

Clinical Trial Protocol

Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

27 Jun 2026

Comparative of effectiveness prehospital received tranexamic acid on transmission blood volume on severe trauma patients

Protocol summary

Blood transfusion or products, mortality, length of stay in intensive care unit

Study aim

The purpose of this study was to investigate the effect of tranexamic acid in traumatic injuries in order to have its effect on reducing the need for blood transfusion or its products, mortality and reduction of hospitalization in intensive care unit.

Design

This study was a parallel randomized controlled clinical trial study design. The sample size of the study is 330 traumatic patients that will be assigned to intervention and control groups using block randomization method.

Settings and conduct

To reduce blood transfusion and its products in traumatic patients who needed, tranexamic acid will be prescribed by the prehospital emergency in the scene and infusion dose will be performed at Rasoul Akram and Shohadaye Haftom -e-Tir Hospitals of Iran University of Medical Sciences. To evaluate the effect of tranexamic acid on blood transfusion, mortality and length of stay in intensive care unit for up to 24 hours after admission. Study participants, physicians that assessing the outcomes and Data analyzer will be blind to the type of interventions that patients received.

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Traumatic patients in the age range of 14-50 years with a COAST score above two will be included in the study. In addition, more than three hours after the accident are the main exclusion criteria.

Intervention groups

The intervention group will be received tranexamic acid in the initial dose of one gram of 50 milliliter normal saline within 10 minutes (once only), along with other prehospital treatment processes. In this group, the maintenance dose infusion of one gram per 100 milliliter will continue in the hospital for eight hours (up to 24 hours in three stages). The control group will not be used it and only the therapeutic processes required for patients will be performed.

Main outcome variables

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20140528017891N7**

Registration date: **2019-11-24, 1398/09/03**

Registration timing: **registered_while_recruiting**

Last update: **2019-11-24, 1398/09/03**

Update count: **0**

Registration date

2019-11-24, 1398/09/03

Registrant information

Name

Nader Tavakoli

Name of organization / entity

Iran University Of Medical Science

Country

Iran (Islamic Republic of)

Phone

+98 21 8891 5410

Email address

tavakoli.n@iums.ac.ir

Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2019-11-16, 1398/08/25

Expected recruitment end date

2020-12-30, 1399/10/10

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date
empty

Scientific title
Comparative of effectiveness prehospital received tranexamic acid on transmission blood volume on severe trauma patients

Public title
Tranexamic acid effect on blood volume transmission

Purpose
Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria
Inclusion criteria:
Being at the age of 14-50 Having COAST score more than 2 Bring up to hospital by Tehran emergency medical service
Exclusion criteria:
Passing 3 hours from trauma Having signs of Disseminated intravascular coagulation, myocardial infarction, pulmonary embolism, Stroke Warning Signs and Symptoms Allergic reaction

Age
From **14 years** old to **50 years** old

Gender
Both

Phase
3

Groups that have been masked

- Participant
- Outcome assessor
- Data analyser

Sample size
Target sample size: **330**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)
Randomized

Randomization description
For prevention of selection bias in participants into study groups, we use the randomization methods. Ranom Allocation software will be used for randomization process. Participants will be randomized with blocked randomization method (with random blocks) to receive drug (intervention). The output of allocation will be specified with A and B for being blind to the research team. In this process, allocated participants in accordance with basic blocks are not predictable.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)
Triple blinded

Blinding description
We will inform the supervisor after selecting each patient. Blinding process in this study is triple blinded. They are selected on the randomized output and its adaptation to the participant's number. Blinding process in this study is triple blinded. The intervention will be sent in a form that is not known to the patient, statistical analyst and evaluator of the outcomes to decrease the rate of information bias in intervention and outcome variables.

Placebo
Not used

Assignment
Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids
empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

Ethics committee of Iran university of Medical Sciences

Street address

بزرگراه همت، دانشگاه علوم پزشکی ایران

City

Tehran

Province

Tehran

Postal code

1449614535

Approval date

2019-08-17, 1398/05/26

Ethics committee reference number

IR.IUMS.REC.1398.477

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Bleeding in trauma

ICD-10 code

T14.5

ICD-10 code description

Injury of blood vessel(s) of unspecified body region

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Bleeding control

Timepoint

Up to 24 hours after admission to hospital

Method of measurement

Get blood products

2

Description

Mortality

Timepoint

Up to 24 hours after admission to hospital

Method of measurement

Vital signs observation in patient

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Length time in intensive care unit

Timepoint

The number of days the patient is in intensive care

Method of measurement

Counting the days when the patient was in the ward

Intervention groups

1

Description

Intervention group: They will receive tranexamic acid at an initial dose of one gram of 50 milliliter normal saline within 10 minutes (only once), along with other prehospital treatment processes. In addition, the infusion of a maintenance dose of 1 germ per 100 milliliter will continue in the hospital for eight hours (up to 24 hours in three stages).

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

Control group: In this group placebo will not be used and only the treatment processes required for the patients will be performed.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

Name of recruitment center

Rasoul Akram hospital

Full name of responsible person

Nader Tavakoli

Street address

Rasoul Akram hospital, Niyayesh St, Sattarkhan St

City

Tehran

Province

Tehran

Postal code

1445613131

Phone

+98 21 6653 9260

Fax

+98 21 6653 9233

Email

tavakoli.n@iums.ac.ir

2

Recruitment center

Name of recruitment center

Shohadaye Haftom -e-Tir

Full name of responsible person

Nader Tavakoli

Street address

South Shahid Rajaei Highway

City

Tehran

Province

Tehran

Postal code

1886718136

Phone

+98 21 6653 9260

Fax

+98 21 6653 9233

Email

tavakoli.n@iums.ac.ir

Sponsors / Funding sources

1

Sponsor

Grant name

Grant code / Reference number

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

empty

Title of funding source

Proportion provided by this source

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

2

Sponsor

Name of organization / entity

Tehran Emergency Center

Full name of responsible person

Peyman Saberian

Street address

No. 58, Tehran Emergency Center, Sharif Alley, South Iranshahr Ave.

City

Tehran

Province

Tehran

Postal code

1581615117

Phone

+98 21 4923 1000

Fax

+98 21 4923 1000

Email

research@tehran115.ir

Grant name

Grant code / Reference number

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

Yes

Title of funding source

Tehran Emergency Center

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

Other

Person responsible for general inquiries

Contact

Name of organization / entity

Iran University of Medical Sciences

Full name of responsible person

Nader Tavakoli

Position

Association

Latest degree

Specialist

Other areas of specialty/work

Emergency Medicine

Street address

خیابان ستارخان، خیابان نیایش، بیمارستان رسول اکرم

City

Tehran

Province

Tehran

Postal code

1445613131

Phone

+98 21 6653 9260

Fax

+98 21 6653 9233

Email

Tavakoli.n@iums.ac.ir

Person responsible for scientific inquiries

Contact

Name of organization / entity

Iran University of Medical Sciences

Full name of responsible person

Nader Tavakoli

Position

Association

Latest degree

Specialist

Other areas of specialty/work

Emergency Medicine

Street address

Rasoul Akram Hospital, Niyayesh St, Sattarkhan St.

City

Tehran

Province

Tehran

Postal code

1445613131

Phone

+98 21 6653 9260

Fax

+98 21 6653 9233

Email

Tavakoli.n@iums.ac.ir

Person responsible for updating data

Contact

Name of organization / entity

Iran University of Medical Sciences

Full name of responsible person

Nader Tavakoli

Position

Association

Latest degree

Specialist

Other areas of specialty/work

Emergency Medicine

Street address

Rasoul Akram Hospital, Niyayesh St, Sattarkhan St.

City

Tehran

Province

Tehran

Postal code

1445613131

Phone

+98 21 6653 9260

Fax

+98 21 6653 9233

Email

tavakoli.n@iums.ac.ir

Sharing plan

Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)

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

Study Protocol

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

Statistical Analysis Plan

Undecided - It is not yet known if there will be 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

Findings of the study, demographic data of participants in the study, in addition to descriptive and analytical analysis of variables.

When the data will become available and for how long

Availability eight months after the end of study

To whom data/document is available

Specialists of emergency medicine and prehospital emergency

Under which criteria data/document could be used

In the case of comparison with other similar trials or treatment

From where data/document is obtainable

Iran University of Medical Sciences and Tehran emergency center

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

By referring to the central library and clinical trial center in Iran University of Medical Sciences can access to the documents of participants, data and results.

Comments