Probiotic capsule trial

Submission date Recruitment status Prospectively registered 18/04/2005 No longer recruiting [] Protocol [] Statistical analysis plan Registration date Overall study status 24/05/2005 Completed [X] Results [] Individual participant data Last Edited Condition category 23/05/2008 Nutritional, Metabolic, Endocrine

Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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Type(s)

Scientific

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Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers 121/6

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

In non-diseased host the probiotic health claims could be assessed by improvement of some measurable laboratory indices of well-established physiological functions of host, e.g. markers of antioxidative defense system.

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

Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)

Not specified

Study type(s)

Not Specified

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Healthy subjects

Interventions

Probiotic capsule versus placebo capsule.

- 1. The study group members (8 males and 4 females) took three probiotic containing capsules (8.4 log colony forming unit [CFU] per capsule) two times daily (daily dose 9.2 log CFU) for three weeks.
- 2. The placebo group (7 males and 5 females) received identical capsules without the probiotic strain.

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Specified

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Probiotic

Primary outcome measure

Not provided at time of registration

Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date

01/01/2004

Completion date

30/04/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria included the wish to participate, no known health problems, no medical conditions requiring drug therapy, no other yoghurts or no special diets.

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Adult

Sex

Both

Target number of participants

24 adult volunteers (15 men and 9 women)

Key exclusion criteria

Subjects with a history of gastrointestinal tract (GIT) disease, food allergy and acute infection, use of any antimicrobial agent within the last month or use of any regular concomitant medication were excluded.

Date of first enrolment

01/01/2004

Date of final enrolment

30/04/2004

Locations

Countries of recruitment

Estonia

Study participating centre

Ravila 19

Tartu

Sponsor information

Organisation

Estonian Science Foundation (Estonia)

Sponsor details

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Sponsor type

Government

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

Estonian Science Foundation (base funding ref 0418 and 5327)

Alternative Name(s)

Estonian Science Foundation, ETF

Funding Body Type

Private sector organisation

Funding Body Subtype

Trusts, charities, foundations (both public and private)

Location

Estonia

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	04/08/2005		Yes	No