

# Clinical Trial Protocol

## Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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### The effect of probiotic supplementation on patients' Hemoglobin with chronic Renal failure on Hemodialysis,

#### Protocol summary

##### Summary

The purpose of this study is "determination of the effect of probiotic supplementation on patients' Hemoglobin with chronic Renal failure on Hemodialysis. The study is a double blind intervention study with random allocation that it done in two Hemodialysis center. 36 patients are allocated randomly in two intervention and control groups (each groups 18 patients). The main inclusion criteria includes: Hemoglobin concentration <11g/dL in at least 3 episode; CRP more than 10 mg/ lit; Erythropoietin therapy for at least 4 weeks; Hemodialysis treatment for at least 6 months; 3 times dialysis per week and 4 hours per session; No surgery or bleeding in the last 3 months; Absence of active infection; No Consumption antibiotics in 10 days ago; No Hospitalization; Exclusion criteria: Antibiotic therapy during the study; Hospitalization; No Patient's tendency to stay in study; Bleeding during the study; The patients in intervention groups will receive oral probiotic supplement capsules 500mg per day after a meal for 12 weeks. The Patients in control group will receive one oral Placebo capsules per day for 12 weeks after a meal. Hemoglobin, CRP, were measured Before the intervention and three episode after intervention With each month interval and then compare groups.

#### General information

##### Acronym

##### IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2013072710325N2**  
Registration date: **2015-01-09, 1393/10/19**  
Registration timing: **retrospective**

Last update:

Update count: **0**

##### Registration date

2015-01-09, 1393/10/19

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#### Recruitment status

##### Recruitment complete

#### Funding source

Golestan University of Medical Sciences, Gorgan, Iran.

#### Expected recruitment start date

2014-08-23, 1393/06/01

#### Expected recruitment end date

2014-11-22, 1393/09/01

#### Actual recruitment start date

empty

#### Actual recruitment end date

empty

#### Trial completion date

empty

#### Scientific title

The effect of probiotic supplementation on patients' Hemoglobin with chronic Renal failure on Hemodialysis,

#### Public title

The effect of probiotic supplementation on patients' Anemia with chronic Renal failure on Hemodialysis.

#### Purpose

Treatment

#### Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Over 17 years old; Both sexes; Erythropoietin therapy for at least 4 weeks; Hemodialysis treatment for at least 6 months; 3 times dialysis per week and 4 hours per session; Hemoglobin concentration

<11g/dL in at least 3 episode; CRP more than 10 mg/ lit; No sever hyperparathyroidism; No surgery or bleeding in the last 3 months; Lack of Hemoglobin disorder including: Thalassemia or Sickle cell anemia; Lack of iron deficiency; Lack of folate and vitamin B12 deficiency; Absence of active infection; Lack of immune disorders such as Lupus erythematosus; Absence of malignancy; No Alcohol consuming; No Consumption antibiotics in 10 days ago; No Consumption corticosteroids; Lack of viral infections: AIDS; No Hospitalization; Exclusion criteria: Antibiotic therapy during the study; Hospitalization; Blood transfusion during the study; Surgery during the study; Change in drug program that it is effective on the anemia; Change in dialysis program; No Patient's tendency to stay in study; Malignancy diagnosis during the study; The presence of bleeding disorders during the study;

#### Age

From **17 years** old to **80 years** old

#### Gender

Both

#### Phase

N/A

#### Groups that have been masked

*No information*

#### Sample size

Target sample size: **36**

#### Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

#### Randomization description

#### Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Double blinded

#### Blinding description

#### Placebo

Used

#### Assignment

Parallel

#### Other design features

## Secondary Ids

empty

## Ethics committees

### 1

#### Ethics committee

##### Name of ethics committee

Ethical Committee Golestan University of Medical Sciences

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Deputy of Research and Technology, Golestan University, Shastkola

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#### Approval date

2014-06-08, 1393/03/18

#### Ethics committee reference number

562089303182

## Health conditions studied

### 1

#### Description of health condition studied

End stage kidney disease on hemodialysis

#### ICD-10 code

N18.5

#### ICD-10 code description

End stage kidney disease

## Primary outcomes

### 1

#### Description

Hemoglobin measurement

#### Timepoint

Before the intervention and three episode after intervantion With each month interval

#### Method of measurement

Laboratory equipment.

## Secondary outcomes

### 1

#### Description

Quantitative CRP

#### Timepoint

Before the intervention and three episode after intervantion With each month interval

#### Method of measurement

Laboratory equipment.

### 2

#### Description

Blood presure

#### Timepoint

Three months before and three months after the intervention

#### Method of measurement

manometer

### 3

#### Description

Defecation pattern

#### Timepoint

Before the intervention and after the intervention three times with an interval of one month

#### Method of measurement

Bristol scale and patient statement

## Intervention groups

### 1

#### Description

The intervention group consisted of 18 patients that they will receive oral probiotic supplement capsule, 500 mg

per day for 12 weeks, after a meal.

**Category**

Treatment - Drugs

**2**

**Description**

The control group consisted of 18 patients that they will receive oral Placebo capsules, one number per day for 12 weeks, after a meal.

**Category**

Treatment - Drugs

**Recruitment centers**

**1**

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5 AZAR Hospital

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**Grant name**

**Grant code / Reference number**

**Is the source of funding the same sponsor organization/entity?**

Yes

**Title of funding source**

Deputy of Research and Technology, Golestan University

**Proportion provided by this source**

100

**Public or private sector**

empty

**Domestic or foreign origin**

empty

**Category of foreign source of funding**

empty

**Country of origin**

**Type of organization providing the funding**

empty

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**Study Protocol**

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**Statistical Analysis Plan**

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**Informed Consent Form**

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**Clinical Study Report**

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**Analytic Code**

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**Data Dictionary**

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