

# A randomised, open label controlled trial of Epoetin Beta in the treatment of anaemia post-transplantation

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## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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## Additional identifiers

### EudraCT/CTIS number

2006-003502-26

### IRAS number

### ClinicalTrials.gov number

### Secondary identifying numbers

## Study information

### Scientific Title

A randomised, open label controlled trial of Epoetin Beta in the treatment of Anaemia Post-Transplantation

### Acronym

Epoetin Beta in PTA

### Study objectives

The treatment of post-transplant anaemia with epoetin beta decreases the rate of decline of kidney function and the quantity of proteinuria. It also affects markers of cardiovascular disease, endothelial dysfunction and tubular damage, and blood pressure control.

### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

### Ethics approval(s)

Submitting in August 2006 to East London and the City Health Authority Ethics Committee.

### Study design

Randomised controlled open trial

### Primary study design

Interventional

### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Study setting(s)

Hospital

### Study type(s)

Treatment

### 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

Post-transplant anaemia

### Interventions

Treatment with epoetin beta.

### Intervention Type

Drug

**Phase**

Not Specified

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

Epoetin Beta

**Primary outcome measure**

1. Rate of decline of glomerular filtration rate (GFR)
2. Change in blood pressure control
3. Change in quantity of proteinuria

**Secondary outcome measures**

1. Change in left ventricular hypertrophy (LVH) as measured on echocardiogram
2. Change in intimal and medial wall thickness as determined by intimal medial thickness and flow dependant vasodilation as determined by ultrasound
3. Changes in functional quality of life scores
4. Changes in markers of tubular damage in the urine
5. Changes in markers of endothelial dysfunction

**Overall study start date**

01/10/2006

**Completion date**

30/09/2009

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

1. Male and female patients greater than three months post-kidney transplant
2. Haemoglobin less than 11.5 g/dl and greater than 9.0 g/dl
3. Age greater than 18 years of age and less than 85 years of age

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 Years

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

120

**Total final enrolment**

55

## **Key exclusion criteria**

1. Current treatment with an erythropoiesis stimulating agent (ESA)
2. Uncontrolled hypertension
3. Congestive cardiac failure (New York Heart Association [NYHA] grade III and IV)
4. History of seizures
5. History of thrombotic episodes
6. Pregnancy
7. Lactation
8. Presence of systemic disease, infection or inflammatory conditions
9. Hepatic insufficiency
10. Active hepatitis
11. Uncontrolled hypothyroidism
12. Chronic alcoholism
13. Known hypersensitivity to the active substance in the cartridge or benzoic acid
14. Known sensitivity to Epoetin Beta

## **Date of first enrolment**

01/10/2006

## **Date of final enrolment**

30/09/2009

## **Locations**

### **Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

### **Study participating centre**

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## **Sponsor information**

### **Organisation**

Barts and the London NHS Trust (UK)

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**Sponsor type**

Hospital/treatment centre

**Website**

<http://www.bartsandthelondon.nhs.uk/research>

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/00b31g692>

## Funder(s)

**Funder type**

Industry

**Funder Name**

Roche Products Ltd (UK) - provided an educational grant though the Joint Research Department for the salary of the Research Fellow

## 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	01/02/2020	06/01/2021	Yes	No