# PHARMACOKINETICS AND PHARMACODYNAMICS OF ERTAPENEM IN PATIENTS WITH TUBERCULOSIS

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| Ethical review        | Approved WMO                       |  |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Status                | Recruitment stopped                |  |
| Health condition type | Mycobacterial infectious disorders |  |
| Study type            | Observational invasive             |  |

# Summary

### ID

NL-OMON43693

**Source** ToetsingOnline

**Brief title** Pharmacokinetics of ertapenem in TB patients

### Condition

• Mycobacterial infectious disorders

**Synonym** TB, tuberculosis

**Research involving** Human

### **Sponsors and support**

Primary sponsor: Universitair Medisch Centrum Groningen Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Ministerie van OC&W

### Intervention

Keyword: ertapenem, Pharmacokinetics, tuberculosis

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

The main objective of this prospective clinical trial is to characterise the

pharmacokinetics of ertapenem in tuberculosis patients.

#### Secondary outcome

To evaluate T>MIC and AUC/MIC ratio

To evaluate limited sampling strategies based on a pharmacokinetic population

model to predict ertapenem AUC0-24h

To evaluate alternative blood sampling

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Treatment of multidrug or extensively drug resistant tuberculosis (MDR/XDR-TB) is a real challenge as failure in response to treatment and serious side-effects are frequently encountered. New, more effective drugs with less side effects are therefore urgently needed to solve this problem. Although several new drugs against TB are in the pipeline, physicians currently have limited treatment options for treatment of complicated MDR/XDR-TB cases. Therefore, drugs developed and labeled for other infectious diseases are evaluated for TB.

#### **Study objective**

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#### Study design

In a prospective clinical trial the pharmacokinetic parameters of ertapenem will be evaluated. 2 - PHARMACOKINETICS AND PHARMACODYNAMICS OF ERTAPENEM IN PATIENTS WITH TUBERCULOSIS 25-05-2025

This study is an pharmacokinetic study to characterise the pharmacokinetics of a single dose of ertapenem. Plasma samples (2 ml) will be taken at t= 0, 0.5, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 12, 24 hr post dosage. Also dried blood spot and mitra tip samples will be taken by fingerprick at timepoints 1 (peak), 4 (middle) and 12 (through) hr post dosage. MIC values for ertapenem will be determined if the specimen is cultured. The drug susceptibility test of the available M. tuberculosis isolates are performed with the Middlebrook 7H10 agar dilution method. The area under the concentration-time curve up to 24 hours post dosage (AUC0-24h) for plasma will be determined with a standard one-compartmental pharmacokinetic method using KINFIT module of MW Pharm 3.60 (Mediware, The Netherlands). To assure safety of the patients that will participate in the study the patients will be screened for a history of hypersensitivity or allergic reactions for carbapenems or \*-lactam antibiotics (like penicillins and cephalosporins). As ertapenem is excreted primarily (80%) by the kidneys, renal function will be examined. Laboratory tests (clinical chemistry, urinalysis; including electrolytes (K, Mg, Na, Ca), transaminase values, serum creatinine and bilirubin) will be evaluated the day before the study drug is administered as part of routine treatment. During and after administration of ertapenem a physician will be available in the presence of the patient.

#### Study burden and risks

The risks of the use of ertapenem for patients are low, so far side effects occur in a low percentage and if present are of minor importance. The patients may experience some minor discomfort due to the PK-sampling performed using an indwelling iv catheter. There is no benefit for the individual patient. Future patients with drug resistent tuberculosis (MDR-tb: multidrug resistant tuberculosis and XDR-tb: extensively drug resistant tuberculosis) may benefit from this study.

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# **Trial sites**

### **Listed location countries**

Netherlands

# **Eligibility criteria**

Age Adults (18-64 years) Elderly (65 years and older)

#### **Inclusion criteria**

- Patients with tuberculosis, caused by Mycobacterium tuberculosis or by M. africanum

- Adults: from 18 until 64 years of age

### **Exclusion criteria**

o There are few adverse effects of ertapenem. The only absolute contra-indication is a previous anaphylactic reaction to ertapenem or other \*-lactam antibiotic.

o Renal Insufficiency, defined by a eGFR of 30ml/min

- o Pregnancy
- o HIV

o Body weight < 40 kg

# Study design

### Design

Study phase:2Study type:Observational invasiveMasking:Open (masking not used)Control:UncontrolledPrimary purpose:Treatment

### Recruitment

| NL                        |                     |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Recruitment status:       | Recruitment stopped |
| Start date (anticipated): | 26-01-2017          |
| Enrollment:               | 12                  |
| Туре:                     | Actual              |

### Medical products/devices used

| Product type: | Medicine                      |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| Brand name:   | Invanz                        |
| Generic name: | ertapenem                     |
| Registration: | Yes - NL outside intended use |

# **Ethics review**

| Approved WMO       |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Date:              | 23-08-2012  |
| Application type:  | First submission  |
| Review commission: | METC Universitair Medisch Centrum Groningen (Groningen) |
| Approved WMO       |   |
| Date:              | 10-01-2013  |
| Application type:  | First submission  |
| Review commission: | METC Universitair Medisch Centrum Groningen (Groningen) |
| Approved WMO       |   |
| Date:              | 14-10-2016  |
| Application type:  | Amendment   |
| Review commission: | METC Universitair Medisch Centrum Groningen (Groningen) |

# **Study registrations**

# Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

No registrations found.

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

No registrations found.

### In other registers

| Register           | ID                     |
|--------------------|------------------------|
| EudraCT            | EUCTR2012-003386-18-NL |
| ClinicalTrials.gov | NCT01730664            |
| ССМО               | NL41380.042.12         |
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# **Study results**

| Date completed:   | 13-07-2017 |
|-------------------|------------|
| Actual enrolment: | 12         |