

Clinical Trial Protocol

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The effect of eight weeks of combined training on the serum macrophages phenotype of cardiac patients after coronary artery bypass graft surgery

Protocol summary

Study aim

The aim of the present study is to investigate the effect of eight weeks of combined training on serum macrophages phenotype after coronary arteries bypass graft surgery.

Design

Clinical trial with control group, Parallel groups, Not blinded, Not randomized

Settings and conduct

Study population of patients with coronary artery bypass graft surgery which has positive exercise test and are not present in the cardiac rehabilitation of Afshar Hospital in Yazd. Patients are not willing to take part in the study or create any cardiovascular disease or skeletal problem during the study will be dropped out. Individuals in non-randomly divided into two groups, including a group that will receive cardiac rehabilitation and drug treatment, and the control group that will only receive pharmaceutical treatment. In each group, 10 people will be examined.

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Coronary artery bypass graft surgery, low risk and Ejection fraction of 30%. Exclusion criteria: unstable angina, uncorrected heart failure, cardiac infarction over the past four weeks, ventricular arrhythmias.

Intervention groups

Intervention group: 8 weeks cardiac rehabilitation (aerobic exercises and resistance training) included 3 sessions per week with an intensity of 50-80% of the heart rate reserve or the criterion of Borg 11-13 depending on the ability of the subjects and the resistance training consists of three repetitive sets, three movements for upper limbs and two lower extremity movements. Training course with the usual treatment of cardiac risk factors will include high hyperlipidemia and hypertension. Control group: Those who do not

participate in the rehab program despite their doctor's recommendation and the usual treatment.

Main outcome variables

Classical Macrophage ,Alternative Macrophage

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20190529043755N1**

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2017-10-12, 1396/07/20

Expected recruitment end date

2018-04-09, 1397/01/20

Actual recruitment start date

2018-01-10, 1396/10/20

Actual recruitment end date

2018-11-14, 1397/08/23

Trial completion date

2018-11-14, 1397/08/23

Scientific title

The effect of eight weeks of combined training on the serum macrophages phenotype of cardiac patients after coronary coronary artery bypass graft surgery

Public title

Combined training on the serum macrophages phenotype of cardiac patients

Purpose

Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria**Inclusion criteria:**

Patients after Coronary Artery Bypass Graft Surgery
Surgical Injection site restoration, Having a low risk and
Ejection fraction of 30%

Exclusion criteria:

Unstable angina Cardiac insufficiency not compensated
Myocardial infarction over the past four weeks,
Ventricular arrhythmia

Age

No age limit

Gender

Male

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked*No information***Sample size**Target sample size: **20**Actual sample size reached: **20****Randomization (investigator's opinion)**

Not randomized

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

Not blinded

Blinding description**Placebo**

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features**Secondary Ids**

empty

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

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2017-09-24, 1396/07/02

Ethics committee reference number

IR.SSU.REC.1396.108

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

Patients after Coronary Artery Bypass Graft Surgery

ICD-10 code

I25.1

ICD-10 code description

Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery

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

Classical Macrophage Serum Level

Timepoint

24 hours prior to baseline and 24 hours after the
intervention period

Method of measurement

Elisa Kit

2**Description**

Alternative Macrophage Serum Level

Timepoint

24 hours prior to baseline and 24 hours after the
intervention period

Method of measurement

Elisa Kit

Secondary outcomes

empty

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

Intervention group: Intervention Group: 8 weeks cardiac
rehabilitation (aerobic exercises and resistance training)
included 3 sessions per week with an intensity of 50-80%
of the heart rate reserve or the criterion of Borg 11-13
depending on the ability of the subjects and for each
session up to 90 minutes as follows: Walking on the
treadmill 20 to 30 minutes, the pedal on the fixed bike

10 to 12 minutes, the use of a handheld meter is 10 minutes and the resistance training consists of three repetitive sets, three movements for upper limbs and two lower extremity movements. Training course with the usual treatment of cardiac risk factors will include high hyperlipidemia and hypertension. The exercises will be carried out by observing the principle of overload.

Category

Rehabilitation

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Description

Control group: Those who do not participate in the rehab program despite their doctor's recommendation and will have the usual treatment of heart disease risk factors include hyperlipidemia and hypertension.

Category

Rehabilitation

Recruitment centers

1

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Grant name

Grant code / Reference number

Is the source of funding the same sponsor organization/entity?

No

Title of funding source

University of Esfahan

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

Due to the confidentiality of some patients' information and their dissatisfaction with the publication

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