

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Effect of pharyngeal packs during septorhinoplasty surgery on post operative sore throat and nausea and vomiting

Protocol summary

Summary

Purpose: Effect of pharyngeal packs during septorhinoplasty surgery on post operative sore throat and nausea and vomiting. Single-center randomized, Double blind. The minimum sample size for this study was estimated to be 90. The sample size for this study was estimated to be at least 90 Based on a sample size of at least 80% power to test Chi-Square and were calculated using statistical software Ncss and PASS. ($P < 0.05$) was considered significant. Inclusion criteria: All ASAII-III patients candid septorhinoplasty after regional ethical committee approval and written informed consent to participate in the study. Exclusion criteria: history of motion sickness; common cold with sore throat; consumption of analgesics in the past 48 hours; a history of substance abuse and smoking; difficult intubation and repeat laryngoscopy. Intervention: group(A), input pharyngeal pack after anesthesia, group(B): without pharyngeal pack. Primary outcome: sore throat. Secondary outcome: nausea and vomiting. Septorhinoplasty surgery patients were randomly divided into two groups A (with pharyngeal packing) and B (without pharyngeal pack). At the end of surgery pharyngeal pack is withdrawn from the patient's mouth in group A in the operating room. Surgeons, recovery nurses and statistics expert do not know the patient group. The sore throat in VAS (Visual Analog Scale) from 0 to 10 and nausea and vomiting (with or without) recorded 0 , 2 , 6 and 24 hours after surgery.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

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Expected recruitment start date

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empty

Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Effect of pharyngeal packs during septorhinoplasty surgery on post operative sore throat and nausea and vomiting

Public title

Pharyngeal packs during surgery

Purpose

Prevention

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

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Age

No age limit

Gender

Both

Phase

2-3

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **90**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Double blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

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Approval date

2012-11-05, 1391/08/15

Ethics committee reference number

511/3011

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

septorhinoplasty

ICD-10 code

J34.2

ICD-10 code description

Deviated nasal septum

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Nausea & Vomiting

Timepoint

Post operative times:0 (recovery), 2 , 6 and 24 h

Method of measurement

Nausea: No or Yes (mild or severe), vomiting: Yes or No

2

Description

Sore throat

Timepoint

Post operative times:0 (recovery), 2 , 6 and 24 h

Method of measurement

Visual analog scale(VAS): Pain from 0=no pain to 10=sever pain

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Duration of surgery

Timepoint

Beginning of anesthesia until extubation

Method of measurement

Hour

2

Description

Concomitant disease

Timepoint

Questionnaire preoperatively

Method of measurement

Patient history

3

Description

Receiving narcotic

Timepoint

Postoperative time

Method of measurement

The number of narcotic injection. Recorded in the questionnaire

Intervention groups

1

Description

Intervention group A: after induction of anesthesia, a

simple cotton gauze (16-layer) put in pharyngeal space by anesthesiologist.

Category

Prevention

2**Description**

Intervention group B: without pharyngeal pack

Category

Prevention

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Yes

Title of funding source

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Proportion provided by this source

100

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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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