

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Comparison between metformine and megestrol for the treatment of endometrial hyperplasia

Protocol summary

Summary

Objective: comparison between metformine and megestrol for the treatment of simple endometrial hyperplasia.

Design: randomized clinical trial. setting and conduct: in one group metformine and in the other group megestrol will be prescribed for 12 weeks. Participants: Inclusion criteria: ultrasound which confirms endometrial thickening and simple endometrial hyperplasia without atypia in endometrial sampling. exclusion criteria: history of intolerance to metformine or megestrol; using metformine during previous 6 months; history of hepatic or renal disorders; plasma glucose of less than 60 mg/dl or more than 200 mg/dl ; current using of any medication, any gynecologic neoplasia; using any kind of hormones. Interventions: in one group metformine and in the other group megestrol will be prescribed for 12 weeks. Main outcome: improvement in endometrial hyperplasia.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT201506252624N18**

Registration date: **2016-03-22, 1395/01/03**

Registration timing: **retrospective**

Last update:

Update count: **0**

Registration date

2016-03-22, 1395/01/03

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

investigator

Expected recruitment start date

2015-03-21, 1394/01/01

Expected recruitment end date

2016-03-20, 1395/01/01

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Comparison between metformine and megestrol for the treatment of endometrial hyperplasia

Public title

Treatment of endometrial hyperplasia

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: ultrasound which confirms endometrial thickening and simple endometrial hyperplasia without atypia in endometrial sampling. exclusion criteria: history of intolerance to metformine or megestrol; using metformine during previous 6 months; history of hepatic or renal disorders; plasma glucose of less than 60 mg/dl or more than 200 mg/dl ; current using of any medication, any gynecologic neoplasia; using any kind of hormones.

Age

No age limit

Gender

Female

Phase

4

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: 36

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description**Blinding (investigator's opinion)**

Not blinded

Blinding description**Placebo**

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Randomization was performed as stratified block randomization.

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees**1****Ethics committee****Name of ethics committee**

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Approval date

2014-09-15, 1393/06/24

Ethics committee reference number

93/2920 /105/3

Health conditions studied**1****Description of health condition studied**

Other noninflammatory disorders of uterus, except cervix

ICD-10 code

N85

ICD-10 code description

Other noninflammatory disorders of uterus, except cervix

2**Description of health condition studied**

Endometrial glandular hyperplasia

ICD-10 code

N85.0

ICD-10 code description

Endometrial glandular hyperplasia

3**Description of health condition studied**

Endometrial adenomatous hyperplasia

ICD-10 code

N85.1

ICD-10 code description

Endometrial adenomatous hyperplasia

Primary outcomes**1****Description**

Endometrial hyperplasia

Timepoint

3 months after treatment.

Method of measurement

endometrial sampling

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups**1****Description**

Intervention group 1: administration of metformine, 1000 miligram daily for 4 weeks followed by 1500 miligram daily for 8 weeks.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2**Description**

Intervention group 2: administration of megestrol, 40 miligram daily for 12 weeks.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

Recruitment centers**1****Recruitment center****Name of recruitment center**

Akbarabadi Teaching Hospital

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Sponsors / Funding sources

1

Sponsor

Name of organization / entity

Vice chancellor for research ,Iran University of Medical Sciences.

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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 ,Iran 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

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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

empty

Clinical Study Report

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Analytic Code

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Data Dictionary

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