Prevention of bone loss following spinal cord injury

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Plain English summary of protocol

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Type(s)

Scientific

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Protocol serial number

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Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

Do early interventions (drug or mechanical stimulation) reduce the risk of osteoporosis following spinal cord injury?

Please note that as of 16/04/10 this record has been updated and the information obtained from a recent publication of the results (details below). All updates can be found in the relevant field with the above update date.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Added 16/04/10: Ethical approval was obtained from the Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust ethics committee

Study design

Open label randomised controlled parallel group trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Prevention

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Musculoskeletal Diseases: Osteoporosis

Interventions

Patients will be randomly assigned to either

- 1. Control group,
- 2. Group receiving zoledronate
- 3. Group receiving mechanical stimulation (vibration)

and receive the treatment over a 6 month period.

Bone Mineral Density and biochemical markers of bone metabolism will be assessed at the start of the study and at 3 and 6 months after intervention.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)

- 1. Changes in Bone Mineral Density and biochemical markers of bone metabolism over time.
- 2. Difference between groups

Key secondary outcome(s))

Not provided at time of registration

Completion date

01/08/2005

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Patients admitted to Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital (RNOH) with a spinal cord injury

Added 16/04/10:

- 2. Female patients had to be postmenopausal, surgically sterile or willing to practice a medically acceptable form of birth control during the study period and for at least 12 months after study completion
- 3. All subjects gave written consent to take part in the study

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

Added 16/04/10:

- 1. Pregnant or breastfeeding
- 2. Previous history of allergic reaction to bisphosphonates
- 3. Previous history of iritis or uveitis
- 4. Significant renal impairment or evidence of vitamin D deficiency (serum 25-hydroxyvitamin D <25 nmol/L)

Date of first enrolment

01/08/2003

Date of final enrolment

01/08/2005

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre RNOHT

Stanmore

Sponsor information

Organisation

Department of Health

Funder(s)

Funder type

Hospital/treatment centre

Funder Name

Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust (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	01/01/2011		Yes	No