

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Effect of post intubation endotracheal suction before surgery on respiratory parameters in children with airway secretion

Protocol summary

Study aim

Post intubation airway secretion suction effects on respiratory parameter in children

Design

Controlled randomized clinical trial, with parallel groups, double-blinded, randomized

Settings and conduct

This study will be carried out as a clinical trial and among the referring children to Tabriz Children's hospital (June 2018 to March 2019) who are surgery candidates and have pulmonary crackles, 100 cases will be chosen randomly and will be divided into two groups of case and control. Each patient will be auscultated by a pediatric anesthesia specialist. If diagnosed with abnormal auscultation, the patient enters the study, regardless of the intensity of abnormality and will be compared with him/herself before and after suction. The patients, the person responsible for recording vital signs and analyzer of data are not informed about whether the airways have been suctioned or not.

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria 1- Patients who are between 1 month to 6 years old and in need of intubation for surgery with coarse crackle in auscultation caused by secretion 2- urgent Patients with common cold exclusion criteria patients with persistent pulmonary hypertension (PPH), fever, and airway malformation

Intervention groups

patients will be divided into two groups for study: patients who had tracheal suction before surgery patients without tracheal suction before surgery in the first group post intubation suction will be performed open and deeply, 2 or 3 times until all secretions are eliminated and abnormal sounds are gone. Patients will be ventilated after every suction. In the second group anesthesia will continue without pulmonary secretions suction.

Main outcome variables

Respiratory rate; Heart rate; SPO₂; Expiratory CO₂; Blood pressure and pressure of the airway before surgery, 5

minutes after suction, every 15 minutes after intubation and during recovery.

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20100527004041N14**

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

deputy of research and technology

Expected recruitment start date

2018-06-22, 1397/04/01

Expected recruitment end date

2019-03-19, 1397/12/28

Actual recruitment start date

2017-07-23, 1396/05/01

Actual recruitment end date

2018-01-21, 1396/11/01

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Effect of post intubation endotracheal suction before surgery on respiratory parameters in children with airway secretion

Public title

Effect of post intubation endotracheal suction on respiratory parameters in children with airway secretion

Purpose

Prevention

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria**Inclusion criteria:**

Patients who are between 1 month to 6 years old
Patients need to intubate for surgery
Patients have coarse crackle in auscultation caused by secretion.
Urgent Patients with common cold

Exclusion criteria:

patients with persistent pulmonary hypertension (PPH)
fever children with airway malformation

Age

From **1 month** old to **6 years** old

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

- Participant
- Investigator
- Outcome assessor
- Data analyser

Sample size

Target sample size: **100**

Actual sample size reached: **100**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

the surgery candidate children in "The children medical research and training hospital, Tabriz" will randomly be chosen using random number table and random permuted blocks divided in two 50 members groups.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Double blinded

Blinding description

Each patient will be auscultated by a pediatric anesthesia specialist. If diagnosed with abnormal auscultation, patient enters the study, regardless of the intensity of abnormality and will be compared with him/her self before and after suction. The data will be gathered by a pediatric anesthesia specialist with help of experienced nurses. Patients, the person who responsible of recording vital signs and analyzer of data are not informed about whether the airways have been suctioned or not.

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features**Secondary Ids**

empty

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

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2018-05-28, 1397/03/07

Ethics committee reference number

IR.TBZMED.REC.1397.204

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

Patients with abnormal pulmonary auscultation

ICD-10 code

J20

ICD-10 code description

Acute bronchitis

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

short time side effects

Timepoint

discharge from recovery

Method of measurement

observational

2**Description**

Respiratory rate

Timepoint

Before surgery-during recovery

Method of measurement

Vital signs monitoring device

3**Description**

Heart rate

Timepoint

Before surgery, 5 minutes after suction ,every 15 minutes after intubation and during recovery.

Method of measurement

Vital signs monitoring device

4

Description

SPO2(Blood Oxygen Saturation)

Timepoint

Before surgery, 5 minutes after suction ,every 15 minutes after intubation and during recovery

Method of measurement

pulse oximeter

5

Description

Expiratory CO2

Timepoint

every 15 minutes after intubation

Method of measurement

Vital signs monitoring device

6

Description

Blood pressure

Timepoint

before surgery, 5 minutes after suction ,every 15 minutes after intubation and during recovery.

Method of measurement

Vital signs monitoring device

7

Description

pressure of the airway

Timepoint

every 15 minutes after intubation

Method of measurement

Anesthesia manometer

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

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Description

Cases:Patients who had tracheal suction before surgery patients without tracheal suction before surgery in first group post intubation suction will be performed open and deeply,2 or 3 times till all secretions are eliminated and abnormal sounds are gone.Patients will be ventilated after every suction.

Category

Prevention

2

Description

Control group:in control group anesthesia will continue without pulmonary secretions suction

Category

N/A

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

Tabriz University of Medical Sciences

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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Latest degree

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Fax**Sharing plan****Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

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

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Clinical Study Report

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Analytic Code

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Data Dictionary

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Title and more details about the data/document

we are going to publish all in a paper

When the data will become available and for how long

in the end of study

To whom data/document is available

every one who read the paper

Under which criteria data/document could be used

If the data is needed to be used for further analysis, only the study designer has access to the codes and patients information. If the data is going to be used in another study, a proposal (in which the goals of study are established) should be registered and ethics code must

be received.

From where data/document is obtainable

from the paper

What processes are involved for a request to access

data/document

no need for special process

Comments