

Improving cervical cancer prevention by introducing HPV self-sampling in the Danish screening program- a randomized controlled trial

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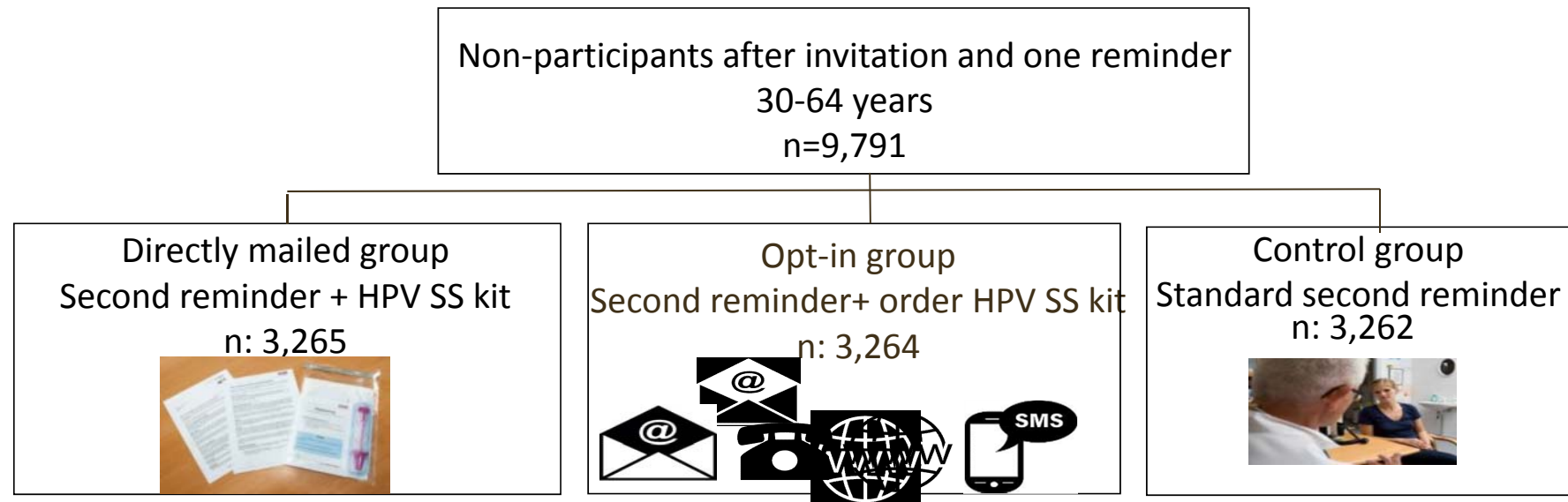
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Aims

- Increase screening participation by offering a HPV self-sampling kit (HPV SS kit)
- Measure compliance to follow-up among self-samplers

Methods

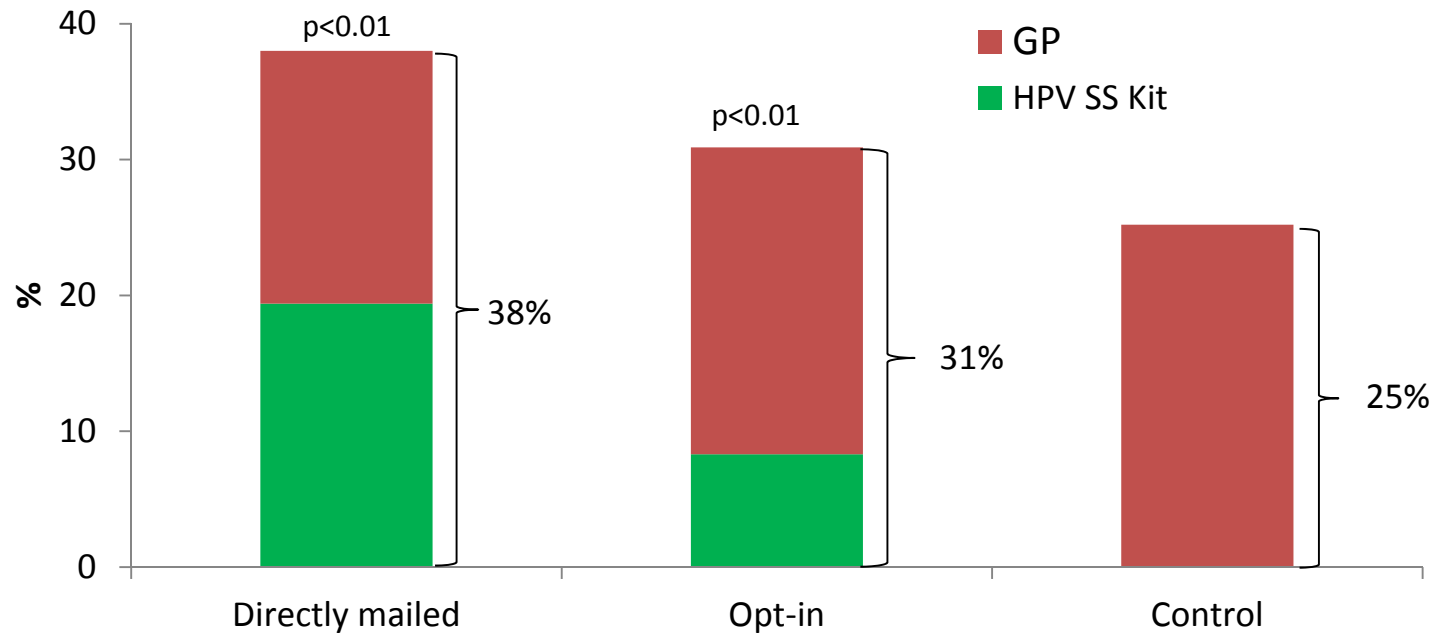


HPV SS Kit: HPV self-sampling kit



Results

Participation rate after the second reminder in each group



- Compliance to follow-up among self-samplers
 - ≤ 90 days: 90.7% (83.9-95.3%)



Results

- Which groups benefitted the most:
 - Unscreened* women (20% versus 7%)
 - Western immigrants (34% versus 16%)
 - Social welfare recipients (32% versus 17%)

*) No cervical cytology sample registered within the last 7-15 years depending on the woman's age



Thank you for your attention

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