

# Clinical Trial Protocol

## Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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### Comparison study of continuous infusion and bolus of Esmolol on hemodynamic response to laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation in coronary artery bypass graft patients

#### Protocol summary

##### Study aim

Comparison of continuous infusion and bolus Esmolol on hemodynamic responses to laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation in patients undergoing CABG surgery

##### Design

Randomized, double blind, phase 3 clinical trial on 66 patients

##### Settings and conduct

According to the criteria, after obtaining written consent, patients are randomly divided into study groups including: infusion group, bolus group and control group. Preoperative medical treatment continues until the morning of surgery. Age, sex, weight, height, chronic disease and medications are recorded. After entering the operating room, patients are monitored by pulse oximeter, electrocardiogram and non-invasive blood pressure. To monitor blood pressure invasively, an intra-arterial catheter is inserted into the left radial artery after local injection of Lidocaine. Patients are intubated 3 minutes after induction of general anesthesia. HR and systolic blood pressure and diastolic blood pressure and mean blood pressure before infusion to induction, during and after induction of anesthesia, at laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation and every minute for 10 minutes after endotracheal intubation are recorded.

##### Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Patients candidated for CABG elective surgery with ASA 2-4 and EF > 40%.

##### Intervention groups

Infusion group: 0.5 mg/kg Esmolol is injected within 4 minutes and then the infusion is started at 200 µg/kg/min and continues until endotracheal intubation. 0.9% NaCl is administered 2 minutes before endotracheal intubation. Bolus group: 1.5mg/kg Esmolol is administered as a venous bolus 2 minutes before intubation and 0.9 NaCl% is administered 10 minutes

before endotracheal intubation until it. Control group: 0.9% NaCl infusion and bolus of normal saline are given instead of Esmolol.

##### Main outcome variables

Heart rate, systolic blood pressure, diastolic blood pressure, mean blood pressure

#### General information

##### Reason for update

##### Acronym

##### IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20200822048478N2**

Registration date: **2020-10-04, 1399/07/13**

Registration timing: **retrospective**

Last update: **2020-10-04, 1399/07/13**

Update count: **0**

##### Registration date

2020-10-04, 1399/07/13

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##### Recruitment status

**Recruitment complete**

##### Funding source

##### Expected recruitment start date

2015-07-23, 1394/05/01

##### Expected recruitment end date

2017-03-20, 1395/12/30  
**Actual recruitment start date**  
2015-07-23, 1394/05/01  
**Actual recruitment end date**  
2017-07-21, 1396/04/30  
**Trial completion date**  
2018-08-21, 1397/05/30

**Scientific title**

Comparison study of continuous infusion and bolus of Esmolol on hemodynamic response to laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation in coronary artery bypass graft patients

**Public title**

Continuous infusion of Esmolol in patients undergoing CABG surgery

**Purpose**

Treatment

**Inclusion/Exclusion criteria**

**Inclusion criteria:**

Patients with ASA 2-4 undergoing elective CABG surgery EF>40%

**Exclusion criteria:**

AV conduction block greater than grade 1 asthma acute MI HR<50 Mallampati score greater than 2 Kidney or liver failure History of allergy or Idiosyncratic reaction to  $\beta$ -blockers Systolic blood pressure less than 100 mmHg Diastolic blood pressure less than 50 mmHg

**Age**

No age limit

**Gender**

Both

**Phase**

3

**Groups that have been masked**

- Participant
- Investigator
- Outcome assessor
- Data analyser

**Sample size**

Target sample size: **66**

Actual sample size reached: **75**

**Randomization (investigator's opinion)**

Randomized

**Randomization description**

We are going to randomize based on Permuted block randomization method. In this way, all 6 groups of 3 groups (20 blocks) are determined and using the random number table, the number of blocks is selected and a sequence of groups A, B and c is determined and each patient is based on the entry number. The plot is placed in one of the groups.

**Blinding (investigator's opinion)**

Double blinded

**Blinding description**

After consciously agreeing to participate in the study, patients are randomly assigned to one of three study groups. researchers, evaluators of the outcome, and data Analyzer don't know about which patient is in which One of the treatment groups.

**Placebo**

Used

**Assignment**

Parallel

**Other design features**

**Secondary Ids**

empty

**Ethics committees**

1

**Ethics committee**

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**Approval date**

2015-05-24, 1394/03/03

**Ethics committee reference number**

IR.KAUMS.REC.1394.19

**Health conditions studied**

1

**Description of health condition studied**

Coronary artery disease

**ICD-10 code**

I25.1

**ICD-10 code description**

Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery

**Primary outcomes**

1

**Description**

heart rate

**Timepoint**

HR and systolic blood pressure and diastolic blood pressure and mean blood pressure before infusion to induction, during and after induction of anesthesia, at laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation and every minute for 10 minutes after endotracheal intubation are recorded.

**Method of measurement**

After entering the operating room, patients are monitored by pulse oximeter, electrocardiogram and non-invasive blood pressure.To monitor blood pressure invasively, an intra-arterial catheter is inserted into the left radial artery after local injection of Lidocaine.

## 2

### **Description**

systolic blood pressure

### **Timepoint**

HR and systolic blood pressure and diastolic blood pressure and mean blood pressure before infusion to induction, during and after induction of anesthesia, at laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation and every minute for 10 minutes after endotracheal intubation are recorded.

### **Method of measurement**

After entering the operating room, patients are monitored by pulse oximeter, electrocardiogram and non-invasive blood pressure. To monitor blood pressure invasively, an intra-arterial catheter is inserted into the left radial artery after local injection of Lidocaine.

## 3

### **Description**

diastolic blood pressure

### **Timepoint**

HR and systolic blood pressure and diastolic blood pressure and mean blood pressure before infusion to induction, during and after induction of anesthesia, at laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation and every minute for 10 minutes after endotracheal intubation are recorded.

### **Method of measurement**

After entering the operating room, patients are monitored by pulse oximeter, electrocardiogram and non-invasive blood pressure. To monitor blood pressure invasively, an intra-arterial catheter is inserted into the left radial artery after local injection of Lidocaine.

## 4

### **Description**

mean blood pressure

### **Timepoint**

HR and systolic blood pressure and diastolic blood pressure and mean blood pressure before infusion to induction, during and after induction of anesthesia, at laryngoscopy and endotracheal intubation and every minute for 10 minutes after endotracheal intubation are recorded.

### **Method of measurement**

After entering the operating room, patients are monitored by pulse oximeter, electrocardiogram and non-invasive blood pressure. To monitor blood pressure invasively, an intra-arterial catheter is inserted into the left radial artery after local injection of Lidocaine.

## **Secondary outcomes**

empty

## **Intervention groups**

### 1

#### **Description**

Infusion group: 0.5 mg/kg Esmolol is injected within 4 minutes and then the infusion is started at 200 µg/kg/min and continues until endotracheal intubation. 0.9% NaCl is administered 2 minutes before endotracheal intubation. Esmolol is manufactured by Claris company, India.

#### **Category**

Treatment - Drugs

### 2

#### **Description**

Bolus group: 1.5mg/kg Esmolol is administered as a venous bolus 2 minutes before intubation and 0.9 NaCl% is administered 10 minutes before endotracheal intubation until it. Esmolol is manufactured by Claris company, India.

#### **Category**

Treatment - Drugs

### 3

#### **Description**

Control group: 0.9% NaCl infusion and bolus of normal saline are given instead of Esmolol.

#### **Category**

Treatment - Drugs

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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**

Kashan 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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## Sharing plan

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

Undecided - It is not yet known if there will be 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**

Undecided - It is not yet known if there will be a plan to make this available

**Clinical Study Report**

Undecided - It is not yet known if there will be 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