

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Effect of preoperative oral tranexamic acid on intraoperative bleeding during rhinoplasty: A Clinical Trial

Protocol summary

Summary

(1) Objectives: Rhinoplastic surgery is one of the biggest challenges with manipulation or surgery to improve the cosmetic and functional nasal form. Tranexamic acid, is a competitive inhibitor of plasminogen activator in much higher concentrations is a non- competitive inhibitor of plasmin. In rhinoplastic surgery the amount of blood loss during surgery can be controlled in different ways, including the implementation of intraoperative controlled hypotension as well as the use of anti-fibrinolytic drugs such as tranexamic acid before, during, or after operation. Intravenous tranexamic acid during surgical procedures are used. So far, studies on the use of pre-operative oral tranexamic acid on bleeding during rhinoplastic surgery hasn't been performed in adults. (2) Design: This study is a randomized, double-blind clinical trial study to evaluate the effects of preoperative oral tranexamic acid in adults candidated for rhinoplastic surgery for reducing blood loss in Shiraz Chamran Hospital. A total of 50 adult patients between the ages of 16 to 40 years were randomized to receive either oral tranexamic acid group and the placebo group assigned anesthesiologist, while the doctor, a student of project manager, will be unaware. After obtaining informed consent from the patient, 2 hours before surgery, by maxillofacial ward nurse's a 1,000 mg (two 500 mg tranexamic acid tablets orally) with about 20 cc of water 2 hours before surgery. (3) Setting and conduct: A questionnaire that included demographic information (age , sex and weight) - Medical History - Hemodynamic values recorded before, during and after operation, duration of surgery and the amount of intraoperative bleeding will be recorded. Bleeding with surgical weight Gauzes is calculated using a digital scale in the operating room, so that bloody Gauzes secured with Beex box to prevent evaporation. At the end of the operation is determined by the amount of blood in the suction device that is added to the total amount of intraoperative bleeding. (4) Participants including major eligibility

criteria: The patients with systemic disease and no history of drug use, and willingness to cooperate in this study are enrolled! Exclusion criteria included known allergy to the study drug, hepatic and renal dysfunction and lack of signed informed consent will be excluded. (5) Intervention: Drug is administered with dose of 1000 mg (two 500 mg tablets) orally with about 20 cc of water are given to the patient's study 2 hours before surgery and the second group received placebo with about 20 cc of water patients. (6) Main outcome measures: Hemodynamic values is recorded before, during and post-operative and amount of blood loss during surgery as well as surgical duration, the weight of Gauze is calculated using a digital scale in the operating room.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete
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Supported by Vice-Chancellery of Research and Technology, Shiraz University Of Medical Sciences

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Actual recruitment start date
empty

Actual recruitment end date
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Trial completion date
empty

Scientific title
Effect of preoperative oral tranexamic acid on intraoperative bleeding during rhinoplasty: A Clinical Trial

Public title
Is oral tranexamic acid effective in reduction of blood loss during rhinoplasty?

Purpose
Prevention

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria
Inclusion criteria included: The patients with systemic disease and no history of drug use, and willingness to cooperate in this study are enrolled! Exclusion criteria included known allergy to the study drug, hepatic and renal dysfunction and lack of signed informed consent will be excluded.

Age
From **16 years** old to **40 years** old

Gender
Both

Phase
2

Groups that have been masked
No information

Sample size
Target sample size: **50**

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

Ethics committee Of Shiraz University Of Medical Sciences

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2010-09-23, 1389/07/01

Ethics committee reference number

CT-P-9368-6578

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Rhinoplasty

ICD-10 code

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ICD-10 code description

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Primary outcomes

1

Description

The amount of intraoperative bleeding

Timepoint

End of surgery

Method of measurement

Weight of the Gauze in the operating room for surgery with digital scale

2

Description

Blood pressure and heart rate values

Timepoint

Preoperative, intraoperative and postoperative

Method of measurement

Vital signs monitoring device

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Side effects of postoperative oral tranexamic acid

Timepoint

Postoperative in recovery room

Method of measurement

The nurse reported in the recovery

2

Description

Agitation and postoperative shivering

Timepoint

Recovery room

Method of measurement

The nurse reported in the recovery

Intervention groups

1

Description

Drug is administered with dose of 1000 mg (two 500 mg tablets) orally with about 20 cc of water are given to the patient's study 2 hours before surgery.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

The second group or control group received placebo with about 20 cc of water 2 hours before surgery.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

Recruitment centers

1

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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

Vice-Chancellery of Research and Technology, Shiraz
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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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Sharing plan

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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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