

Clinical Trial Protocol

Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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To investigate anti-inflammatory and anti oxidative stress effects of Curcumin on sulfur mustard-induced lung complications in Iranian veterans

Protocol summary

Summary

Objectives: We will investigate anti-inflammatory and anti oxidative stress effects of curcumin on patients with sulfur mustard-induced lung complications and the efficacy of curcumin in the alleviation of SM-induced chronic obstructive pulmonary symptoms. Study population and Intervention: A total of eighty non-smoker male Iranian veterans (38–62 years) will be randomised to receive either curcumin (1 g/d, n 20) or placebo (n 20) for 8 weeks. Curcumin will be administered for the patients in the form of C3 Complex capsules containing 500 mg curcuminoids and 5mg Bioperine. Placebo capsules contain piperine (5 mg) and are matched in shape, size and dose. Study duration and expected results: It is designed to assess pulmonary function tests and serum levels of a panel of markers: Interleukin-8, interleukin-4, interleukin-13, monocyte chemoattractant protein-1, and Tumor Necrosis Factor-alpha, Immunoglobulin G and Immunoglobulin I, High density lipoprotein, Low density lipoprotein, total cholesterol, lipoprotein(a), triglyceride, and activities of antioxidant enzymes including catalase, super oxide dismutase, and malondialdehyde and homocysteine, at baseline and at the end of the trial.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2014052817888N1**

Registration date: **2015-02-23, 1393/12/04**

Registration timing: **retrospective**

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Mashhad University of Medical Sciences, Chemical Injuries Research Center of Baqiyatallah University of Medical Sciences

Expected recruitment start date

2012-08-22, 1391/06/01

Expected recruitment end date

2013-09-23, 1392/07/01

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

To investigate anti-inflammatory and anti oxidative stress effects of Curcumin on sulfur mustard-induced lung complications in Iranian veterans

Public title

To investigate anti-inflammatory and anti oxidative stress effects of Curcumin on sulfur mustard-induced lung complications in Iranian veterans

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Chemical injuries resulting from mustard gas with pulmonary complications, according to medical records at three levels of severity (mild, moderate, severe) according to PFTs results Exclusion criteria: History of allergy to herbal medicine; The need for hospitalization due to the severity of the disease; Taking any antioxidant supplements (vitamin C, E or selenium) at least two weeks before participating in the project ; Contact with a chemical gas in a business environment; smoking .

Age

From **25 years** old to **60 years** old

Gender

Male

Phase

1-2

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **80**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Single 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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Approval date

2011-12-01, 1390/09/10

Ethics committee reference number

6702/3/340/س

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Lung complications of Sulfur Mustard

ICD-10 code

T97

ICD-10 code description

عوارض واثرات سمی ترکیبات با منابع غیر دارویی

Primary outcomes

1

Description

FEV1

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial - 2 month later

Method of measurement

spirometry test

2

Description

FVC

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial - 2 month later

Method of measurement

spirometry test

3

Description

FEV1/FVC

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial - 2 month later

Method of measurement

spirometry test

4

Description

IL-4

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial - 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

5

Description

IL-8

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial - 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

6

Description

IL-13

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial - 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

7

Description

TNF- α

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

8

Description

MCP-1

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

9

Description

LDL

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

10

Description

HDL

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

11

Description

Total Cholesterol

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

12

Description

TG

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

13

Description

Lp[a]

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

14

Description

SOD

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

15

Description

MDA

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

16

Description

CAT

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

17

Description

IgE

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

18

Description

IgG

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

19

Description

H-Cys

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Serum analysis

20

Description

Weight

Timepoint

Pre- trial -Pre- trial – 2 month later

Method of measurement

Kg

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

1

Description

Patients: Curcumin will be administrated for the patients(N=20) in the form of C3 Complex capsules (500mg) twice a day, 1 capsule each 12 hours.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

Controls:Placebo capsules will be used for the control group (N=20) contains piperine5 mg (500mg) , twice a day, 1 capsule each 12 hours. Placebo capsules are mached in shape and size with curcumin capsules.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

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Grant code / Reference number

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

Yes

Title of funding source

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Proportion provided by this source

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

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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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