Interstitial Lung Disease management across Germany: A nationwide, cross-sectional survey among pulmonologists and rheumatologists to evaluate possible differences in regional and intersectoral care (CareILD)

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Study Planned

Administrative details

EU PAS number

EUPAS1000000871

Study ID

1000000871

DARWIN EU® study

No

Study countries

Germany

Study description

CareILD is a non-interventional, cross-sectional survey collecting self-reported data from pulmonologists and rheumatologists involved in ILD management in Germany. Data will be obtained via a one-time online questionnaire with both closed- and open-ended items, enabling quantitative and qualitative analysis. No individual patient data will be collected.

Study status

Planned

Research institutions and networks

Institutions

Boehringer Ingelheim

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Study timelines

Date when funding contract was signed

Planned: 24/06/2025

Actual: 24/06/2025

Study start date

Planned: 19/01/2026

Data analysis start date

Planned: 15/04/2026

Date of final study report

Planned: 31/08/2026

Regulatory

Was the study required by a regulatory body?

No

Is the study required by a Risk Management Plan (RMP)?

Not applicable

Methodological aspects

Study type

Study topic:

Other

Study topic, other:

Interstitial Lung Disease management across Germany

Study type:

Non-interventional study

Study Design

Non-interventional study design

Other

Non-interventional study design, other

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Data management

ENCePP Seal

The use of the ENCePP Seal has been discontinued since February 2025. The ENCePP Seal fields are retained in the display mode for transparency but are no longer maintained.

Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

CDM mapping

No

Data quality specifications

Check conformance

Yes

Check completeness

Yes

Check stability

Yes

Check logical consistency

Yes

Data characterisation

Data characterisation conducted

Yes