

# Do antibiotics help the child's recovery after partial tonsillectomy?

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

**EudraCT/CTIS number**

**IRAS number**

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## Study information

**Scientific Title**

Perioperative antibiotic therapy in adenoidectomy with partial tonsillectomy in children - prospective, interventional, double blinded, single centre, randomised study

**Acronym**

ABAT

**Study objectives**

Perioperative antibiotic prophylaxis may influence post-operative recovery in children in whom adenotonsillotomy is performed.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

Bioethics Commission at the Regional Medical Chamber in Krakow (Komisja Bioetyczna przy Okręgowej Izbie Lekarskiej w Krakowie, Opinia) approved on the 23rd of Dec 2009 (ref: 178/KBL/iL/2009)

**Study design**

Prospective interventional double blinded single centre randomised crossover group trial

**Primary study design**

Interventional

**Secondary study design**

Randomised controlled trial

**Study setting(s)**

Hospital

**Study type(s)**

Treatment

**Participant information sheet**

Not available in web format, please use contact details below to request a patient information sheet

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

Adenoidal and tonsillar hyperplasia

**Interventions**

Curette adenoidectomy with scissors tonsillectomy. Oral administration of clindamycine prior to (one dose) and after (2 doses) the surgery.

The total duration of follow up for this trial will be 3 weeks.

The primary and secondary outcomes will be measured at 7, 14 and 21 post-operative days. The children's caregivers will fill a questionnaire answering a standardised set of questions concerning the measures. the participants will be questioned about pain intensity using faces Pain Scale 1-10, the caregivers' satisfaction will be rated along 0-10 scale. Diet, physical activity and malorour from the mouth will be analysed according to the parent diary.

Joint sponsor:

Trialist will report results and any problems to the Bioethics Commission at the Regional Medical Chamber in Krakow (Komisja Bioetyczna przy Okręgowej Izbie Lekarskiej w Krakowie) on an annual basis

### **Intervention Type**

Other

### **Phase**

Not Specified

### **Primary outcome measure**

1. Pain
2. Activity
3. Diet

### **Secondary outcome measures**

1. Odour from the mouth
2. Parental satisfaction

### **Overall study start date**

01/06/2010

### **Completion date**

31/12/2010

## **Eligibility**

### **Key inclusion criteria**

1. Paediatric patients age 3-14
2. Indications for adenoidectomy with partial tonsillectomy
3. Hyperplasia of adenoid and palatine tonsils causing obstructive symptoms, identified from descriptions by the caregivers: snoring, gasping, choking as well as apnoeic episodes, and/or ear effusions

### **Participant type(s)**

Patient

### **Age group**

Child

### **Lower age limit**

3 Years

### **Upper age limit**

14 Years

### **Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

120

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Recurrent tonsillitis
2. Previous partial tonsillectomy for the symptoms enumerated above

**Date of first enrolment**

01/06/2010

**Date of final enrolment**

31/12/2010

**Locations****Countries of recruitment**

Poland

**Study participating centre**

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**Sponsor information****Organisation**

St. John Grande's Hospital (Poland)

**Sponsor details**

Day Surgery Department

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**Sponsor type**

Hospital/treatment centre

**Funder(s)****Funder type**

Hospital/treatment centre

**Funder Name**

St. John Grande's Hospital (Poland) - Day Surgery Department

**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**

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