

Clinical Trial Protocol

Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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Investigation the effectiveness of inhaled salbutamol in the treatment of transient tachypnea of the newborn

Protocol summary

Summary

This study will be done with the aim of investigation the effectiveness of inhaled salbutamol in the treatment of transient tachypnea of the newborn. This study is one blinded clinical trial. The study population will be included infants hospitalized in intensive care unit of Imam Reza Hospital. 80 newborns will be selected in available method and will be randomly assigned into two intervention and control groups. The intervention group will receive an inhaled salbutamol with dose of 0.15mg that is equal to 0.15ml per kilogram of body weight by nebulizer for 20 minutes. The control group will receive normal saline solution 0.9% equal to 0.15 ml per kg body weight by nebulizer for 20 minutes. Before and after treatment, at intervals of 30 minutes, one and four hours after the start of treatment, the number of respiration, heart rate, oxygen saturation, oxygen consumption, respiratory distress score, and hospitalization time is recorded in the checklist and two groups are compared. Inclusion criteria: Neonates with term of gestational age; Near term or after term; Having clinical symptoms and biographies in favor of TTN diagnosis; Having at least one of the radiographic TTN criteria (including hyperinflation, the presence of fluid in the transverse Fisher, etc). Exclusion criteria: Meconium aspiration history; Respiratory distress syndrome; Congenital pneumonia; Polycythemia; Hypoglycemia; Prolonged early sepsis; Cardiovascular disease; Tachycardia greater than 180 beats per minute; Cardiac arrhythmia; Congenital anomaly

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2017081414333N80**

Registration date: **2017-08-29, 1396/06/07**

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Last update:

Update count: **0**

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Vice chancellor for research, Kermanshah University of Medical Sciences

Expected recruitment start date

2017-09-06, 1396/06/15

Expected recruitment end date

2018-01-05, 1396/10/15

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Investigation the effectiveness of inhaled salbutamol in the treatment of transient tachypnea of the newborn

Public title

Investigation the effectiveness and non effectiveness of inhaled salbutamol in the treatment of respiratory diseases

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Neonates with term of gestational age; Near term or after term; Having clinical symptoms and biographies in favor of TTN diagnosis; Having at least one of the radiographic TTN criteria (including hyperinflation, the presence of fluid in the transverse Fisher, etc). Exclusion criteria: Meconium aspiration history; Respiratory distress syndrome; Congenital pneumonia; Polycythemia; Hypoglycemia; Prolonged early sepsis; Cardiovascular disease; Tachycardia greater than 180 beats per minute; Cardiac arrhythmia; Congenital anomaly

Age

From **1 day** old to **2 days** old

Gender

Both

Phase

2

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size:

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Single blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

Ethics committee of Kermanshah University of Medical Sciences

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Approval date

2017-05-17, 1396/02/27

Ethics committee reference number

kums.rec.1396.80

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Transient tachypnoea of newborn

ICD-10 code

p22.1

ICD-10 code description

Transient tachypnoea of newborn

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Number of breaths

Timepoint

Before starting treatment and after treatment at intervals: 30 minutes, one and four hours after the start

Method of measurement

By physician based on the number of breaths per minute

2

Description

Percent saturation of oxygen

Timepoint

Before starting treatment and after treatment at intervals: 30 minutes, one and four hours after the start

Method of measurement

By pulse oximetry

3

Description

Heart rate

Timepoint

Before starting treatment and after treatment at intervals: 30 minutes, one and four hours after the start

Method of measurement

By pulse oximetry

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

1

Description

The intervention group will receive an inhaled salbutamol with dose of 0.15mg that is equal to 0.15ml per kilogram of body weight by nebulizer for 20 minutes.

Category

Treatment - Drugs

2

Description

The control group will receive normal saline solution

0.9% equal to 0.15 ml per kg body weight by nebulizer for 20 minutes

Category

Placebo

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

Name of recruitment center

Emam Reza Hospital

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Sponsors / Funding sources

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

empty

Statistical Analysis Plan

empty

Informed Consent Form

empty

Clinical Study Report

empty

Analytic Code

empty

Data Dictionary

empty