

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Affect of *Achillea millefolium* in Prophylaxis of oral mucositis induced by chemotherapy in AML patients.

Protocol summary

Summary

Aim of this research is to study prophylactic effect of *Achillea millefolium* extract on oral mucositis in AML patients. This randomized study is performed in Shahid Ghazi hospital in Tabriz. Cases are chosen from AML male or female patients aged 16 to 85 who are candidate for chemotherapy. Pregnant patients and those who are not volunteer or have less than 3 weeks of hospitalization and patients with existence mucositis will be excluded. 18 patients will be chosen randomly and they will be divided to two groups by random allocation. Intervention group will received 10 to 15 ml of *Achillea* mouthwash twice daily in addition towards normal treatments(chlorhexidine mouthwash). The other group will receive routine regimen(control group). Clinical signs and quality of life of patients will be recorded a form. CBC will be measured. Patients' oral mucositis will be graded by WHO mucositis scale. Amount of analgesics consumed, duration and severity of mucositis will be register on day1 until day 21 of chemotherapy.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

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Expected recruitment start date

2013-10-23, 1392/08/01

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Actual recruitment start date

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Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Affect of *Achillea millefolium* in Prophylaxis of oral mucositis induced by chemotherapy in AML patients.

Public title

Affect of *Achillea millefolium* in Prophylaxis of oral mucositis

Purpose

Prevention

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: AML patients including both male or female ones, aged between 16-85 who are candidate for chemotherapy; Exclusion criteria: Pregnancy; Patients who are not volunteer; Patients with less than 3 weeks duration of hospitalization; Patients with mucositis

Age

From **16 years** old to **85 years** old

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **18**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

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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2013-12-02, 1392/09/11

Ethics committee reference number

92144

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

Oral mucositis

ICD-10 code

K12.3

ICD-10 code description

Oral mucositis (ulcerative)

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

Duration of mucositis

Timepoint

From beginning of chemotherapy until 21 days later

Method of measurement

Counting number of days

2**Description**

Severity of mucositis

Timepoint

First day of chemotherapy until 21 days later

Method of measurement

WHO oral mucositis scale

Secondary outcomes**1****Description**

Amount of analgesics requested for pain caused by mouth sores

Timepoint

First day of chemotherapy until 21 days later

Method of measurement

Type and dosage of analgesics recorded in patients records in 21 days duration

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

Intervention group will receive hospital's routine prophylactic therapy, which is chlorhexidine mouthwash, and Achillea's extract mouthwash. After preparation of Achillea's extraction, it is used for preparation of mouthwash formulation, which will be used 10 to 15 ml twice daily. Achillea and chlorhexidine mouthwash will be used in different times of day. Patients will be asked not to eat, drink or wash their mouth for 1.5 hours after using mouthwash. During 21 days, presence of mucositis, its duration, severity and type and dose of used analgesics will be recorded.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2**Description**

Control group will receive hospital's routine prophylactic therapy, which is chlorhexidine mouthwash. 5 ml Chlorhexidine mouthwash will be used once daily. Patients will be asked not to eat, drink or wash their mouth for 1.5 hours after using mouthwash. During 21 days, presence of mucositis, its duration, severity and type and dose of used analgesics will be recorded.

Category

N/A

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

Name of recruitment center

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Sponsors / Funding sources

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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

Hematology and Oncology Research Center, Tabriz
University of Medical Sciences, Iran

Proportion provided by this source

100

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

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Sharing plan

Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)

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Study Protocol

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Statistical Analysis Plan

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Informed Consent Form

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Clinical Study Report

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Analytic Code

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Data Dictionary

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