

Clinical Trial Protocol

Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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Effect of peppermint on improvement of GI function after Ceasarine section

Protocol summary

Summary

Objective: determine the effect of peppermint drop to improve bowel function after cesarean. Design: The population of the study included 102 elective cesarean women at 38-40 week of gestational age who underwent spinal anesthesia. The simple double blind randomization is done by using closed envelopes. The two groups were homogeneous in type of anesthesia and the time of operation(30-40 minutes). This study is in Phase 1. Setting and conduct: Elective cesarean section women at 38-40 week of gestational age under the spinal anesthesia were enrolled. One group of patients with 20 drops of mint in 30 cc of water will be treated and one group of patients with 20 drops of placebo in 30 cc water will be treated, Which begins 4 hours after the surgery and is repeated at intervals of one hour in three doses. The patients are then clinically examined for intestinal dysfunction.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2017030632909N1**
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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

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Expected recruitment start date

2017-03-21, 1396/01/01

Expected recruitment end date

2017-11-22, 1396/09/01

Actual recruitment start date

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Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Effect of peppermint on improvement of GI function after Ceasarine section

Public title

Effect of peppermint on GI disorder after Ceasarine section

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Woman undergone elective caesarian with Spinal Anesthesia in term 38-40 weeks; Monotone
Exclusion criteria: Having abdominal surgery; GI disease; Choleliathiasis and diabetes and Hyperion; usage of GI herbal or chemical drug; Diarrhia and vomiting and distention in the past 48 hours; opioid usage; sensitive to peppermint

Age

From **15 years** old to **50 years** old

Gender

Female

Phase

3

Groups that have been masked*No information***Sample size**

Target sample size: 51

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

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

Double blinded

Blinding description**Placebo**

Used

Assignment

Single

Other design features

Patients joined the research and researcher do not know about the drug content

Secondary Ids

empty

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

Ethics committee of Mashhad University of Medical Sciences

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2016-12-21, 1395/10/01

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

GI DYSFUNCTION

ICD-10 code

K91.8

ICD-10 code description

Other postprocedural disorders of digestive system, not elsewhere classified

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

Intestinal function

Timepoint

Before and 12 hours after intervention

Method of measurement

Physical Exam

2**Description**

Breastfeeding

Timepoint

24 hours after operation

Method of measurement

Look and note

3**Description**

Start Diet

Timepoint

24hours after operation

Method of measurement

Look and note

Secondary outcomes**1****Description**

Abdominal Circumflex

Timepoint

Before and 12 and 24 hours after cesaraine

Method of measurement

Centimeter

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

Intervention group :20 drops of mint at 30 cc water and 3 times every 1 hour

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2**Description**

Control group: 20 drops of placebo at 30 cc water and 3 times every 1 hour

Category

Placebo

Recruitment centers**1****Recruitment center**

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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, Mashhad University of
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Proportion provided by this source

100

Public or private sector

empty

Domestic or foreign origin

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Category of foreign source of funding

empty

Country of origin

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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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