

# Does low dose oral vitamin K reduce the risk of bleeding, without causing thrombosis, in patients with warfarin-associated coagulopathy: a randomised clinical trial

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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**ClinicalTrials.gov (NCT)**  
NCT00143715

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MCT-66693

# Study information

## Scientific Title

Does low dose oral vitamin K reduce the risk of bleeding, without causing thrombosis, in patients with warfarin-associated coagulopathy: a randomised clinical trial

## Study objectives

The objective of this trial is to determine if oral vitamin K reduces the risk of bleeding in patients with warfarin-associated coagulopathy, without causing thrombosis.

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Ethics approval received from McMaster University Research Ethics Board, Hamilton, Ontario (Canada) on the 19th April 2004 (ref: R.P. #04-2327).

## Study design

Multicentre, international, two arm, randomised parallel placebo/drug trial with study participant, study investigator, caregiver outcome assessor and data analyst blinded.

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Study type(s)

Treatment

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

Coagulopathy due to warfarin therapy

## Interventions

Randomised patients (with INR between 4.5 and 10) will receive either low-dose oral vitamin K, or matching placebo, and will be followed for thrombosis and bleeding outcomes.

Patients with INR greater than 10 (a cohort study), will receive a 2.5 mg dose of oral vitamin K and will be monitored for bleeding and thrombosis.

## Intervention Type

Supplement

## Phase

Not Specified

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

Vitamin K

## Primary outcome(s)

Proportion of patients with bleeding in each arm.

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

1. Major haemorrhage, or all clinically overt hemorrhage thrombosis and a composite of these two measures
2. Changes in INR values
3. Cost effectiveness

**Completion date**

01/09/2007

**Eligibility****Key inclusion criteria**

1. 660 patients of either sex
2. Aged 18 and over
3. With International Normalised Ratio (INR) values of 4.5 to 10.0 and for cohort study: patients with INR values greater than 10

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 years

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Active bleeding
2. Geographic inaccessibility and lack of informed consent
3. Age less than 18 years
4. Warfarin is being discontinued
5. Vitamin K allergy

**Date of first enrolment**

01/09/2004

**Date of final enrolment**

01/09/2007

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

Canada

Italy

United States of America

**Study participating centre**

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## Sponsor information

**Organisation**

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) (Canada)

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/01gavpb45>

## Funder(s)

**Funder type**

Research organisation

**Funder Name**

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) (Canada) - <http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca> (ref: MCT-66693)

## 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?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	03/03/2009	31/01/2019	Yes	No