

# Atorvastatin treatment in Systemic Lupus Erythematosus patients

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**  
N40201231/0460

## Study information

**Scientific Title**  
Influence of Atorvastatin on coronary calcifications and myocardial perfusion defects in Systemic Lupus Erythematosus patients: a prospective, randomised, double-masked, placebo-controlled study

**Acronym**

Atorvastatin-SLE

**Study objectives**

This study was conducted to determine the effect of atorvastatin treatment on multidetector computed tomography (MDCT)-based coronary calcium scoring and single photon emission computed tomography (SPECT)-assessed myocardial perfusion abnormalities in systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE) patients free of cardiovascular disease clinical symptoms.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

Ethical Committee of the Jagiellonian University in Krakow, Poland, approved on the 12th January 2006 (ref: KBET/2/L/2006)

**Study design**

Prospective randomised double-masked placebo-controlled study

**Primary study design**

Interventional

**Study type(s)**

Treatment

**Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied**

Systemic lupus erythematosus

**Interventions**

Atorvastatin treatment (40 mg/day) versus placebo. Total duration of treatment: 1 year. One year follow-up period.

**Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Phase IV

**Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)**

Atorvastatin

**Primary outcome(s)**

Measured at 0 and 12 months:

1. Calcium deposits in coronary arteries
2. Number of myocardial left ventricle segments with perfusion defects

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

Measured at 0, 3, 6, 12 months:

1. Symptoms of myocardial ischaemia
2. Need for reperfusion therapy
3. Deaths

**Completion date**

10/11/2010

## **Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Patients aged 20 - 73, either sex
2. Fulfilled at least 4 American College of Rheumatology (ACR) classification criteria for SLE
3. In stable clinical conditions (no need for immunosuppressive therapy intensification, i.e. current immunosuppressive drug dose increase or introduction of an additional immunosuppressive drug within last 3 months)

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Known cancer
2. Clinical symptoms of coronary heart disease or heart failure (New York Heart Association [NYHA] III or IV class)
3. Renal failure (creatinine clearance less than 30 ml/min)
4. Respiratory failure

**Date of first enrolment**

01/01/2006

**Date of final enrolment**

10/11/2010

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

Poland

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## **Sponsor information**

**Organisation**  
Polish Ministry of Science and Higher Education (Poland)

**ROR**  
<https://ror.org/05dwvd537>

## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**  
Government

**Funder Name**  
Polish Ministry of Science and Higher Education (Poland) (ref: N40201231/0460)

## **Results and Publications**

**Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan**

**IPD sharing plan summary**  
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