Clinical Trial Protocol
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Comparison of the Efficacy of Magnesium sulfate and Tramadol as an adjunct to the Intravenous Regional Block for Controlling Postoperative Pain Following Upper Extremity Surgeries.

Protocol summary

Summary

The purpose of this study is to compare the effects of tramadol and magnesium sulfate in postoperative pain control after these surgeries. In this double-blind clinical trial of 69 patients ASA 1&2, which will be candidate for surgery of the hand and forearm,were randomly allocated into three groups of 23 patients. All patients will receive 3mg/kg lidocaine 0.5%, then for control group normal saline, group 1 magnesium sulfate and group 2 tramadol is will be injected. Demographic data will be recorded and postoperative pain which will be measured by visual analogue scale in the recovery room and ward every hour for 6 hours and then every 4 hours for 24 hours postoperatively will be recorded.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2014040511662N6**
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Registration date

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

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Expected recruitment start date

2014-06-22, 1393/04/01

Expected recruitment end date

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Actual recruitment start date

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Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

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Scientific title

Comparison of the Efficacy of Magnesium sulfate and Tramadol as an adjunct to the Intravenous Regional Block for Controlling Postoperative Pain Following Upper Extremity Surgeries.

Public title

Comparison of the analgesic effect of magnesium and Tramadol after local anesthesia of upper extremity.

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: 69 patients 15-65 years old with ASA 1&2candidates for elective hand and forearm surgery or due to trauma. Exclusion criteria: History of drug abuse; History of allergies to drugs such as local anesthetics or opioid; History of: liver diseases; cardiovascular disease; renal failure; sickle cell anemia; Raynaud's disease; coagulopathy; G6PD deficiency; seizures.

Age

From **15 years** old to **65 years** old

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **69**

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

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2014-03-09, 1392/12/18

Ethics committee reference number

CT-P-92-6256

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Acute Postoperative Pain

ICD-10 code

R52.0

ICD-10 code description

Acute pain

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Postoperative pain intensity

Timepoint

Every hour for 6 hours and then every 4 hours for 24 hours after surgery

Method of measurement

Visual Anlouge Scale

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Nausea and Vomiting

Timepoint

Every one hour during first postoperative 24 hr

Method of measurement

Nausea is defined as urge to vomiting without ejection ofof the contents of the stomach through the mouth, Vomiting is defined asto eject of the contents of the stomach through the mouth, usually in a series of involuntary spasmic movements.

Intervention groups

1

Description

Control group: 10 cc saline in the 10 ml syringe will be injected into the patient by a resident of anesthesia who will not aware of the content of 10 cc syringe

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

Interventional group 1: 1.5 gram magnesium sulfate diluted with saline to a volume of 10 cc will be injected into the patient by a resident of anesthesia who will not aware of the content of 10 cc syringe .

Category

Treatment - Drugs

3

Description

Interventional group 2 : 100 miligram tramadol diluted with saline to a volume of 10 cc will be injected into the patient by a resident of anesthesia who will not aware of the content of 10 cc syringe .

Category

Treatment - Drugs

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

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Yes
Title of funding source
Vice-Chancellery of Research and Technology
Proportion provided by this source
100
Public or private sector
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Category of foreign source of funding
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Country of origin
Type of organization providing the funding
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Sharing plan

Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)
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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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