

# Clinical Trial Protocol

## Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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### Evaluation of Physiologic and non physiologic Effects of Two Adjacent Primary Molars Treatment in One Single Session in 5-7 years old children

#### Protocol summary

##### Study aim

Different Aspects of Two Adjacent Primary Molars Treatment in One Single In-dental school

##### Design

Clinical trial, double-blind, randomized, on 58 patients, randomized block method is used for randomization.

##### Settings and conduct

The study will be performed in year 1402 in the pediatric department of Zahedan Dental School, double-blind is performed for patients and evaluator.

##### Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

**Inclusion Criteria:** Children aged 5-7 years without any physical or mental illnesses, cooperation based on the Frankl behavior rating scale (Frankl 3 or 4), candidates for routine dental treatment at the clinic for the first time, having at least four asymptomatic decayed primary molars requiring pulpotomy and stainless steel crown (SSC), with at least three of them in one jaw. **Exclusion Criteria:** Children with a history of unfavorable medical or dental conditions, dental emergencies, tooth pain except for food impaction, systemic illness or medication intake, known allergies or contraindications to the anesthesia solution, requiring pharmacological behavior management techniques, unusual bleeding during pulp exposure or pulp chamber removal, requiring complete pulpal anesthesia, non-cooperative children (Frankl 1: definitely negative)

##### Intervention groups

**Intervention group:** treatment of two adjacent molars in a child and investigation of its physiological and non-physiological effects (experimental arm). **Control group:** treatment of a single molar tooth and investigation of the physiological and non-physiological effects (control group).

##### Main outcome variables

Primary recorded outcomes include systolic blood pressure, diastolic blood pressure, heart rate, oxygen saturation, child behavior, child's self-reported discomfort, treatment duration, pain after treatment and

its duration, opposition to the next treatment session, and parental consent.

#### General information

##### Reason for update

##### Acronym

##### IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20110325006105N8**

Registration date: **2024-02-08, 1402/11/19**

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##### Registration date

2024-02-08, 1402/11/19

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**Recruitment complete**

##### Funding source

##### Expected recruitment start date

2024-01-21, 1402/11/01

##### Expected recruitment end date

2024-04-20, 1403/02/01

##### Actual recruitment start date

empty

##### Actual recruitment end date

empty

**Trial completion date**

empty

**Scientific title**

Evaluation of Physiologic and non physiologic Effects of Two Adjacent Primary Molars Treatment in One Single Session in 5-7 years old children

**Public title**

Different Aspects of Two Adjacent Primary Molars Treatment

**Purpose**

Supportive

**Inclusion/Exclusion criteria****Inclusion criteria:**

Children aged 7-5 years without any physical or mental illnesses Cooperative based on the Frankl behavior rating scale (Frankl 3 or 4) Candidates for routine treatment for the first time (no previous treatment history) Having a minimum of four asymptomatic decayed primary molars requiring pulpotomy and SSC Requiring a minimum of three consecutive treatment sessions to treat all decayed teeth

**Exclusion criteria:**

Children with a history of unfavorable medical or dental conditions Tooth pain, except for food impaction Systemic illness or medication intake Any known allergies or contraindications to anesthesia drugs Non-cooperative children (Frankl 1) Deciduous teeth without succedaneous tooth buds

**Age**

From **5 years** old to **7 years** old

**Gender**

Both

**Phase**

N/A

**Groups that have been masked**

- Participant
- Outcome assessor

**Sample size**

Target sample size: **58**

More than 1 sample in each individual

Number of samples in each individual: **2**  
two sides of dental arch

**Randomization (investigator's opinion)**

Randomized

**Randomization description**

Allocation of samples will be done using quadruple blocks, where half of the individuals are assigned to group one and the other half to group two. All possible quadruple scenarios are as follows: Where 'A' belongs to group one and 'B' belongs to group two. 1. A A B B 2. A B A B 3. A B B A 4. B B A A 5. B A B A 6. B A A B In the next step, each of these quadruple combinations will be assigned a number from 1 to 6. Following that, approximately 15 random quadruple blocks will be selected based on the total sample size and the sample size for each group. The order of these selected blocks will be determined, and the allocation of individuals to groups one and two will be based on these chosen orders. By continuing this process, we ensure that the

difference between the two groups will not exceed two individuals at most.

**Blinding (investigator's opinion)**

Double blinded

**Blinding description**

The assessor of the physiological and non-physiological measures is currently blinded to which side (adjacent treatment of two decayed primary molars in one session under the experimental group and treatment of one decayed primary molar in one session under the control group) is being performed. The participant is unaware of how to check the sequence of sessions.

**Placebo**

Not used

**Assignment**

Crossover

**Other design features**

A split-mouth design is used to investigate the effect of treating two adjacent teeth on the variables. Two molars on the experimental side and one molar on the control side are treated. All children in the pediatric department are treated by two dental resident under the supervision of a pediatric specialist. For each participant, both sides of the jaw will be treated by a single operator in two separate consecutive sessions with a two-week interval between the treatment sessions. This time interval between sessions is planned to eliminate the effects of the first encounter on the outcomes of the second encounter. Additionally, to eliminate any unknown treatment effect from the first session to the second session, children will be randomly divided into two groups using a random block method. One group will receive single-tooth pulpotomy treatment and stainless steel crown (SSC) initially, while the other group will receive pulpotomy treatment for the adjacent molars and SSC in one session initially. Furthermore, depending on which dental arch (right or left) will receive the first treatment, two subgroups from each of the initial groups will be extracted using a random block method. For both sides, treatments are performed as a single session of complete treatment

**Secondary Ids**

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2023-12-27, 1402/10/06

**Ethics committee reference number**

IR.ZAUMS.REC.1402.379

**Health conditions studied**

**1**

**Description of health condition studied**

pulpotomy

**ICD-10 code**

**ICD-10 code description**

**Primary outcomes**

**1**

**Description**

Average systolic blood pressure. blood pressure, average diastolic blood pressure

**Timepoint**

in three separate times (time of completion of anesthesia administration, in the middle of the treatment and in the final moments of the treatment)

**Method of measurement**

"Systolic blood pressure" using "digital instrument with wrist cuff Diastolic blood pressure" using "digital instrument with wrist cuff"

**2**

**Description**

average heart rate

**Timepoint**

In three separate times (time of completion of anesthesia administration, in the middle of the treatment and in the final moments of the treatment)

**Method of measurement**

"heart rate" using "digital instrument with wrist cuff"

**3**

**Description**

Average oxygen saturation

**Timepoint**

In three separate times (time of completion of anesthesia administration, in the middle of the treatment and in the final moments of the treatment)

**Method of measurement**

"oxygen saturation" using "pulse oximeter"

**Secondary outcomes**

**1**

**Description**

duration of treatment

**Timepoint**

The duration of the treatment is at the end of the treatment

**Method of measurement**

Treatment duration using cornometer

**2**

**Description**

the average number of consumed painkillers

**Timepoint**

The dose numbers of analgesic by asking the parents in the days after the treatment

**Method of measurement**

The dose numbers of analgesic by asking the parents in the days after the treatment

**3**

**Description**

the average behavior score

**Timepoint**

Average discomfort upon completion of treatment

**Method of measurement**

Frankle behavior rating scale

**4**

**Description**

the average discomfort level

**Timepoint**

Average discomfort upon completion of treatment

**Method of measurement**

Facial image score

**5**

**Description**

the average post-treatment pain

**Timepoint**

Average post-treatment pain as soon as the treatment is completed

**Method of measurement**

Wong baker faces pain

**6**

**Description**

the average parental satisfaction

**Timepoint**

Parental consent upon completion of treatment

**Method of measurement**

parental satisfaction based on a five-point response

**7**

**Description**

next appointment refusal

**Timepoint**

aposition to meeting at the beginning of the second and third session

**Method of measurement**

refusal for the second and third session appointments based on the child's report.

## Intervention groups

### 1

#### Description

Intervention side: Prior to injection, local gel will be used at the injection site. A volume of 1.8 milliliters of 2% lidocaine with 1/80000 epinephrine solution at room temperature will be slowly administered using a regular syringe (1 milliliter per minute, only one cartridge). For anesthesia of the upper and lower jaw, participants will receive infiltration and inferior alveolar nerve block sequentially using a 21-gauge needle with a 27-gauge and 35-gauge needle with a 27-gauge respectively. Intrapapillary anesthesia will be performed for complete anesthesia. After 15 minutes have elapsed since the administration of anesthesia, treatment will begin. All dental procedures will be performed using rubber dam isolation. After performing pulp treatment, the adjacent tooth will be restored using light-cured glass ionomer cement for crown restoration. Then, SSCs will be adjusted and cemented using glass ionomer cement

#### Category

Treatment - Surgery

### 2

#### Description

Control side: Intervention Group 1: Before injection, local gel will be used at the injection site. A volume of 1.8 milliliters of 2% lidocaine with 1/80000 epinephrine solution at room temperature will be slowly administered using a regular syringe (1 milliliter per minute, only one cartridge). For anesthesia of the upper and lower jaw, participants will receive infiltration and inferior alveolar nerve block sequentially using a 21-gauge needle with a 27-gauge and 35-gauge needle with a 27-gauge respectively. Intrapapillary anesthesia will be performed for complete anesthesia. After 15 minutes have elapsed since the administration of anesthesia, treatment will begin. All dental procedures will be performed using rubber dam isolation. After performing pulp treatment, a primary molar tooth will be restored using light-cured glass ionomer cement for crown restoration. Then, SSCs will be adjusted and cemented using glass ionomer cement

#### Category

Treatment - Surgery

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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

Zahedan 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

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Specialist

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**Sharing plan****Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

**Study Protocol**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

**Statistical Analysis Plan**

Yes - There is 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**

information about the main outcome and its comparison with different groups can be shared.

**When the data will become available and for how long**

Access period starts 6 months after the results are published.

**To whom data/document is available**

Researchers working in academic and scientific institutes, dental students, dentists.

**Under which criteria data/document could be used**

The ultimate goals are providing adequate dental services, creating a good experience, consolidating good communication between the individual child and dental team and avoiding any fear and anxiety throughout future life and improve treatment results. all dental researchers will be able to access the data.

**From where data/document is obtainable**

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

please send an email to the respondent and state the resume and purpose of accessing the data for the respondent. The respondent will respond to the initial email within a week, and if documents need to be sent, the documents will be sent to the applicant within a month.

**Comments**