

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Study of the effect of Sinamaz on the prevention of upper respiratory diseases (URD) among Iranian Arbaeen Pilgrims

Protocol summary

Study aim

Study of the effect of Sinamaz on the prevention of upper respiratory diseases (URD) among Iranian Arbaeen Pilgrims

Design

This study is a double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled clinical trial on 180 healthy Iranian Arbaeen Pilgrims. 180 codes were randomized with Excel software.

Settings and conduct

The informed consent form is signed by the candidates participating in the study or their legal guardians if they have not reached the legal age. Relevant questionnaires are completed. Sinamaz and placebo are provided by the manufacturer with similar containers. Special codes are inserted on the package that will be kept confidential until the end of the study. Healthy Iranian Arbaeen Pilgrims use one drop in each side of their nose twice a day for 1 week. The questionnaire is completed on days 0 and The end of the trip

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Signing consent forms by volunteers participating in the study; Volunteers should not have respiratory disease symptoms; Volunteers should not participate in other clinical trials; People who are suffering from certain underlying diseases or receiving drugs such as corticosteroids or immunosuppressants nor who have any history of nose or septum surgery are not approved as volunteers.

Intervention groups

90 healthy Iranian Arbaeen Pilgrims use one drop of Cinnamase oil in each side of their nose twice a day for 1 week. Sinamaz drops (License number: 118880/665) is the product of "Sanabel Daroo" company. This drug is a product derived from the knowledge of Iranian traditional medicine, which is scientifically prepared from Nigella sativa L. oil and Olea europaea L oil. Control group: 90 healthy Iranian Hajj Pilgrims use one drop of placebo on each side of their nose twice a day for 1 week.

Main outcome variables

Clinical signs of of upper respiratory diseases

General information

Reason for update

The doctors could not fill out the questionnaires.

Acronym

URD

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20210515051305N2**

Registration date: **2023-05-24, 1402/03/03**

Registration timing: **prospective**

Last update: **2024-09-14, 1403/06/24**

Update count: **1**

Registration date

2023-05-24, 1402/03/03

Registrant information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2023-07-23, 1402/05/01

Expected recruitment end date

2025-08-11, 1404/05/20

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Study of the effect of Sinamaz on the prevention of upper respiratory diseases (URD) among Iranian arbaeen Pilgrims

Public title

The effect of Sinamaz drops on the prevention of upper respiratory diseases among Iranian arbaeen Pilgrims

Purpose

Prevention

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Exclusion criteria:

Allergy to herbal medicines and and natural oils

Age

No age limit

Gender

Both

Phase

2

Groups that have been masked

- Participant
- Care provider
- Investigator
- Outcome assessor

Sample size

Target sample size: **180**

More than 1 sample in each individual

Number of samples in each individual: **4**

Filling the questionnaire

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Eligible participants will be randomly assigned into 2 groups in a 1:1 ratio using a block randomization method with a block length of 2 by PROC PLAN of SAS 9.4. An independent statistician generates the randomization number sequence. The drug codes will be attached after the manufacturing and packaging of the experiment treatment and placebo. The drugs will be allocated sequentially according to the screening order of the patients. Group assignment will be kept in an opaque and sealed envelope and will be opened after data analysis by another statistician.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Double blinded

Blinding description

The coding is done in two groups and placebo by a

person who does not interfere in the plan and keeps the codes confidential. Until the end of the study, the researcher, doctor and project colleagues are not aware of it.

Placebo

Used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features**Secondary Ids**

empty

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

Ethics Committee of Shahed University

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Approval date

2023-05-08, 1402/02/18

Ethics committee reference number

IR.SHAHED.REC.1402.001

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

Upper respiratory diseases

ICD-10 code

J39

ICD-10 code description

Other diseases of upper respiratory tract

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

Clinical signs of of upper respiratory diseases

Timepoint

The questionnaire is completed on days 0, 3 and 7.

Method of measurement

Questionnaire

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

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Description

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Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

90 healthy Iranian Arbaeen Pilgrims use one placebo drop on each side of their nose twice a day for 1 week. The questionnaire is completed on days 0 and 3, 7.

Category

Placebo

Recruitment centers

1

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Grant name

Grant code / Reference number

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

No

Title of funding source

Traditional Medicine Clinical Trial Research Center, Shahed University, Tehran, Iran

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

Person responsible for general inquiries

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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

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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

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Analytic Code

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

Data Dictionary

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

Title and more details about the data/document

Clinical study report: published as an article.

When the data will become available and for how long

6 months after printing the results in the form of an article

To whom data/document is available

Researchers working in institutions and individuals in the industrial sector can apply to a scientific respondent.

Under which criteria data/document could be used

It is possible to use the documents after publishing the extracted article with a scientifically responsive opinion.

From where data/document is obtainable

Email: naseri@shahed.ac.ir naserishahed@yahoo.com

What processes are involved for a request to access data/document

The email will be reviewed by the applicant at least two days after the application is sent and will be answered within a week.

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