

# Intravenous metoclopramide versus intravenous promethazine for hyperemesis gravidarum: a double-blind, randomised trial

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## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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### Type(s)

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## Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

625.10

# Study information

## Scientific Title

## Acronym

PRO-MET Trial

## Study objectives

Intravenous metoclopramide is superior to intravenous promethazine as an anti-emetic in hyperemesis gravidarum

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

University of Malaya Medical Centre Medical Ethics Committee approved on the 21st of November 2007 (ref: 625.10)

## Study design

Randomised double-blind trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Study setting(s)

Not specified

## Study type(s)

Not Specified

## 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

Hyperemesis gravidarum

## Interventions

10 mg metoclopramide intravenously versus 25 mg promethazine intravenously at 8 hourly intervals at hospitalisation for hyperemesis gravidarum for up to 24 hours or longer as required.

## Intervention Type

Drug

## Phase

Not Specified

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

Metoclopramide, promethazine

**Primary outcome measure**

1. Participant well-being over the initial 24-hour period by means of a 10 point visual analogue scale (VAS)
2. Number of vomiting episodes in the initial 24-hour period (participant diary)

**Secondary outcome measures**

1. Nausea score measured using a 10 point VAS at enrolment, 8 , 16 and 24 hours
2. Ketonuria status at the end of 24 study period
3. Additional/ change of anti-emetic required during the study period and during hospitalisation
4. Total doses of intravenous anti-emetic needed during hospitalisation
5. Admission to discharge interval
6. Any adverse events, including side effects profile including symptoms of the following:
  - 6.1. Drowsiness
  - 6.2. Inability to sleep
  - 6.3. Dry mouth
  - 6.4. Dizziness
  - 6.5. Diarrhoea
  - 6.6. Headache
  - 6.7. Palpitations
  - 6.8. Uncontrollable movements or muscle spasms
  - 6.9. Rash

**Overall study start date**

01/09/2008

**Completion date**

01/03/2010

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

1. Pregnant women, age limit >17 to 50 years
2. Gestation <16 weeks
3. First hospitalisation for hyperemesis gravidarum in current pregnancy
4. Clinical dehydration with ketonuria on urine dipstick

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

Female

**Target number of participants**

128

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Multiple gestation
2. Established non viable pregnancy
3. Allergy to metoclopramide or promethazine
4. Pre-existing medical condition which can cause nausea and vomiting if known, for example:
  - 4.1. Concomitant confounders of severity of nausea and vomiting e.g. culture proven symptomatic urinary tract infection, dengue fever
  - 4.2. Gastrointestinal causes of vomiting e.g. gastro-enteritis
  - 4.3. Medical causes of vomiting e.g. diabetic ketoacidosis

**Date of first enrolment**

01/09/2008

**Date of final enrolment**

01/03/2010

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

Malaysia

**Study participating centre****Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology**

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**Sponsor information****Organisation**

University of Malaya (Malaysia)

**Sponsor details**

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**Sponsor type**

University/education

**Website**

<http://um.edu.my>

ROR

<https://ror.org/00rzspn62>

## Funder(s)

### Funder type

University/education

### Funder Name

University of Malaya (Malaysia) (Grant ref: PJP/FS227/2008B)

### Alternative Name(s)

University of Malaya, University Malaya, Malayan University, UM

### Funding Body Type

Government organisation

### Funding Body Subtype

Universities (academic only)

### Location

Malaysia

### Funder Name

CCM Duopharma Malaysia Biotech Berhad (Malaysia)

## 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?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/05/2010		Yes	No