

Clinical Trial Protocol

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The Comparative study on the Effect of Aromatherapy with Lavender and damask rose on Obvious Anxiety Level of the endoscopy Candidate Patients

Protocol summary

Study aim

The Effect of Aromatherapy with Lavender and damask rose on Obvious Anxiety Level of the endoscopy Candidate Patients

Design

clinical trial with a control group, with factorial groups, single-blind, randomized

Settings and conduct

The researcher refers to the research environment, With informed consent, eligible patients enter the study. Demographic questionnaire and anxiety are completed. Then, depending on which patient is located (lottery), intervention is performed. One hour before endoscopy, in the group, 2 drops of 10% lavender oil are placed on a cotton ball and attached to the patient's collar with a pin and the patient is asked to breathe normally for 30 minutes. In the group 2, the same intervention is performed with 2 drops of oil of damask rose. In the control group, the same intervention was performed with two drops of odorless soy oil (placebo). Then again, the situational anxiety questionnaire is completed for all three groups after the intervention. All actions are done by a researcher. The study is single-blind, and patients are not informed of any of the study groups and their differences.

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: age ≥ 18 , full awareness, interested in participating in the study, able to understand and speak Persian, endoscopy for the first time, and lack of Psychological and anxiety disease, mental retardation, blindness and deafness, history of allergies to plants, migraine and chronic headache, olfactory disorder, anxiety and narcotic drugs, and history of severe psychological stress recently. Exclusion criteria: emergency endoscopy, acute pain at the time of completing the questionnaire.

Intervention groups

Group1 aromatherapy with lavender Group2 aromatherapy with damask rose Control group aromatherapy with two drops of odorless soy oil (placebo)

Main outcome variables

Anxiety score Control; Use of non-pharmacological methods

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2018-04-21, 1397/02/01

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empty

Actual recruitment end date
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empty

Scientific title
The Comparative study on the Effect of Aromatherapy with Lavender and damask rose on Obvious Anxiety Level of the endoscopy Candidate Patients

Public title
The Comparative study on the Effect of Aromatherapy with Lavender and damask rose on Obvious Anxiety Level of the endoscopy Candidate Patients

Purpose
Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria
Inclusion criteria:
Be alert (relative to location, time, and surrounding)
Gastrointestinal endoscopy for the first time. Not mental illness and anxiety, mental retardation, blindness and deafness. any disorder have not sense of smell. Do not use anti-anxiety and opioid drugs There is no history of severe psychological stress during endoscopy (such as relatives death).
Exclusion criteria:
Acute pain when completing the questionnaire.

Age
From **18 years** old

Gender
Both

Phase
3

Groups that have been masked

- Participant

Sample size
Target sample size: **105**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)
Randomized

Randomization description
Samples will be drawn by lottery and will be randomly assigned to the studied groups. After reviewing the eligible patients, they will be satisfied. A draw box in which there are three paper with numbers 1, 2 and 3 in it is provided to the patient to randomly remove a number. That number represents the group in which it is placed. If the number of samples of each group is completed, that number will be withdrawn from the lottery container. This will continue to the required number of samples for all three groups.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)
Single blinded

Blinding description
All actions, including the completion of questionnaires and the use of essential oils, are done by a researcher and the study is single blind, and the patients in all three groups are not informed of any of the groups studied and their differences. But the researcher is aware of the

difference in groups and essential oils due to the categorization of the patients in the three groups and the implementation of the intervention.

Placebo
Used

Assignment
Parallel

Other design features
-

Secondary Ids

empty

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1

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2018-01-27, 1396/11/07

Ethics committee reference number

IR.GUMS.REC :1395.462

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Upper gastrointestinal endoscopy

ICD-10 code

K25

ICD-10 code description

Gastric ulcer

2

Description of health condition studied

anxiety

ICD-10 code

F41

ICD-10 code description

Other anxiety disorders

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Spielberger state anxiety score; score of 21-39 indicates

mild anxiety, 40-59 average anxiety and 60-80 severe anxiety

Timepoint
The beginning of the study (before the intervention) and the end of the intervention, the questionnaire will be completed

Method of measurement
Spielberger state anxiety Inventory

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

1

Description

Intervention group1: One hour before endoscopy, two drops of 10% lavender essential oil (the product of Barij Essen Company) are placed on a cotton ball and attached to the patient's collar with a pin. The patient is asked to wait for 30 minutes Take a normal breath.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

Intervention group 2: One hour before the patient goes to endoscopy, two drops of Damask Rose essential oil with a concentration of 10% (the product of Barij Essen Company) are placed on a cotton ball and attached to the patient's collar by the pin. They are asked to breathe normally for 30 minutes.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

3

Description

Control group: One hour before the patient goes to endoscopy, two drops of odorless soy oil (placebo) with a concentration of 10% (the product of Barij Essen Company) are placed on a cotton ball and attached to the patient's collar by the pin. They are asked to breathe normally for 30 minutes.

Category

Other

Recruitment centers

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

Rasht University of Medical Sciences

Proportion provided by this source

100

Public or private sector

Public

Domestic or foreign origin

Domestic

Category of foreign source of funding

empty

Country of origin

Type of organization providing the funding

Academic

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Sharing plan

Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Study Protocol

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Statistical Analysis Plan

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Informed Consent Form

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Clinical Study Report

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Analytic Code

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Data Dictionary

Not applicable

Title and more details about the data/document

Based on the goals in the design, the amount of anxiety is reported before and after the aromatherapy and some of the individual information listed in the Variables section

When the data will become available and for how long

Starting from the second half of 2019

To whom data/document is available

Researchers, Guilan University of Medical Sciences, samples of study, University and Hospital Researchers

Under which criteria data/document could be used

Data after analysis, is available to others through publication in scientific journals

From where data/document is obtainable

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What processes are involved for a request to access data/document

Usually, information will be available through the publication of the paper. But if the person asks for more and more information, can submit application by email and phone and in person. Then information will be provided according to the size and type of data that will be considered.

Comments