

# Metabolic control with Glucose-Insulin-Potassium infusion in acute myocardial infarction

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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# Study information

## Scientific Title

## Acronym

GIPS II

## Study objectives

Treatment with Glucose-Insulin-Potassium (GIK) infusion during the acute phase of myocardial infarction has been proposed as therapeutic intervention for protection of the ischaemic myocardium.

Current evidence suggests an effect in patients with acute myocardial infarction without signs of heart failure at admission treated with reperfusion therapy (i.e. primary coronary angioplasty). There is also evidence for the treatment with insulin-glucose infusion in combination with strict metabolic control for at least three months thereafter for patients with type two diabetes mellitus (i.e. a history of diabetes mellitus, previously treated with oral hypoglycaemic agents or blood glucose level at admission greater than or equal to 11.1 mmol/l) and acute myocardial infarction.

Recently, it has been shown that obtaining and maintaining normoglycaemia (i.e. plasma-glucose concentrations of 4.4 and 6.1 mmol/l) in patients admitted to a Surgical Intensive Care Unit will lead to a marked reduction in morbidity and mortality.

This study will address what the effects will be of metabolic intervention with or without the infusion of GIK on 30-day and one-year mortality in patients eligible for reperfusion therapy (i.e. primary coronary angioplasty or thrombolysis).

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Approval received from the local ethics committee (Medisch Ethische Toetsings Commissie) on the 2nd May 2003 (ref: 02.1280).

## Study design

Randomised, active controlled, parallel group, multicentre trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Study setting(s)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Treatment

## **Participant information sheet**

### **Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied**

Acute myocardial infarction

### **Interventions**

An infusion of 80 mmol potassium chloride in 500 ml 20% glucose with a rate of 2 ml/kilogram body weight/hour over an 12 hour period in a peripheral venous line. The infusion is started as soon as possible after admission to the hospital after determination of blood-glucose level in combination with reperfusion therapy. A continuous infusion of short-acting insulin (50 units Actrapid HM [Novo Nordisk, Copenhagen, Denmark] in 49.5 ml of 0.9 percent sodium chloride) with the use of a perfusor-pump will also be started.

Blood-glucose levels will be measured hourly. Baseline insulin infusion dose and adjustments of insulin dose will be based on a nomogram to obtain and maintain blood-glucose levels of 6.0 to 10.0 mmol/l.

The insulin infusion will be stopped one hour prior to the discontinuation of the glucose-potassium infusion. After the Glucose-Potassium (GK) infusion is stopped insulin may be continued based on glucose measurements according to conventional care or until the infusion rate is less than 1 IU/hour.

### **Intervention Type**

Drug

### **Phase**

Not Specified

### **Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)**

Glucose-Insulin-Potassium (GIK) infusion

### **Primary outcome measure**

30-day mortality (death from any cause and cardiovascular death).

### **Secondary outcome measures**

1. One-year mortality
2. Analysis of pre-specified subgroups

### **Overall study start date**

01/05/2003

### **Completion date**

01/03/2006

## **Eligibility**

### **Key inclusion criteria**

1. Acute myocardial infarction diagnosed by:
  - 1.1. Chest pain suggestive for acute myocardial infarction
  - 1.2. Symptom-onset less than six hours after hospital admission
  - 1.3. Electrocardiogram (ECG) with ST-T segment elevation more than 1 mV in two or more leads

2. Patients are eligible for either primary coronary angioplasty or thrombolysis
3. Patient who has given his or her informed consent to take part in the study

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

900

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Unwillingness to participate
2. Presence of heart failure (either one of these symptoms):
  - 2.1. Heart rate more than 90 beats/minute
  - 2.2. Systolic blood pressure less than 100 mmHg with anterior myocardial infarction
  - 2.3. Killip class greater than or equal to II (third heart sound, greater than or equal to hand-wide rales)

**Date of first enrolment**

01/05/2003

**Date of final enrolment**

01/03/2006

**Locations****Countries of recruitment**

Netherlands

**Study participating centre**

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Hospital/treatment centre

### **Website**

<http://www.isala.nl/Pages/default.aspx>

### **ROR**

<https://ror.org/046a2wj10>

## **Funder(s)**

### **Funder type**

Charity

### **Funder Name**

Netherlands Heart Foundation (The Netherlands)

### **Funder Name**

Guidant (The Netherlands)

## **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

### **Study outputs**

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
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Results

18/04/2006

Yes

No