

A Prospective, Randomised, Double-blind, Placebo Controlled Study to assess the Role of Aloe Vera with or without Glucosamine & Chondroitin in Patients with Symptomatic Osteoarthritis of Knees

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Plain English summary of protocol

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Study information

Scientific Title

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Study objectives

To evaluate the role of aloe vera with or without glucosamine and Chondroitin in patients with symptomatic osteoarthritis of knees.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Study design

Randomised double-blind placebo-controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)

Hospital

Study type(s)

Treatment

Participant information sheet

Not available in web format, please use the contact details below to request a patient information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Musculoskeletal Diseases: Osteoarthritis of the knee

Interventions

Aloe vera with or without glucosamine and Chondroitin

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Applicable

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Aloe vera with or without glucosamine and Chondroitin

Primary outcome measure

1. Assessment and comparison of overall symptoms including pain, range of motions and variables such as swelling etc in the affected joints and other measures of functional aspects of the joint
2. Assessment of Quality of life

Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date

01/04/2006

Completion date

30/04/2008

Eligibility**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Age between 18 - 80 years
2. Symptoms of episodic or continuous pain in the affected knee joint for 6 weeks
3. Diagnosis of OA of Knee made according to ACR criteria (knee pain and radiographic osteophytes and at least any one of the following 3 items: a) Age > 50 years b) Morning Stiffness < 30 minutes in duration c) Crepitus on motion

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Adult

Lower age limit

18 Years

Sex

Not Specified

Target number of participants

Not provided at time of registration

Key exclusion criteria

1. Any contra indication to Aloe Vera /Glucosamine/Chondroitin
2. Current Use or use within 3 months of screening of aloe vera/Glucosamine/Chondroitin
3. Current or Previous history of oral steroid or injection in the study joint within 3 months
4. Current or previous history of Intra articular Synvisc or Hyalgan therapy

5. Previous history of NSAID topical application within the last 3 months
6. Any previous history of Knee surgery including Menisectomy / patellectomy etc
7. Presence of Inflammatory Arthritis
8. Presence of significant hip disease on the side of symptomatic knee

Date of first enrolment

01/04/2006

Date of final enrolment

30/04/2008

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

Study participating centre

Harold Wood Hospital

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Sponsor information

Organisation

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Government

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Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

Barking, Havering and Redbridge Hospitals NHS Trust (UK)

Results and Publications

Publication and dissemination plan

Not provided at time of registration

Intention to publish date

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration