

Clinical Trial Protocol

Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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Effect of prophylactic iron supplementation on Pregnancy outcome

Protocol summary

Summary

The aim of this double blind clinical trial study is the determination of effect of prophylactic iron supplementation on pregnancy outcome in nonanemic women. One hundred and sixty six nonanemic pregnant women 18-24 years will be divided to 2 groups:1) Supplementation group received 60 mg/d iron as ferrus sulfate2)Control group received placebo .At the beggining, 24-28 weeks and end of the pregnancy hemoglobin, serum ferritin , fasting blood sugar will be measured.Birth Weight, birth height and gestational age will be recorded.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT138706141196N1**

Registration date: **2008-10-21, 1387/07/30**

Registration timing: **registered_while_recruiting**

Last update:

Update count: **0**

Registration date

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

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Expected recruitment start date

2008-09-06, 1387/06/16

Expected recruitment end date

2008-12-06, 1387/09/16

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Effect of prophylactic iron supplementation on Pregnancy outcome

Public title

Effect of prophylactic iron supplementation on Pregnancy outcome

Purpose

Health service research

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

inclusion criteria: GA: <20 weeks, Age:18-24 y,gravidity 1, BMI:18.5-24.9 kg/m², Hb>110g/l, Serum Ferritin

>20Ug/l Exclusion criteria: Hb<110g/l, infection, disease,

Age

From **18 years** old to **24 years** old

Gender

Female

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **166**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Double blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

Irostan University of Medical Sciences

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Approval date

2008-04-30, 1387/02/11

Ethics committee reference number

896٥

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Iron supplementation in pregnant women

ICD-10 code

ICD-10 code description

Primary outcomes

1

Description

serum ferritin

Timepoint

beginning the study (<20 wk), 28 wk of gestation and 38 wk of gestation

Method of measurement

radioimmunoassay method

2

Description

Hemoglobin

Timepoint

beginning the study (<20 wk), 28 wk of gestation and 38 wk of gestation

Method of measurement

cyanid hemoglobin

3

Description

Fasting blood sugar

Timepoint

beginning the study (<20 wk), 28 wk of gestation and 38 wk of gestation

Method of measurement

Glucose oxidase

4

Description

birth weight

Timepoint

at birthday

Method of measurement

recording weight by scale

5

Description

birth length

Timepoint

at birthday

Method of measurement

strip meter

6

Description

gestational age

Timepoint

at birthday

Method of measurement

calculated from the number of completed weeks since the first day of the mother's last menstrual period to the date of birth.

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

maternal weight gain

Timepoint

at delivery

Method of measurement

The difference between mothers' weight before pregnancy and after delivery

2

Description

adherence to iron supplementation

Timepoint

at each return visiting by physician

Method of measurement

calculated on the basis of the number of tablets remaining in the box

Intervention groups

1

Description

iron supplementation

Category

empty

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

Name of recruitment center

private office

Full name of responsible person

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Sponsors / Funding sources

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

lorestan 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

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Clinical Study Report

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Analytic Code

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Data Dictionary

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