

# Clinical Trial Protocol

## Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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### Comparison the effect of open and close endotracheal suctioning on hemodynamic status of patient with head trauma hospitalized in intensive care unit

#### Protocol summary

##### Summary

The aim of this study is comparing the effect of open and close endotracheal suctioning on hemodynamic status of patient with head trauma under mechanical ventilation. Design: 88 patients who needed endotracheal suctioning in SICU of Shahid Beheshti hospital on Babol University of medical science who were randomly allocated to undergo either closed (n=44) or open (n=44) suctioning. After getting oxygenated with 100% O<sub>2</sub> for one minute, the patients are suctioned with either method for 15 seconds. They will also receive 100% oxygen for one minute after suctioning and then hemodynamic indices (Heart rate, Respiratory rate, Mean Arterial Pressure, Cardiac Dysrhythmia, Central venous pressure, Positive end expiratory pressure, Arterial Blood Oxygen Saturation) are compared after suctioning every five minutes up to fifteen minutes between two groups. This study is single-blind, parallel clinical trial. Inclusion criteria: Patients without lung problems, Age more than 12 years old, Head trauma, Level of consciousness between 4-8, Patients with Endotracheal tube, Hemodynamic stability, lack of dysrhythmia. Exclusion criteria: Patients require frequent suctioning, any serious adverse effects during study (increasing of intracranial pressure, severe impairment in hemodynamic status). Intervention: In one group closed suction method and in another one, open suction method will perform. Main outcome measures: evaluating changes in hemodynamic indices with two methods in head trauma patients.

#### General information

##### Acronym

SICU: Surgical Intensive Care Unit

##### IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2015092624213N1**

Registration date: **2016-01-22, 1394/11/02**

Registration timing: **registered\_while\_recruiting**

Last update:

Update count: **0**

##### Registration date

2016-01-22, 1394/11/02

##### Registrant information

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##### Recruitment status

**Recruitment complete**

##### Funding source

Vice chancellor for research, Ardabil University of Medical Science

##### Expected recruitment start date

2015-08-23, 1394/06/01

##### Expected recruitment end date

2017-08-23, 1396/06/01

##### Actual recruitment start date

empty

##### Actual recruitment end date

empty

##### Trial completion date

empty

##### Scientific title

Comparison the effect of open and close endotracheal suctioning on hemodynamic status of patient with head

trauma hospitalized in intensive care unit

## Public title

Endotracheal suctioning and hemodynamic status

## Purpose

Prevention

## Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria; 1. Patients without lung problems 2. Age more than 12 years old 3. Head trauma 4. Level of consciousness between 4-8 5. Patients with Endotracheal tube 6. Hemodynamic stability 7. lack of dysrhythmia  
Exclusion criteria: 1. Patients require frequent suctioning 2. Any serious adverse effects during study(increasing of intracranial pressure, Severe impairment in hemodynamic status)

## Age

No age limit

## Gender

Both

## Phase

N/A

## Groups that have been masked

No information

## Sample size

Target sample size: 88

## Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

## Randomization description

## Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Single blinded

## Blinding description

## Placebo

Not used

## Assignment

Parallel

## Other design features

## Secondary Ids

empty

## Ethics committees

### 1

#### Ethics committee

##### Name of ethics committee

Ethic committee of Ardabil University of Medical Science

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##### Postal code

#### Approval date

2015-08-08, 1394/05/17

#### Ethics committee reference number

IR.ARUMS.1394.21

## Health conditions studied

### 1

#### Description of health condition studied

head trauma

#### ICD-10 code

S00-S09

#### ICD-10 code description

Fracture of skull with associated intracranial injury, Fracture of vault of skull, Fracture of base of skull, Multiple superficial injuries of head

## Primary outcomes

### 1

#### Description

Respiratory rate

#### Timepoint

Before and immediately after suctioning and then every five minutes up to fifteen minutes

#### Method of measurement

Observation and records

### 2

#### Description

Heart rate

#### Timepoint

Before, during and immediately after suctioning and then every five minutes up to fifteen minutes

#### Method of measurement

Observation and records

### 3

#### Description

Mean Arterial Pressure

#### Timepoint

Before, during and immediately after suctioning and then every five minutes up to fifteen minutes

#### Method of measurement

Observation and records

### 4

#### Description

Arterial Blood Oxygen Saturation

#### Timepoint

Before, during and immediately after suctioning and then every five minutes up to fifteen minutes

#### Method of measurement

Observation and records

### 5

#### Description

Cardiac dysrhythmia

#### Timepoint

During and Immediately after suctioning and then every five minutes up to fifteen minutes

#### Method of measurement

Observation and records

Prevention

## 6

### Description

Central Vein Pressure

### Timepoint

Before and immediately after suctioning and then every five minutes up to fifteen minutes

### Method of measurement

Observation and records

## 7

### Description

Positive End Expiratory Pressure

### Timepoint

Before, during and Immediately after intervention, Five, Ten, Fifteen minutes after open and close suction

### Method of measurement

Observation and records

## 8

### Description

Added at 2016-02-25: number of suctioning

### Timepoint

Added at 2016-02-25: Before, during and immediately after suctioning and then every five minutes up to fifteen minutes

### Method of measurement

Added at 2016-02-25: observation and records

## Secondary outcomes

empty

## Intervention groups

### 1

#### Description

After getting oxygenated with 100% O2 for one minute, the patients are suctioned with closed suction method for 15 seconds. The catheter will be inserted into the endotracheal tube and then will be withdrawn back for 0.5 cm. A negative pressure of maximum 20 KPa will be set, and catheter will be withdrawn. They will also receive 100% oxygen for one minute after suctioning.

#### Category

Prevention

### 2

#### Description

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#### Category

## Recruitment centers

### 1

#### Recruitment center

##### Name of recruitment center

Surgical Intensive Care Unit of Shahid Beheshti Hospital

##### Full name of responsible person

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Shahid Beheshti Hospital, Keshvari Square, Babol, Mazandaran, Iran

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## Sponsors / Funding sources

### 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 chancellor for research, Babol University of Medical Sciences

#### 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

## Person responsible for general inquiries

#### Contact

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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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