

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Noradrenalin versus the combination of Midodrine and Octreotide in the treatment of patients with Hepatorenal syndrome type 1 and 2 referred to Alzahra Hospital since 2011 to 2012

Protocol summary

Summary

Objectives: To assess the efficacy of Noradrenalin in comparison with the efficacy of the combination of Midodrine and Octreotide in the treatment of patients with Hepatorenal syndrome (HPS) type 1 and 2

Design: A single-blinded randomized clinical trial on patients with HPS type 1 and 2 referred to Alzahra Hospital (affiliated to Isfahan University of Medical Sciences) since 2011 to 2012.

Setting and conduct: Twenty two patients with HPS will divide into two groups randomly and will be treated with Noradrenalin or the combination of Midodrine and Octreotide. During the study, patients will be studied for renal and liver functions, continuous heart monitoring and urinary output measurement. Participants including major eligibility criteria: Inclusion criteria: HPS... Exclusion criteria: Improvement of renal function after volume expansion; history of infection, nephrotoxic drug usage or volume loss in recent week; contraindication to Noradrenalin, Midodrine or Octreotide; recent history of gastrointestinal bleeding; severe hepatic encephalopathy; hepatocellular carcinoma; platelet counts lower than 25000 per microliters; international normalized ratio (INR) more than 5; acute coronary syndrome

Intervention: One group will be administered with the continuous infusion of Noradrenalin and the other group will be administered with the combination of oral Midodrine and intravenous infusion of Octreotide.

Main outcome measures variable: Systolic, diastolic and mean atrial pressure; central vein pressure; heart rate; urinary output; serum and urinary sodium; glomerular filtration rate; serum and urinary creatinine; serum bilirubin; serum urea; plasma activated renin; plasma aldosterone

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

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Expected recruitment start date

2011-09-23, 1390/07/01

Expected recruitment end date

2012-04-20, 1391/02/01

Actual recruitment start date

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Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

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Scientific title

Noradrenalin versus the combination of Midodrine and Octreotide in the treatment of patients with Hepatorenal syndrome type 1 and 2 referred to Alzahra Hospital since 2011 to 2012

Public title

Noradrenalin versus Midodrin-Octerotid in Hepatorenal Syndrome

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Hepatorenal syndrom patients ...
Exclusion criteria: Improvement of renal function after volume expansion; history of infection, nephrotoxic drug usage or volume loss in recent week; contraindication to Noradrenalin, Midodrine or Octreotide; recent history of gastrointestinal bleeding; severe hepatic encephalopathy; hepatocellular carcinoma; platelet counts lower than 25000 per microliters; international normalized ratio (INR) more than 5; acute coronary syndrome

Age

No age limit

Gender

Both

Phase

3

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: 22

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Single blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

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2011-08-01, 1390/05/10

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Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Hepatorenal Syndrome type 1 & 2

ICD-10 code

K76.7

ICD-10 code description

Hepatorenal Syndrome

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Serum ceatinine

Timepoint

Before the study and every day during the study

Method of measurement

laboratory method

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Systolic and diastolic pressure

Timepoint

Before the study and every 4 hours during the study

Method of measurement

sphygmomanometer

2

Description

Urinary output

Timepoint

Before the study and every day during the study

Method of measurement

Collecting scaled bag

3

Description

Serum and urinary sodium

Timepoint

Before the study and every day during the study

Method of measurement

Laboratory method

4

Description

Glomerular filtration rate

Timepoint

Before the study and every day during the study

Method of measurement

Cockroft-Gault formula

Intervention groups

1

Description

One group is treated with Noradrenalin infusion of 0.1 microgram per kilogram. The dose is escalated every 4 hours by 0.05 microgram per kilogram up to the maximum dose of 0.7 microgram per kilogram or until 10 millimeter increase in the mean arterial pressure. The drug is continued until creatinine is reached less than 1.5 milligram per deciliter or until 15 days.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

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Description

The other group is treated with Octereotide infusion of 25 microgram per hour and oral Midodrin of 5 milligram three times a day up to the maximum dose of 45 milligram per day or until Mean arterial pressure is increased by 15 millimeter. The treatment is continued until creatinine is reached less than 1.5 milligram per deciliter or 15 days is elapsed.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

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1

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Sponsors / Funding sources

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

Yes

Title of funding source

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Proportion provided by this source

100

Public or private sector

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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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