Accelerated hypofractionation, Chemotherapy, Intensity Modulation and Evaluation of Dose Escalation in Oropharyngeal cancer

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Plain English summary of protocol

http://www.cancerresearchuk.org/cancer-help/trials/a-study-looking-increased-dose-intensity-modulated-radiotherapy-treat-head-neck-cancer-archimedes-op

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Study information

Scientific Title

Accelerated hypofractionation, Chemotherapy, Intensity Modulation and Evaluation of Dose Escalation in Oropharyngeal cancer: a non randomised study

Acronym

ArChIMEDEs-Op

Study objectives

To determine whether it is safe and feasible to deliver a 5 week schedule of dose escalated intensity modulated chemoradiotherapy for poor prognosis patients with Human Papillomavirus (HPV) negative and P16 negative locally advanced squamous carcinoma of the oropharynx (SCCOP) in the context of a feasibility study.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

West Midlands Research Ethics Committee, South Birmingham, ref. 12/WM/0112.

Study design

Single arm single centre non-randomised feasibility study

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Locally advanced squamous carcinoma of the oropharynx

Interventions

Patients entered into the study will receive intensity modulated chemoradiotherapy (IMRT), 64Gy in 25F for 5 weeks. Chemotherapy (cisplatin) will also be given as standard practice once in the 1st week and once in the last week of radiotherapy.

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Applicable

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Cisplatin

Primary outcome(s)

Full dose radiotherapy received as planned and the absence of consequential damage defined by the absence of Grade 3 mucositis at 3 months

Key secondary outcome(s))

- 1. Duration of Grade 3 mucositis: defined as the number of days of Grade 3 mucositis scored using National Cancer Institute Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (NCI CTCAE) version 3
- 2. Incidence of acute Grade 4 toxicity defined according to the NCI CTCAE version 4
- 3. Incidence of ≥ Grade 3 late toxicity defined according to RTOG (see appendix 2) and CTCAE version 4 scoring systems
- 4. Complete response rate at 3 months defined as no clinically visible (including endoscopic evaluation), palpable or measurable disease on imaging OR the absence of residual tumour on directed biopsy/neck dissection. The primary tumour and regional lymph nodes will be considered separately
- 5. Two year local control defined as no re-appearance of tumour within primary site (including immediately adjoining anatomical sites) or regional lymph nodes after complete response 6. Two year disease free survival defined in whole days, as the time from entry into the study
- until death from any cause. Patients will be censored at the date last seen alive. All patients will be followed up for at least 5-years
- 7. Two year overall survival defined in whole days as the time from entry into the study until death from any cause. Patients will be censored at the date last seen alive. All patients will be followed up for at least 5-years
- 8. Incidence of feeding tube dependency at one year defined by the patient requiring supplementation of nutrition by a feeding tube

Completion date

02/12/2019

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

- 1. Histologically proven, P16 negative SCCOP deemed suitable for radical primary chemoradiotherapy with curative intent requiring bilateral neck irradiation. Neoadjuvant chemotherapy and pre or post chemoradiation neck dissections are permitted
- 2. Only patients requiring bilateral radiotherapy
- 3. Age ≥18 and <75 years
- 4. World Health Organisation (WHO) performance status 0 or 1
- 5. Adequate bone marrow: absolute neutrophil count > 1,800 cells/mm3, platelets > 100,000 cells/mm3, haemoglobin > 8.0 g/dl
- 6. Creatinine clearance > 50 ml/minute
- 7. Informed consent

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Lower age limit

18 years

Sex

Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Prior invasive malignancy (except basal cell carcinoma and cervical intraepithelial neoplasia) within last 3 years
- 2. Prior radiotherapy to the head and neck region
- 3. Pregnancy and/or lactation
- 4. Reproductive capability agreement to use contraceptive
- 5. Contraindications to cisplatin chemotherapy including active vascular disease (e.g. myocardial within last 6 months, angina and symptomatic peripheral vascular disease)
- 6. Non curative intent
- 7. Non squamous cell carcinoma histology
- 8. Nasophaynx, larynx, hypopharynx, salivary gland or sino-nasal primary site
- 9. Other physical or psychiatric disorder that may interfere with subject compliance, adequate informed consent, follow up or determine the causality of adverse events
- 10. Suitable for unilateral radiotherapy

Date of first enrolment

02/11/2012

Date of final enrolment

22/01/2014

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust

Birmingham United Kingdom B15 2TH

Sponsor information

Organisation

University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust (UK)

ROR

https://ror.org/014ja3n03

Funder(s)

Funder type

Charity

Funder Name

Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham Charities (UK)

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?
Results article	results	01/06/2018		Yes	No
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes
Plain English results			26/02/2020	No	Yes