

# Clinical Trial Protocol

## Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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### Evaluation of the effect of arsenic trioxide adding to standard regimen 7-3 in acute myeloid leukemia patients: a Randomized single blind clinical trial

#### Protocol summary

##### Study aim

Evaluation of effect and superiority of Arsenic plus standard chemotherapy versus standard chemotherapy alone in induction of complete remission in acute myeloid leukemia (except M3).

##### Design

Two arm parallel group consist of control and intervention group to evaluate superiority of Arsenic. sample size are 112 patients that randomized by person who not involved in treatment process. Superiority.

##### Settings and conduct

Single blind randomized trial for evaluation of effect of adding arsenic to standard chemotherapy in acute myeloid leukemia patients. A third person at an external site randomized patients between two group ( A and B) to receive standard chemotherapy (A) and standard chemotherapy plus arsenic trioxide (B) . this study were done in academic state in one of the Tehran university of medical science hospital.

##### Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Newly Diagnosed primary non M3 AML, Age 15-59 years old

##### Intervention groups

control group receive Standard chemotherapy regimen consist of 7 days infusion cytarabine 100 mg /m<sup>2</sup> + danourubicine 60 mg /m<sup>2</sup> or for 3 days. intervention group receive Standard chemotherapy regimen as above + arsenic trioxide 0.15 m/kgfor 21 days.

##### Main outcome variables

Complete Remission (CR): Hematologic complete remission is defined as meeting all of the following response criteria for at least four weeks. < 5% blasts in the bone marrow; No blasts with Auer rods Normal maturation of all cellular components in the bone marrow No extramedullary disease (e.g., CNS, soft tissue disease) Neutrophils  $\geq 1,000/\mu\text{L}$  Platelets  $\geq 100,000/\mu\text{L}$  Transfusion independent

#### General information

##### Reason for update

##### Acronym

##### IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20140818018842N16**

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##### Registration date

2019-12-22, 1398/10/01

##### Registrant information

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##### Recruitment status

**Recruitment complete**

##### Funding source

##### Expected recruitment start date

2017-12-22, 1396/10/01

##### Expected recruitment end date

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##### Actual recruitment start date

empty

##### Actual recruitment end date

empty

**Trial completion date**

empty

**Scientific title**

Evaluation of the effect of arsenic trioxide adding to standard regimen 7-3 in acute myeloid leukemia patients: a Randomized single blind clinical trial

**Public title**

Effect of arsenic trioxide in induction of complete remission of acute myeloid leukemia(non m3)

**Purpose**

Treatment

**Inclusion/Exclusion criteria****Inclusion criteria:**

Patients with a newly diagnosis of AML according to the criteria of the WHO 2016 revision Age 15-59years  
Diagnosis of primary AML other than acute promyelocytic leukemia (AML M3), Adequate liver (serum bilirubin level < 2upper normal limit) and renal function test (serum creatinine <1.5upper normal limit or creatinine clearance >60) Normal cardiac function Females of childbearing age must have a negative serum pregnancy test ECOG <=2 Signed consent

**Exclusion criteria:**

Newly diagnosed patients older than age 60. CML in blastic crisis Patients with cardiopathies including recurrent supraventricular arrhythmia and any type of sustained ventricular arrhythmia or conduction block (A-V block grade II or III) Pregnant or breastfeeding women History of preexisting neurological disorders ( seizure disorders) Patients with active second malignancy, excluding adequately treated basal or squamous cell carcinoma of the skin, or carcinoma in situ of the cervix

**Age**

From **15 years** old to **69 years** old

**Gender**

Both

**Phase**

3

**Groups that have been masked**

- Data analyser

**Sample size**

Target sample size: **112**

**Randomization (investigator's opinion)**

Randomized

**Randomization description**

Patients are divided into 2 study groups by balanced block randomization. The list of randomized patients is made by a person not involved in the study and then the participants are randomly assigned into treatment groups.

**Blinding (investigator's opinion)**

Single blinded

**Blinding description**

The computer gives each patient a code number. And the code numbers are then allocated to the treatment groups control(standard chemotherapy receiver) and intervention group(arsenic plus standard chemotherapy receiver). In this study, neither the participants nor the researchers know which participants belong to the

placebo group, nor the intervention group. Only at the end of the study, the results are reported by a person not involved in the study

**Placebo**

Not used

**Assignment**

Parallel

**Other design features****Secondary Ids**

empty

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

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2017-10-26, 1396/08/04

**Ethics committee reference number**

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

Acute myeloid leukemia ( non m3)

**ICD-10 code**

C92.0

**ICD-10 code description**

Acute myeloblastic leukemia

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

Evaluation of effect of adding arsenic to standard chemotherapy on induction of complete remission of acute myeloid leukemia except m3

**Timepoint**

14 and 28 days after start of chemotherapy we performed bone marrow examination to evaluate remission rate.

**Method of measurement**

Bone marrow microscopic evaluation

## Secondary outcomes

### 1

**Description**

overall survival

**Timepoint**

3 years after treatment completion

**Method of measurement**

follow up

### 2

**Description**

Disease free survival

**Timepoint**

3 years after treatment completion (1 - 2 months interval)

**Method of measurement**

follow up

### 3

**Description**

Arsenic Safty

**Timepoint**

within first 28 days

**Method of measurement**

Patient monitoring and Electrocardiography monitoring and laboratory tests

## Intervention groups

### 1

**Description**

intervention group: received Standard chemotherapy regimen consists of 3 days of an anthracycline e.g daunorubicin at 60 mg/m<sup>2</sup> and 7 days of cytarabine (100 mg/m<sup>2</sup> continuous infusion) plus arsenic at 0.15 mg/kg for 21 days.

**Category**

Treatment - Drugs

### 2

**Description**

control group: received standard chemotherapy regimen consist of 7 days cytarabin at 100mg/m<sup>2</sup> and 3 days daunorubicin at 60 mg/m<sup>2</sup>.

**Category**

Treatment - Drugs

## Recruitment centers

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**Web page address****Grant name****Grant code / Reference number****Is the source of funding the same sponsor organization/entity?**

Yes

**Title of funding source**

Hematology, Oncology & Stem Cell Transplantation Research Center, Tehran University of Medical Sci.

**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)**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

**Justification/reason for indecision/not sharing IPD**

There is no further information

**Study Protocol**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

**Statistical Analysis Plan**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

**Informed Consent Form**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

**Clinical Study Report**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

**Analytic Code**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

**Data Dictionary**

No - There is not a plan to make this available