Comparison of second-line hormonal agents medroxyprogesterone acetate and aminoglutethimide in advanced breast cancer

Submission date	Recruitment status	Prospectively registered
19/08/2002	No longer recruiting	☐ Protocol
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
19/08/2002	Completed	Results
Last Edited	Condition category	Individual participant data
27/01/2015	Cancer	Record updated in last year

Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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Type(s)

Scientific

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Protocol serial number BR3004

Study information

Scientific Title

Comparison of second-line hormonal agents medroxyprogesterone acetate and aminoglutethimide in advanced breast cancer

Study objectives

Not provided at time of registration.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration.

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Breast cancer

Interventions

Patients are randomised to receive either:

- 1. Group A: Medroxyprogesterone acetate 250 mg four times daily until disease progression or failure of treatment.
- 2. Group B: Aminoglutethimide 250 mg twice daily plus hydrocortisone 20 mg twice daily until disease progression or failure of treatment. There is a crossover option on disease progression or failure of treatment.

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Applicable

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Medroxyprogesterone acetate, aminoglutethimide, hydrocortisone

Primary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration.

Key secondary outcome(s))

Not provided at time of registration.

Completion date

01/08/1996

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

- 1. Advanced breast cancer
- 2. Relapsed or failed following tamoxifen treatment
- 3. Postmenopausal

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Not Specified

Sex

Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment

01/08/1991

Date of final enrolment

01/08/1996

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre UKCCCR Register Co-ordinator

London United Kingdom NW1 2DA

Sponsor information

Organisation

Ciba-Geigy Pharmaceuticals (Switzerland)

ROR

https://ror.org/02f9zrr09

Funder(s)

Funder type

Industry

Funder Name

Ciba-Geigy Pharmaceuticals, Farmitalia Carlo Erba

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?

Participant information sheet
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11/11/2025 No Yes