

Haemolysis during extracorporeal CO2 removal; an in vitro study using donated human blood

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| Ethical review | Approved WMO |
| Status | Recruitment stopped |
| Health condition type | Other condition |
| Study type | Observational invasive |

Summary

ID

NL-OMON41022

Source

ToetsingOnline

Brief title

In vitro haemolysis using human blood

Condition

- Other condition

Synonym

n.v.t., zie C21

Health condition

Het betreft geen directe aandoening. Het betreft een in vitro onderzoek gebruik makend van donorbloed. De donoren zijn gezonde vrijwilligers.

Research involving

Human

Sponsors and support

Primary sponsor: Medisch Universitair Ziekenhuis Maastricht

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Ministerie van OC&W

Intervention

Keyword: blood, CO2 removal, haemolysis, in vitro

Outcome measures

Primary outcome

in vitro plasma free haemoglobin

Secondary outcome

-in vitro circuit temperature

-in vitro circuit blood flow rate

-in vitro circuit pressure

Study description

Background summary

Extracorporeal life support (ELS) has proven a successful technique to provide cardiopulmonary assistance in acute heart and/or lung failure using supporting blood flows of 3-6 l/min. Adapted towards a low-flow application using supporting blood flows of approximately 0.5-1.0 l/min and small catheters, ELS can be used for extracorporeal CO2 removal in patients suffering from exacerbation of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease.

The use of relatively small catheters, however, opposes a challenge for the blood pump. Small bore catheters induce an increased blood flow resistance. To compensate for such hydraulic resistance, pump speeds must be increased. Increasing pump speed while pump flow remains relatively low, however, can lead to pump heating. Such pump heating as well as high pump rotational speeds may cause haemolysis. Haemolysis with resultant increased levels of plasma free haemoglobin leads to kidney damage, which in patients undergoing cardiac surgery has shown to affect clinical outcome.

Study objective

This in vitro study aims at investigating a possible relationship between plasma free haemoglobin, catheter diameter (i.e. resistance), pump rotational speed, pump heating and pump flow using freshly donated human blood in a mock circulation of an extracorporeal life support for CO₂ removal.

Study design

In this prospective study an in vitro setup will be filled with donated fresh human blood from healthy volunteers willing to donate approximately 200 ml. Blood will be drawn by a physician and collected in a blood donation bag containing citrate for anticoagulation.

Intervention

vena puncture and whole blood donation

Study burden and risks

There are no direct benefits for the healthy volunteers willing to donate whole blood. Blood is drawn by a venipuncture by an experienced physician. Blood is donated under standard transfusion laboratory conditions, i.e. lying on a bed, with vital parameter monitoring, and fluid supply during and after donation. Moreover, since the donated volume (approximately 200 ml) amounts to approximately 4% of the human blood volume (5 litres), no hemodynamic consequences are to be expected. Standard risks are pain, fainting and infection.

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Trial sites

Listed location countries

Netherlands

Eligibility criteria

Age

Adults (18-64 years)

Elderly (65 years and older)

Inclusion criteria

healthy volunteer

Exclusion criteria

-volunteers known with anaemia or those not feeling well

-volunteer that has taken part in this study or donated blood during the past 7 days

Study design

Design

Study type: Observational invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Other

Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 25-11-2014

Enrollment: 30

Type:

Actual

Ethics review

Approved WMO

Date: 10-09-2014

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC academisch ziekenhuis Maastricht/Universiteit Maastricht, METC azM/UM (Maastricht)

Approved WMO

Date: 21-01-2015

Application type: Amendment

Review commission: METC academisch ziekenhuis Maastricht/Universiteit Maastricht, METC azM/UM (Maastricht)

Study registrations

Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

No registrations found.

Other (possibly less up-to-date) registrations in this register

No registrations found.

In other registers

Register

CCMO

ID

NL49743.068.14

Study results

Date completed: 23-01-2015

Actual enrolment: 33