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Selective Laser Trabeculoplasty for Primary Angle-Closure Glaucoma: a pilot case study

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Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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Protocol serial number
N/A

Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym
SLT for PACG Study

Study objectives
To determine whether selective laser trabeculoplasty (SLT) using a Q-switched frequency doubled neodymium-doped yttrium aluminium garnet (Nd:YAG) laser is effective in lowering intraocular pressure in patients with primary angle-closure glaucoma (PACG).

Ethics approval required
Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)
Ethics approval received from:
1. Singapore Eye Research Institute (SERI-Singapore) (Ref: R424/19/2005) dated 27/10/2005
2. United Christian Hospital (Hong Kong) (Ref: KC/KE05-0073/FR-3) dated on 15/06/2005

Other ethics approval from Chulalongkorn University and Hospital (Thailand), St. Luke's Medical Centre (Philippines) and National University Hospital (Singapore).

Study design
Prospective, observational, uncontrolled, non-comparative study

Primary study design
Observational

Study type(s)
Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Primary angle-closure glaucoma

Interventions
Selective laser trabeculoplasty (SLT)

Intervention Type
Other

Phase
Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)
Intraocular pressure (IOP) at regular intervals of follow-up with the final IOP being measured at six months after the last treatment. Successful outcome defined as greater or equal to 20% reduction in IOP from pre-laser levels.

Key secondary outcome(s))
IOP measured on other eye if both eyes are eligible for the study.

Completion date
01/07/2006

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
1. PACG
2. Intraocular pressure 21 - 28 mmHg on one or more topical medicine in presence of patent iridotomy
3. At least two months since last iridotomy
4. Aged over 21 years old

Participant type(s)
Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed
No

Age group
Adult

Sex
All

Key exclusion criteria
1. Secondary causes of angle-closure
2. Corneal abnormalities
3. Advanced glaucomatous optic neuropathy
4. Patient blind in one eye

Date of first enrolment
01/07/2005

Date of final enrolment
01/07/2006

Locations

Countries of recruitment
Hong Kong

Israel

Philippines

Singapore

Thailand

Study participating centre
Goldschleger Eye Research Institute
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Sponsor information

Organisation
Ellex Medical Pty. Ltd. (Australia)

Funder(s)

Funder type
Industry

Funder Name
Ellex Medical Pty Ltd (Australia)

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary
Not provided at time of registration