

Clinical Trial Protocol

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The comparative study of the outcomes of early and late oral feeding in intestinal anastomosis surgeries in children

Protocol summary

Summary

Objectives: comparing surgical outcomes of early and late oral feeding in children undergoing intestinal anastomosis. Participants and major eligibility criteria: 66 children aged one month to 12 years in the Imam Reza hospital in Kermanshah are undergoing intestinal resection-anastomosis will be studied; Exclusion criteria included underlying diseases, septic shock, severe postoperative ileus (abdominal distention with vomiting), a large difference in size between two ends of the bowel during surgery, complicated surgery, anemia and lack of consistency between weight and age. Design and interventions: In this randomized clinical trial, before surgery, patients are randomly assigned to one of the following groups: In the early feeding group, at first day water and serum dextrose and 2 days after surgery, oral intake of milk and other liquids will begin. In late feeding group, at second day total parental nutrition (TPN) will begin and 5 days after surgery, patients will begin a liquid diet. If appropriate tolerated liquid diet, regular diet gradually will begin. Main outcomes: Patients during the hospital stay will be visited every 12 hours. Duration of hospital stay, time to first defecation and complications after surgery (postoperative fever, nausea, vomiting, abdominal jugular, pneumonia, infections and open incision site) and the cost of hospital patients in both groups will be compared.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Vice chancellor for research, Kermanshah University of Medical Sciences

Expected recruitment start date

2011-11-06, 1390/08/15

Expected recruitment end date

2012-06-04, 1391/03/15

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

The comparative study of the outcomes of early and late oral feeding in intestinal anastomosis surgeries in children

Public title

The comparative study of the outcomes of early and late oral feeding in intestinal anastomosis surgeries in children

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: children ranging from one month to 12 years in the imam Reza hospital undergoing surgery with intestinal resection and anastomosis will be enrolled; Exclusion criteria included underling diseases; septic shock; severe postoperative ileus (abdominal distention with vomiting); a large difference in size between two ends of the bowel during surgery; complicated surgery; anemia and lack of consistency between weight and age.

Age

To 12 years old

Gender

Both

Phase

3

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: 66

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

N/A

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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2011-06-27, 1390/04/06

Ethics committee reference number

7/420/14127/پ

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Intestinal resection and anastomosis

ICD-10 code

K91.9

ICD-10 code description

Postprocedural disorder of digestive system, unspecified

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Onset time of defecation

Timepoint

every 12h in 5 days post-operation

Method of measurement

Every12 h visits

2

Description

nausea and vomiting and post operation complications

Timepoint

every 12h in 5 days post-operation

Method of measurement

every 12 h visits

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

duration of hospitalization

Timepoint

After patients discharge

Method of measurement

Evaluation of patient document

2

Description

costs of hospitalization

Timepoint

After patients discharge

Method of measurement

Evaluation of patient document

Intervention groups

1

Description

In the early feeding group, at first day water and serum dextrose and 2 days after surgery, oral intake of milk and other liquids will begin.

Category

Treatment - Other

2

Description

In late feeding group, at second day total parental nutrition (TPN) will begin and 5 days after surgery,

patients will begin a liquid diet. If appropriate tolerated liquid diet, regular diet gradually will begin.

Category

Treatment - Other

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

Name of recruitment center

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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

Vice chancellor for research, Kermanshah 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

empty

Clinical Study Report

empty

Analytic Code

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Data Dictionary

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