# The role of hypovolaemia In the acidosis of severe malaria in children

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### Plain English summary of protocol

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# Additional identifiers

Protocol serial number 062258

# Study information

#### Scientific Title

The role of hypovolaemia In the acidosis of severe malaria in children

#### **Study objectives**

- 1. To establish to what degree hypovolaemia contributes to the clinical spectrum of severe malaria
- 2. To establish, through intervention studies, whether the acidosis of severe malaria can be corrected by adequate volume replacement
- 3. To examine the safety and efficacy of adequate volume replacement and determine the optimum intravenous fluid (0.9% saline or 4.5% albumin) to use in children with severe malaria

#### 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

#### Study type(s)

Treatment

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

Severe malaria

#### **Interventions**

Open phase II randomised trial comparing the safety and efficacy of volume expansion with 0.9% saline or human albumin to control in children with severe malaria and moderate acidosis (base deficit of eight to 15) and comparing safety and efficacy of 0.9% saline and human albumin as volume expansion in children with severe malaria complicated by severe acidosis (base deficit of more than 15).

#### Intervention Type

Other

#### Phase

Phase II

#### Primary outcome(s)

Percentage reduction in acidosis by eight hours.

## Key secondary outcome(s))

- 1. Death
- 2. Severe adverse events
- 3. Neurological sequalae

#### Completion date

01/10/2002

# **Eligibility**

#### Key inclusion criteria

- 1. A clinical feature of severe malaria (prostration, coma or deep breathing) plus P. falciparum
- 2. A base deficit of more than eight
- 3. Parental consent

#### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

## Healthy volunteers allowed

No

#### Age group

**Not Specified** 

#### Sex

**Not Specified** 

#### Total final enrolment

53

#### Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Clinical features of oedematous malnutrition
- 2. Features suggestive of pulmonary oedema (oxygen saturations <90% and bilateral creptitations)
- 3. Raised intracranial pressure (unequal pupillary reaction to light and/or raised blood pressure concurrent with bradycardia)
- 3. Refusal of consent

#### Date of first enrolment

01/05/2001

#### Date of final enrolment

01/10/2002

## Locations

# Countries of recruitment

Kenya

# Study participating centre

**KEMRI** 

Kilifi

Kenya

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# Sponsor information

#### Organisation

Imperial College London (UK)

#### **ROR**

https://ror.org/041kmwe10

# Funder(s)

# Funder type

Charity

#### **Funder Name**

The Wellcome Trust (UK) (grant ref: 062258)

# **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	01/10/2003	14/02/2020	Yes	No