A pragmatic trial examining the effect of compliance upon clinical effectiveness and cost effectiveness of Lapdap (CPG-DDS) when compared to sulfadoxine-pyrimethamine and Co-artem (AM-LU) for the treatment of uncomplicated falciparum malaria in Malawi

Submission date	Recruitment status	Prospectively registered		
20/04/2005	No longer recruiting	☐ Protocol		
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan		
21/06/2005	Completed	[X] Results		
Last Edited	Condition category	Individual participant data		
10/02/2010	Infections and Infestations			

Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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N/A

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

This study will look at the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of Chlorproguanil-Dapsone (CPG-DDS/Lapdap) in comparison to standard Sulfadoxine-pyrimethamine (SP) and another new antimalarial combination, artemether-lumefantrine (Co-artem) and will assess the influence of poor compliance upon the clinical response to CPG-DDS and Co-artem.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

No ethics information provided at time of registration.

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)

Not specified

Study type(s)

Treatment

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Uncomplicated malaria

Interventions

- 1. Sulfadoxine-pyrimethamine
- 2. Chlorproguanil-dapsone (Lapdap)
- 3. Artemether-lumefantrine (Co-artem)

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Applicable

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Sulfadoxine-pyrimethamine, Chlorproguanil-dapsone (Lapdap), Artemether-lumefantrine (Coartem)

Primary outcome measure

Investigation of the effect of incomplete compliance with three doses of CPG-DDS upon the effectiveness of CPG-DDS in an operational setting.

Secondary outcome measures

- 1. Comparison of the effectiveness of CPG-DDS, SP and AM-LU
- 2. Measurement of the degree of compliance with CPG-DDS and AM-LU
- 3. Observation of Adverse Events (AEs) to all three treatments
- 4. Modelling of the relative cost effectiveness of CPG-DDS, SP and AM-LU in this setting in Malawi

Overall study start date

01/05/2004

Completion date

31/12/2006

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Adults and children over the age of six months (and who weigh more than 10 kg) with uncomplicated falciparum malaria

Inclusion criteria:

- 1. Febrile illness
- 2. Asexual forms of P falciparum on blood slide

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Other

Sex

Both

Target number of participants

1500

Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Severe malaria (as defined in World Health Organisation [WHO] guidelines)
- 2. Clinical evidence of a co-existing infection
- 3. Hb lower than 7 g/dl
- 4. Known pregnancy or positive pregnancy test (females over the age of 12)

- 5. Known G6PD deficiency, HbE or porphyria
- 6. Breast feeding mothers

Date of first enrolment

01/05/2004

Date of final enrolment

31/12/2006

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

Malawi

United Kingdom

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Sponsor information

Organisation

UK Government - Department for International Development (UK)

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Sponsor type

Government

ROR

https://ror.org/05rf29967

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

Department for International Development (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

Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
Results article	results	26/08/2009		Yes	No