

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Evaluation the outcomes of major adverse cardiac events after six-month colchicine consumption in the patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction that underwent primary percutaneous coronary intervention.

Protocol summary

Study aim

Determining the outcome of six months of colchicine consumption, in terms of major adverse cardiac events, in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction, who underwent percutaneous coronary intervention

Design

A controlled, parallel-group, double-blind, randomized, phase 3 clinical trial on 103 patients. The rand function of Excel software was used for randomization.

Settings and conduct

Initial screening, diagnostic assessments, and prescription of either Colchicine or a placebo occurred on the first day of disease diagnosis for patients. A written informed consent form was given to each patient. Following their initial discharge, patients were scheduled for a clinic visit one week later. Subsequently, patients had monthly visits to the clinic for six months, during which their medication adherence, treatment effectiveness, and major adverse cardiac events were monitored. To ensure greater confidence in the results, all patients underwent evaluation every two months by two cardiologists, who reviewed them based on disease grouping and occurrence of major adverse events.

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

The exclusion criteria were as follows: 1) hepatic dysfunction; 2) moderate renal dysfunction (glomerular filtration rate less than 50); 3) leukemia; 4) thrombocytopenia; 5) long-term consumption of colchicine; 6) hypersensitivity to colchicine; 7) pregnancy or lactation; 8) left ventricular ejection fraction <30% prior surgical revascularization.

Intervention groups

1- Patients who had experienced ST-elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI), who were treated with colchicine in addition to conventional treatment. 2- Patients with STEMI who received placebo in addition to conventional treatment.

Main outcome variables

major adverse cardiac events (MACE)

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2023-09-23, 1402/07/01

Expected recruitment end date

2024-02-20, 1402/12/01

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date
empty

Scientific title
Evaluation the outcomes of major adverse cardiac events after six-month colchicine consumption in the patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction that underwent primary percutaneous coronary intervention.

Public title
Colchicine effects on Major Adverse Cardiac Events in patients who underwent PCI

Purpose
Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria
Inclusion criteria:
Patients who had experienced ST-elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI) In angiography of patients, in at least one of the epicardial arteries larger than or equal to two and a half millimeters, there should be a stenosis equal to or greater than fifty percent, which has been managed through percutaneous coronary intervention and medical therapy. patients were undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI).
Exclusion criteria:

Age
From **40 years** old

Gender
Both

Phase
3

Groups that have been masked

- Participant
- Care provider

Sample size
Target sample size: **204**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)
Randomized

Randomization description
Screening, randomization, and administration of colchicine or placebo to patients are performed on the first day of disease diagnosis. Each patient, for entry into the study, reads an informed consent form and declares their willingness or unwillingness to participate in the research. Patients are randomly divided into two equal groups. In the intervention group, in addition to standard treatment for myocardial infarction with ST-segment elevation, colchicine is administered orally (tablet) at a daily dose of 0.5 milligrams (half in the morning, half at night). In the control group, in addition to the mentioned standard treatment, placebo is administered, which is packaged, colored, and sized similarly to colchicine. After discharge, the patients' first follow-up is conducted one week later through a clinic visit. Subsequently, patients are visited monthly for six months in the clinic, and their drug tolerance, adherence to prescribed treatment, and major adverse cardiac events are monitored. To ensure greater confidence, all patients are assessed every two months by two cardiologists who are unaware of patient grouping, for major adverse cardiac events.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)
Double blinded

Blinding description
To ensure fairness and reduce bias, we utilized a computer-based program with a block randomization protocol, and the block size factor was determined by the study investigators. Independent packaging personnel, not involved in the rest of the study, prepared the medication packages. All investigators, patients, and follow-up team members were kept unaware of the treatment assignments throughout the study, ensuring a non-biased controlled study. However, the blinding was broken in exceptional cases where knowledge of treatment allocation was necessary to manage seriously ill patients.

Placebo
Used

Assignment
Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids
empty

Ethics committees

1

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Name of ethics committee
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2023-02-19, 1401/11/30
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IR.SUMS.MED.REC.1402.001

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied
ST-elevation myocardial infarction
ICD-10 code
I21
ICD-10 code description
ST elevation (STEMI) and non-ST elevation (NSTEMI) myocardial infarction

Primary outcomes

1

Description

major adverse cardiac events

Timepoint

at the beginning- 3 month- 6month

Method of measurement

questionnaire- angiography

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

myocardial infarctions, chest pain, resuscitated cardiac arrests, cardiovascular-related deaths, and strokes

Timepoint

at the beginning- 3 month- 6 month

Method of measurement

medical records- questionnaire

Intervention groups

1

Description

Intervention group: In the intervention group, in addition to standard treatment for myocardial infarction with ST-segment elevation, colchicine is administered orally (tablet) at a daily dose of 0.5 milligrams (half in the morning, half at night).

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

Control group: In the control group, in addition to the mentioned standard treatment, placebo is administered, which is packaged, colored, and sized similarly to colchicine.

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

Shiraz 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

Person responsible for general inquiries

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Sharing plan

Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)

Yes - There is 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

Yes - There is 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

Only a part of data like primary outcome can be shared.

When the data will become available and for how long

The access period starts 1 year after the publication time of results

To whom data/document is available

This data will be available only to researchers working in academic and scientific institutions.

Under which criteria data/document could be used

The data will be made available to researchers for further studies or more advanced analysis.

From where data/document is obtainable

Researchers can send an email regarding the request for the data of our study to Dr. Hamed Bazrafshan. Email: Hamedbazrafshan@yahoo.com

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

The researchers can request for this study's data through an e-mail one year after the publication data of this study in one of the peer-reviewed journals.

Comments