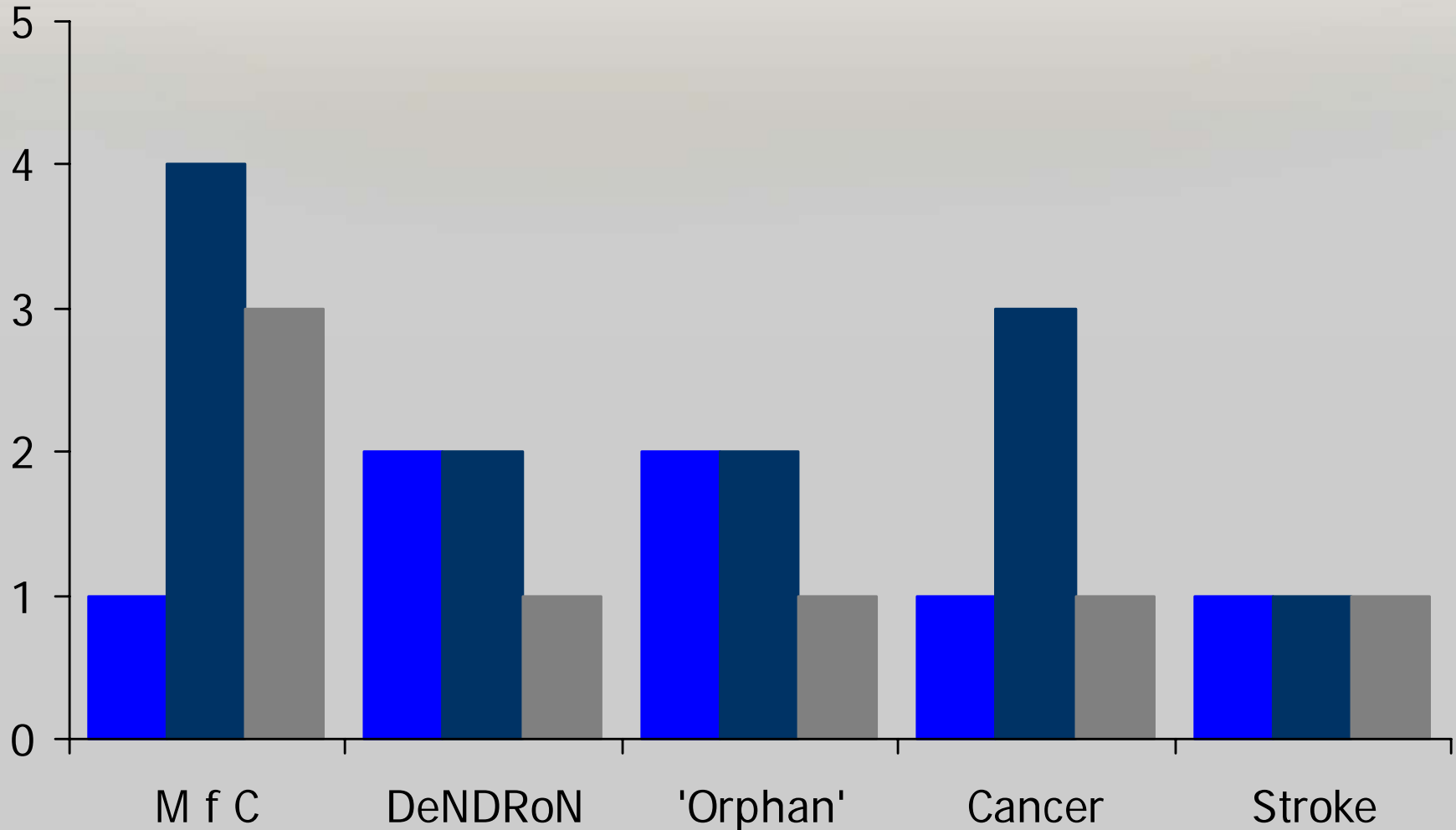
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studies, in a broad range of specialties, including premature babies, heel fractures, Parkinson's Disease and carotid artery surgery. There has been a significant increase in sponsored clinical trials activity researching new developments in diabetes, wound infection, rheumatology, orthopaedic implants and breast cancer. As a

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NIHR Studies by Network

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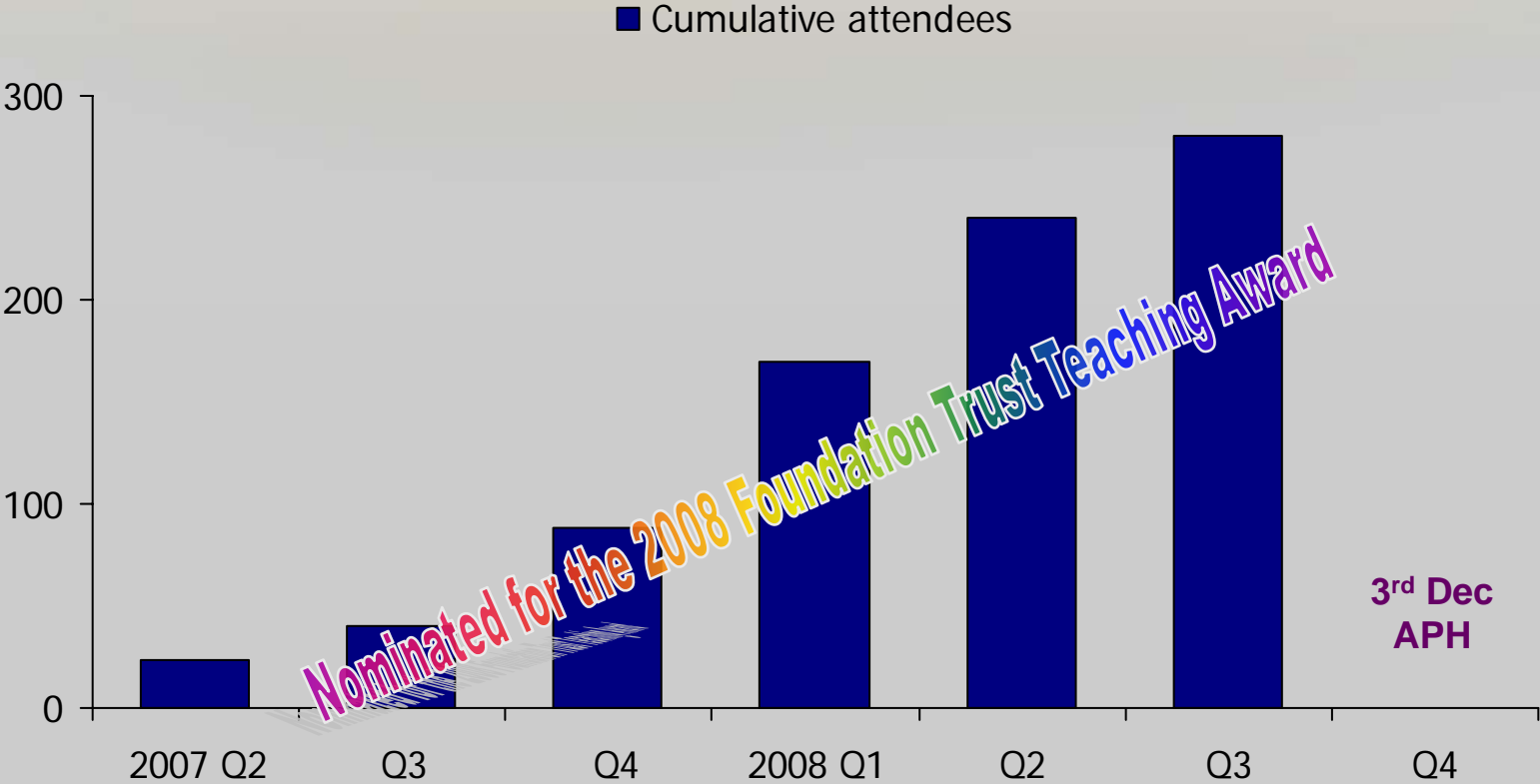
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The Clinical Trials Unit also undertakes teaching of Good Clinical Practice and Research Governance, jointly with the Clatterbridge Centre for Oncology Foundation Trust. During 2007/08, there have been over 100 participants including investigators from other local NHS Trusts that lack the capacity to deliver such training.

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GCP Training



Royal College of Physicians

College of Pharmacy Practice and Royal College of Nursing

What **are** the Functions of the CTU?

- ✓ **Generate income from commercial trials**
- ✓ **Increase recruitment to clinical trials**
- ✓ **Facilitate trial set-up and approval (R&D)**
- ✓ **Promote research across the Trust**
- ✓ **Provide training in research practice**

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