

Oestrogen trial to delay the onset of memory impairment

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Plain English summary of protocol
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MCT-15222

Study information

Scientific Title

A randomised double-blind trial of the effects of hormone therapy on delayed verbal recall in older women

Study objectives

To examine the effectiveness of hormone replacement therapy (HRT) in memory-impaired women at risk for probable Alzheimer's disease (AD).

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Sunnybrook and Women's College Health Sciences Centre Research Ethics Board (REB) approved on the 26th June 2003

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)

Hospital

Study type(s)

Treatment

Participant information sheet**Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied**

Alzheimer's disease (AD)

Interventions

Oestradiol and norethindrone versus placebo.

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Applicable

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Oestradiol, norethindrone

Primary outcome measure

1. Alzheimer Disease Assessment Scale - cognitive subtest (ADAS-COG) at 1 and 2 years
2. % of cases with emergent Alzheimer's disease

Secondary outcome measures

1. Pharmacoeconomic analysis
2. Quality of life
3. Neuropsychological test performance

Overall study start date

01/01/1998

Completion date

30/04/2006

Eligibility**Key inclusion criteria**

1. History of myocardial infarction, bypass surgery, angioplasty or unstable angina for more than one year
2. Admitted after approval from family physician
3. Non-demented memo-impaired women who are at a greater than or equal to 50% probability of developing AD

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Adult

Sex

Both

Target number of participants

146

Key exclusion criteria

1. Diagnosis of a dementing disorder, including AD
2. History of any conditions that might affect cognitive functioning, e.g., chronic alcohol or drug abuse, stroke, hypoxia, intracranial mass lesions, psychoses, brain trauma, or other neurological diseases
3. A medical condition with a probable prognosis of death less than two years or any unstable medical condition, including active hepatic dysfunction or disease
4. Conditions that might be exacerbated by oestrogen, including history of breast cancer, endometrial cancer, abnormal mammogram, abnormal pelvic ultrasound
5. Congestive heart failure (New York Heart Association [NYHA] Class III and IV)
6. History of myocardial infarction, bypass surgery, angioplasty or unstable angina within the past year
7. Current or history of thromboembolic event
8. Use of donepezil, galantamine, rivastigmine or hydergine less than two weeks before initiation of oestrogen therapy
9. Past use of any mode or dose of hormone replacement therapy for duration longer than half the period of time that it was used
10. 0.50 probability of developing AD in two years based on performance on the API

- 11. Less than 60 years of age
- 12. Not fluent in English
- 13. Perception: cant read normal print with or with out glasses or cant hear normal speech with or with out hearing aid
- 14. Current use of selective oestrogen receptor modulators

Date of first enrolment

01/01/1998

Date of final enrolment

30/04/2006

Locations

Countries of recruitment

Canada

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Sunnybrook and Women's College Health Sciences Centre (Canada)

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Sponsor type

Not defined

Website

<http://www.sunnybrook.ca/>

ROR

<https://ror.org/03wefcv03>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Research organisation

Funder Name

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) (Canada) - <http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca> (ref: MCT-15222)

Funder Name

Shire Biochem Inc. (Canada)

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?
Results article	results	01/08/2009		Yes	No