

# Clinical Trial Protocol

## Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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### Effects of GnRH agonist for luteal phase support in assisted reproductive cycles

#### Protocol summary

##### Study aim

Influence of GnRH agonist in luteal phase support for assisted reproductive techniques

##### Design

a clinical trial with two parallel arms non randomized patient group

##### Settings and conduct

20-39 years old infertile normal responder patients candidate for IVF, divide to two non randomized parallel group, in case group we inject 0.1mg triptorelin in days 0-3-6 plus 400 mg intravaginal cyclogest twice daily. in control group we just prescribe 400 mg intra vaginal cyclogest twice daily for luteal phase support. 2 weeks after transferring serum BHCG will check and 2 weeks after positive BHCG, vaginal sonography for checking gestational sac and fetal heart rate will be done.

##### Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria :Age between 20-39 years-fresh embryo transfer cycles- Exclusion criteria : low ovarian response ovarian hyper stimulation-oocyte donation-severe endometriosis

##### Intervention groups

Infertile women with normal ovarian response that subcutaneous inject of triptorelin 0/1 mg 0-3-6 days after fresh transfer

##### Main outcome variables

Chemical pregnancy-clinical pregnancy

#### General information

##### Reason for update

Updating the trial according to the last changes in methods

##### Acronym

##### IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20110509006420N20**

Registration date: **2020-03-11, 1398/12/21**

Registration timing: **registered\_while\_recruiting**

Last update: **2021-06-07, 1400/03/17**

Update count: **3**

##### Registration date

2020-03-11, 1398/12/21

##### Registrant information

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##### Recruitment status

**Recruitment complete**

##### Funding source

##### Expected recruitment start date

2020-01-01, 1398/10/11

##### Expected recruitment end date

2020-03-30, 1399/01/11

##### Actual recruitment start date

2020-01-01, 1398/10/11

##### Actual recruitment end date

2020-03-30, 1399/01/11

##### Trial completion date

2020-05-15, 1399/02/26

##### Scientific title

Effects of GnRH agonist for luteal phase support in assisted reproductive cycles

##### Public title

Effects of GnRH agonist for luteal phase support

##### Purpose

Treatment

##### Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

**Inclusion criteria:**

age 20-39 years fresh embryo transfer cycles HCG - triggered cycles

**Exclusion criteria:**

Absence of good quality embryo Ovarian hyper stimulation (more than 18 mature follicles with size more than 14 mm during ovarian stimulation) or estradiol level in trigger days more than 4000 pmol/l Severe male factor

**Age**

From **20 years** old to **39 years** old

**Gender**

Female

**Phase**

2

**Groups that have been masked**

*No information*

**Sample size**

Target sample size: **200**

Actual sample size reached: **168**

**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

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2019-12-29, 1398/10/08

**Ethics committee reference number**

IR.SSU.RSI.REC.1398.043

**Health conditions studied**

1

**Description of health condition studied**

female infertility

**ICD-10 code**

N97

**ICD-10 code description**

Female infertility

**Primary outcomes**

1

**Description**

Chemical pregnancy

**Timepoint**

2 weeks after embryo transfer

**Method of measurement**

serum BHCG

2

**Description**

clinical pregnancy

**Timepoint**

6 weeks after embryo transfer

**Method of measurement**

sonography

**Secondary outcomes**

empty

**Intervention groups**

1

**Description**

taking 0/1 mg triptorelin in 0-3-6 days after fresh emeryo transfer plus 400mg vaginal cyclogest twice daily for luteal phase support.

**Category**

Treatment - Drugs

2

**Description**

Control group: taking 400mg vaginal cyclogest twice daily for luteal phase support.

**Category**

Treatment - Drugs

**Recruitment centers**

1

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**Grant code / Reference number**  
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Yes  
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Yazd 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*  
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**Type of organization providing the funding**  
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**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**

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