

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Study of the effects of *Elaeagnus angustifolia* L. fruit on the profile of hormones and lipids and genital infectious in menopausal women refer to Kamali hospital in 1396

Protocol summary

Study aim

Determination of the effects of *Elaeagnus angustifolia* L. fruit on the profile of hormones and lipids and genital infectious in menopausal women.

Design

A clinical trial with a parallel control group, double blind, randomized.

Settings and conduct

Parallel, Double-blind, Kamali Clinic

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Postmenopausal women aged 70-40 with a serum lipid level of 200-300 mg / ml and no risk factor for using the drug to lower this lipid level are invited to this study. Major exclusion criteria: The women who suffering from cardiovascular diseases; renal and metabolic disorders such as diabetes; those using psychiatric drugs; smoking tobacco or consuming alcohol or narcotic agents are excluded from the study

Intervention groups

Intervention group: *Elaeagnus angustifolia* L powder, 15 g / day longer 10 weeks. Control group(placebo):7.5 g isomalt and 7.5 g corn starch longer 10 weeks.

Main outcome variables

Estradiol, Progesterone, Testosterone, FSH and LH, TSH, Prolactin, Cortisol, DHEA-SO₄, Insulin, FBS, Hemoglobin A1c, Total protein, Vitamin D, Pap smear, Urine analysis and culture, Blood pressure and Heart rate, LDL, HDL, Triglyceride, Cholesterol and Vaginal culture.

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2017-08-05, 1396/05/14

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Actual recruitment start date

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Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

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Scientific title

Study of the effects of *Elaeagnus angustifolia* L. fruit on the profile of hormones and lipids and genital infectious in menopausal women refer to Kamali hospital in 1396

Public title

Study of the effects of *Elaeagnus angustifolia* L. fruit on the profile of hormones and lipids and genital infectious

in menopausal women

Purpose
Prevention

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria
Inclusion criteria:
 Postmenopausal women aged 40-70. Serum lipid level of 200-300 mg / ml. No risk factor for using the drug to lower this lipid level.
Exclusion criteria:
 Cardiovascular diseases. Renal diseases. Metabolic disorders such as diabetes. Those using psychiatric drugs. Having destructive habits like cigarettes, hookahs, consuming alcohol and drugs.

Age
From **40 years** old to **70 years** old

Gender
Female

Phase
2-3

Groups that have been masked

- Participant
- Care provider
- Investigator
- Outcome assessor
- Data analyser
- Data and Safety Monitoring Board

Sample size
 Target sample size: **120**
 Actual sample size reached: **60**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)
Randomized

Randomization description
 Simple random sampling method was used to randomize distribution of subjects in two groups of intervention and control group. The numbers 1 to 60 were written in the same color and shape paper. The paper was put in a pot after folding. Then the bowl components were stirred. By the person who did not have a role in this project, the paper was taken randomly. The first 30 numbers that came out of the bowl were intended for people who are supposed to be in the blue group. The 30 numbers remained in the bowl, the red group was considered.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)
Double blinded

Blinding description
 By the person who does not play a role in this project, the coordination of drug and placebo packaging is performed in two packages with different color schemes. Supervisors and project students, as well as those involved in clinical trials, are unaware of the nature of these packages until the end of the design and receiving the latest test results and analysis of the data.

Placebo
Used

Assignment
Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

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2018-03-10, 1396/12/19

Ethics committee reference number

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Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Menopause

ICD-10 code

N95.9

ICD-10 code description

Menopausal and perimenopausal disorder, unspecified.

Primary outcomes

1

Description

LDL

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

2

Description

HDL

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

3

Description

Triglyceride
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

4

Description
Insulin
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

5

Description
HbA1c
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

6

Description
Blood pressure
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

7

Description
Total Protein
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

8

Description
Estradiol
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

9

Description
Progesterone
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the

drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

10

Description
Testosterone
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

11

Description
FSH (Follicle stimulating hormone)
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

12

Description
LH (Luteinizing hormone)
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

13

Description
DHEA-SO4
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

14

Description
TSH
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

15

Description
Urinalysis and culture
Timepoint
Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo
Method of measurement
Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

16

Description

heart beat

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

17

Description

Vitamin D3

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

18

Description

Pap smear

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

19

Description

Prolactin

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

20

Description

Vaginal culture

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

21

Description

Cholesterol

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

22

Description

Cortisol

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

23

Description

FBS(Fasting blood sugar)

Timepoint

Before the start of the trial and 10 weeks after taking the drug or placebo

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Constipation, Abdominal Pain

Timepoint

End of the course after 10 weeks

Method of measurement

Standards of medical diagnostic laboratories

Intervention groups

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Description

Intervention group: Elaeagnus angustifolia L powder, 15 g / day longer 10 weeks.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

Control group(placebo):7.5 g isomalt and 7.5 g corn starch longer 10 weeks.

Category

Placebo

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

Karaj University of Medical Sciences

Proportion provided by this source

45

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

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Proportion provided by this source

55

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Domestic or foreign origin

Domestic

Category of foreign source of funding

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Country of origin

Type of organization providing the funding

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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

We will not disclose the private information of the participants in the project.

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

Undecided - It is not yet known if there will be a plan to make this available

Clinical Study Report

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Analytic Code

Undecided - It is not yet known if there will be a plan to make this available

Data Dictionary

Undecided - It is not yet known if there will be a plan to make this available

Title and more details about the data/document

All information for study variables will be published (Estradiol, Progesterone, Testosterone, FSH and LH, TSH, Prolactin, Cortisol, DHEA-SO4, Insulin, FBS, Hemoglobin A1c, Total protein, Vitamin D, Pap smear, Urine analysis and culture, Blood pressure and Heart rate, LDL, HDL, Triglyceride, Cholesterol and Vaginal culture) in valid scientific papers.

When the data will become available and for how long

The start of the access period will be 6 months after the publication of the results.

To whom data/document is available

Results are unknown yet.

Under which criteria data/document could be used

After publishing the information in the articles, the data will be available to other researchers as well.

From where data/document is obtainable

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

Once the research, analysis and publication period have been completed, email is available to researcher (arezaei@du.ac.ir) .

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