# The effect of a single gift antibiotics before ERCP to prevent post-ERCP pancreatitis.

A study protocol for a single centre, double blinded randomized controlled study.

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Ethical reviewApproved WMOStatusCompletedHealth condition typeOther conditionStudy typeInterventional

## **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON49650

Source

**ToetsingOnline** 

**Brief title** 

**ERCP AB** 

#### **Condition**

Other condition

#### **Synonym**

infection of pancreas, pancreatitis

#### **Health condition**

pancreatitis na ERCP

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#### Research involving

Human

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Elisabeth-Tweesteden ziekenhuis

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: eigen vakgroep MDL (stichting innovatie en

kwaliteit MDL)

#### Intervention

**Keyword:** Antibiotics, ERCP, pancreatitis, prevention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

Primary study parameter is the incidence of post-ERCP pancreatitis the day after the ERCP. Post-ERCP pancreatitis will be defined as the presence of abdominal pain and an increased lipase according to the Cotton criteria. Delayed post-ERCP pancreatitis will be assessed until 4 weeks after the procedure.

#### **Secondary outcome**

see primary study parameters

## **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

An acute pancreatitis is the most common and severe complication of an endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatography (ERCP). Despite standard non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID) post-ERCP pancreatitis prophylaxis, still a significant number of patients develop a pancreatitis The results of previous studies showed that antibiotics before or after the procedure also reduces the risk of post-ERCP pancreatitis.

## Study objective

This study aims to further reduce the incidence of a post-ERCP pancreatitis by administrating a single gift antibiotics after the procedure.

#### Study design

The study is a single centre, double blinded randomized controlled trail. It will be conducted at the Elisabeth-TweeSteden Hospital Tilburg. Every participant will receive the standard post-ERCP pancreatitis prophylaxis, diclofenac before the procedure. Participants will be randomized to an intervention group who will receive a single gift antibiotics intravenous and a control group who will receive placebo before the ERCP. Patients and investigators will be blinded for the intervention.

#### Intervention

The intervention group receives 2 gram ceftazidim solution in a 10ml syringe intravenous before the ERCP. The control group receives sodium chloride (NaCl) in a 10ml syringe intravenous before the ERCP.

#### Study burden and risks

The patients who participate in the study have to undergo an ERCP and will receive standard NSAIDS prophylaxis before the procedure. In this study patients receive additional a single gift ceftazidim or NaCl. Antibiotics is already standard care in some hospitals to prevent post-ERCP pancreatitis. Because, it is only an one-time gift antibiotics the additional risks related to the study are negligible.

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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 undergoing an elective ERCP at the Elisabeth-TweeSteden hospital Tilburg, who are willing to participate and give informed consent.
- Have the minimum age of 18 years or older.

#### **Exclusion criteria**

- Patients who experience a chronic or acute pancreatitis.
- Patients with known pancreas malignancy.
- Patients treated with antibiotics/ cholangitis.
- Patients with any contraindication or with a known allergy to ceftazidime or to any other cephalosporin antibiotics.
- History of severe hypersensitivity (e.g. anaphylactic reaction) to any other type of beta-lactam antibacterial agent (penicillins).
- Patients who are pregnant, lactating or planning pregnancy while enrolled in the study.
- Patients who are unsuitable for inclusion in the study in the opinion of the investigator for any reason that may compromise the subject\*s safety or confound data interpretation.

# Study design

## **Design**

Study type: Interventional

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Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Randomized controlled trial

Masking: Double blinded (masking used)

Control: Placebo

Primary purpose: Prevention

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Completed
Start date (anticipated): 05-01-2021

Enrollment: 500

Type: Actual

## Medical products/devices used

Product type: Medicine
Brand name: ceftazidim

Generic name: ceftazidim

Registration: Yes - NL outside intended use

# **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 24-08-2020

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Brabant (Tilburg)

Approved WMO

Date: 25-08-2021

Application type: Amendment

Review commission: METC Brabant (Tilburg)

# **Study registrations**

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

No registrations found.

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

ID: 22878

Source: Nationaal Trial Register

Title:

# In other registers

Register ID

EudraCT EUCTR2020-000572-37-NL

CCMO NL72967.028.20

# **Study results**

Date completed: 03-12-2024

Actual enrolment: 155

#### **Summary results**

Trial ended prematurely