

Clinical Trial Protocol

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A comparison of efficacy and safety of Azithromycin and Amoxicillin-Clavulante in the treatment of acute bacterial sinusitis in adults.

Protocol summary

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Summary

This was a single blind clinical trial on 78 patients with acute bacterial sinusitis. Because of continuous changing in bacterial resistance to drugs these studies are necessary. This study has been done to compare the effect of Azithromycin and Amoxicillin-Clavulanate on treatment of acute bacterial sinusitis. Inclusion criteria were at least two major or one major and two minor criteria for diagnosis of acute bacterial sinusitis. Exclusion criteria were: chronic sinusitis; recurrent sinusitis; drug consumption and... One group was administered Azithromycin 500mg daily for three days and another group was administered Amoxicillin-Clavulanate 625 mg three times daily for ten days.

Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Shahrekord University of Medical Sciences

Expected recruitment start date

2013-04-04, 1392/01/15

Expected recruitment end date

2013-09-21, 1392/06/30

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT201401046252N5**

Registration date: **2014-02-11, 1392/11/22**

Registration timing: **retrospective**

Last update:

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A comparison of efficacy and safety of Azithromycin and Amoxicillin-Clavulante in the treatment of acute bacterial sinusitis in adults.

Public title

Comparison effect of Azithromycin and Amoxiclave in treatment of acute sinusitis.

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Having at least two major or one major and two minor sinusitis criteria that have lasted 7 to 28 days. Major criteria included: pain or feeling of fullness in face; nasal obstruction; nasal or postnasal discharge; anosmia or hyposmia; fever. Minor criteria included: headache; halitosis; fatigue; toothache; cough; otalgia or feeling of fullness in the ears. Exclusion criteria: chronic sinusitis; recurrent sinusitis; anatomic deformities (severe septal deviation; cleft palate); chronic disease (hepatic; renal; cardiac and asthma); pregnancy and breast feeding; allergy to drugs; ciliary dysfunction; cystic fibrosis; HIV infection; diabetes; using of steroid; complication of sinusitis like orbital cellulitis; using of

antibiotics in last 30 days; having less than 12 years old or more than 65 years old.

Age

From **12 years** old to **65 years** old

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **78**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

N/A

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Single blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

Shahrekord University of Medical Sciences

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Approval date

2013-09-15, 1392/06/24

Ethics committee reference number

1392-6-24

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Sinusitis

ICD-10 code

J01.9

ICD-10 code description

Diseases of respiratory system

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Facial pain

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

2

Description

Nasal obstruction

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

3

Description

Nasal or postnasal discharge

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

4

Description

Anosmia or hyposmia

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

5

Description

Fever

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

With thermometer

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Headache

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

2

Description

Halitosis

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

3

Description

Fatigue

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

4

Description

Toothache

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

5

Description

Cough

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

6

Description

Otalgia or feeling of fullness in ears

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

7

Description

Diarrhea

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

8

Description

Vomiting

Timepoint

First day- fifth day- tenth day

Method of measurement

Visual

Intervention groups

1

Description

In first group Azithromycin was administered 500mg daily for three days.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

In second group Amoxicillin-Clavulante was administered 625mg three times daily for ten days.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

Recruitment centers

1

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1

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Grant name

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Grant code / Reference number

Do not have

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

Yes

Title of funding source

Shahrekord University of Medical Sciences

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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