

Clinical Trial Protocol

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The effect of direct irrigation of the third molar surgery site in comparison with rinsing the mouth after surgery in reducing surgical complications including pain, swelling, infection and alveolar osteitis in case of bilateral wisdom teeth in the mandible

Protocol summary

Study aim

Reduction of surgical complications including pain, swelling, infection and alveolar osteitis and increasing patient ease after impacted wisdom tooth surgery

Design

Clinical trial with control group, with parallel groups, with no blinding, randomized, phase 2 on 20 patients. In each patient, allocating to intervention or control group is determined by throwing a coin

Settings and conduct

Implantable surgery is performed in Ahvaz Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Department affiliated to Ahvaz Dental School and no blinding has been performed

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Systemically healthy patient; Obtain informed consent; Patients whose wisdom tooth surgery is indicated. Non-inclusion criterion: taking any antibiotics, anti-inflammatory or analgesic drugs in the last week before surgery

Intervention groups

The intervention group rinsed the site of the operated wisdom tooth with a syringe containing 0.2% chlorhexidine, but the control group rinsed their mouth with 0.2% chlorhexidine after wisdom tooth surgery

Main outcome variables

Pain; swelling; infection; alveolar osteitis

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2021-01-19, 1399/10/30

Expected recruitment end date

2021-03-17, 1399/12/27

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

The effect of direct irrigation of the third molar surgery site in comparison with rinsing the mouth after surgery in reducing surgical complications including pain, swelling, infection and alveolar osteitis in case of bilateral wisdom teeth in the mandible

Public title

Review the effect of direct irrigation after wisdom tooth surgery

Purpose

Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria:

All patients for whom bilateral mandibular impact wisdom tooth surgery is indicated The patient is systemically healthy obtain informed consent

Exclusion criteria:

Taking any anti inflammatory or analgesics drugs or antibiotics one week before surgery

Age

No age limit

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **20**

More than 1 sample in each individual

Number of samples in each individual: **2**

Study of two mandibular third molars in one patient

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Patients are randomly selected individually and then identified in each patient, allocating to intervention or control group is determined by throwing a coinsurgery.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Not blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

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2020-12-27, 1399/10/07

Ethics committee reference number

IR.AJUMS.REC.1399.779

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

The wisdom tooth surgery

ICD-10 code

ICD-10 code description

Primary outcomes

1

Description

The amount of pain after wisdom tooth surgery

Timepoint

One week after surgery

Method of measurement

Pain measurement based on Visual Analogue Scale

2

Description

The amount of swelling after wisdom tooth surgery

Timepoint

One week after surgery

Method of measurement

Based on three hypothetical plans (occlusal plan, the hypothetical lines is drawn 2cm forward and 2cm backward from the line perpendicular to the mandibular gonial notch plane)

3

Description

Infection occurrence one week after wisdom tooth surgery

Timepoint

One week after surgery

Method of measurement

Based on the observation of fever, sore throat and lymphadenopathy

4

Description

Alveolar osteitis occurrence after impacted wisdom tooth surgery

Timepoint

One week after surgery

Method of measurement

Based on the observation of empty dental socket without blood clots

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

1

Description

Control group: The patient rinses his/her mouth with 0.2% chlorhexidine mouthwash (Iran najo co.) after 48 hours after surgery three times a day

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

Intervention group: the patient rinses the surgical site three times a day with a syringe containing chlorhexidine 0.2% (Iran najo co.) after 48 hours after surgery for one week

Category

Treatment - Drugs

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

Ahwaz 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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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

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

Analytic Code

Not applicable

Data Dictionary

Not applicable