Hypitat: Pregnancy-induced hypertension and pre-eclampsia after 36 weeks: induction of labour versus expectant monitoring. A comparison of maternal and neonatal outcome, maternal quality of life and costs.

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Plain English summary of protocol

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Scientific

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Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym

Hypitat (Hypertension and Preeclampsia Intervention Trial at Term)

Study objectives

Equivalence between maternal and neonatal outcome.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Approved by the Medical Ethical Committee of the University Medical Centre of Leiden (ref: p04. 210)

Study design

Multicentre randomised active controlled parallel group trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Pre-eclampsia, pregnancy induced hypertension

Interventions

In the intervention group, patients get an induction of labour within 24 hours after randomisation. Patients with a cervix that is judged to be 'ripe' at vaginal examination (bishop score greater than 6), labour will be induced with amniotomy and augmentation with oxytocin. In case the cervix is judged to be 'unripe' (bishop score less than 6), cervical ripening will be stimulated with use of intracervical or intravaginal prostaglandines according to the local protocol.

In the expectant group, patients will be monitored until the onset of spontaneous delivery. In this group intervention is recommended in case the foetal or maternal condition does not justify expectant management anymore.

As of 06/01/2009, this record was updated to show the completed status based on the participant inclusion completion date of April 2008. The previous anticipated end date of this trial was 01/02/2009.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)

The primary outcome measure will be maternal mortality or severe maternal morbidity. Severe maternal morbidity will be defined as diastolic BP greater than 110 mmHg, major postpartum haemorrhage, eclampsia, HELLP syndrome or abruptio placenta.

Previous primary outcome measures (as of 22/08/2007): Maternal and neonatal outcome, quality of maternal life.

Key secondary outcome(s))

Secondary outcomes will be neonatal mortality or neonatal morbidity, instrumental delivery rate, severe maternal quality of life and quality of recovery and costs.

Previous secondary outcome measures (as of 22/08/2007): Economic analysis

Completion date

01/04/2008

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Current inclusion criteria (as of 22/08/2007):

- 1. Pregnant women with gestational age 36 0/7 weeks until 41 0/7 weeks
- 2. Blood pressure greater than 140/95 mmHg in women with pregnancy induced hypertension
- 3. Blood pressure greater than 140/90 mmHg combined with proteinuria (greater than 300 mg /24 hours) in women with preeclampsia

Previous inclusion criteria:

- 1. Pregnant women with gestational age 36 0/7 wks until 41 0/7 wks
- 2. Blood pressure greater than 140/95 mmHg. Eventually combined with proteinuria (greater than 300 mg/24 hour)

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Sex

Female

Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Treated hypertension before pregnancy
- 2. Diabetes mellitus
- 3. Renal disease and previous caesarean section

- 4. HELLP syndrome
- 5. Oluguria
- 6. Cerebral or visual disturbances
- 7. Pulmonary oedema or cyanosis
- 8. Non-vertex position

Date of first enrolment

01/02/2006

Date of final enrolment

01/04/2008

Locations

Countries of recruitment

Netherlands

Study participating centre
University Medical Centre Groningen

Groningen Netherlands 9700 RB

Sponsor information

Organisation

The Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development (ZonMw) (Netherlands)

ROR

https://ror.org/01yaj9a77

Funder(s)

Funder type

Research organisation

Funder Name

The Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development (ZonMw) (Netherlands)

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient- facing?
Results article	results	19/09/2009)	Yes	No
Results article	results	01/12/2010)	Yes	No
Results article	results	01/12/2011		Yes	No
Results article	results	01/12/2011		Yes	No
Results article	results	01/12/2011		Yes	No
Results article	results	01/08/2012		Yes	No
Protocol article	methods of valuation/preference protocol:	04/07/2007	,	Yes	No
Protocol article	trial protocol:	27/07/2007		Yes	No
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11 /2025	No	Yes