

# 11C- metomidate positron emission tomography (PET) scanning for Conn's syndrome

**Submission date**

12/05/2010

**Recruitment status**

No longer recruiting

**Registration date**

12/05/2010

**Overall study status**

Completed

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**Condition category**

Nutritional, Metabolic, Endocrine

☐ Prospectively registered

☐ Protocol

☐ Statistical analysis plan

☒ Results

☐ Individual participant data

**Plain English Summary**

Not provided at time of registration

## Contact information

**Type(s)**

Scientific

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EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

6936

# Study information

## Scientific Title

Hypertension due to Conn's adenoma - the localisation of adrenal cortical adenomas by 11C-metomidate PET scanning following dexamethasone and fludrocortisone suppression

## Study hypothesis

In order to ensure appropriate treatment, it is important to be able to identify Conn's adenoma reliably from other adrenal conditions. Current identification techniques, such as adrenal venous sampling, are time consuming, often invasive and problematic making treatment decisions difficult. It is proposed that non-invasive PET/CT scanning using 11C-metomidate as a radiomarker will identify people with Conn's adenoma as well as currently used invasive techniques.

More details can be found here: <http://public.ukcrn.org.uk/Search/StudyDetail.aspx?StudyID=6936>

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Cambridgeshire 4 Research Ethics Board, 12/05/2008, ref: 08/H0305/20

## Study design

Single-centre non-randomised treatment trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Secondary study design

Non randomised study

## Study setting(s)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Treatment

## Participant information sheet

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

## Condition

Topic: Metabolic and Endocrine; Subtopic: Metabolic and Endocrine (all Subtopics); Disease: Metabolic & Endocrine (not diabetes)

## Interventions

In addition to standard investigations for suspected Conn's adenoma, each participant will undergo a positron emission tomography (PET)/computed tomography (CT) scan with intravenous 11C-metomidate (500 MBq) as a radio-label. The first 6 participants will undergo 3

scans to evaluate which suppression protocol produces the clearest image:

1. Without any additional drug therapies
2. Oral 0.5 mg dexamethosone 6-hourly for 48 hours prior to scan
3. Oral 0.5 mg dexamethosone 6-hourly for 48 hours prior to scan with the addition of 400 µg of fludrocortisone for 3 days prior to the scan

### **Intervention Type**

Other

### **Phase**

Phase IV

### **Primary outcome measure**

The sensitivity of 11C-metomidate PET/CT scanning for detecting Conn's adenoma

### **Secondary outcome measures**

1. The specificity of 11C-metomidate PET/CT scanning for detecting Conn's Syndrome
2. To determine the suppression protocol that leads to the best sensitivity of 11C-metomidate PET/CT scanning for detecting Conn's Syndrome

### **Overall study start date**

17/04/2009

### **Overall study end date**

30/04/2012

## **Eligibility**

### **Participant inclusion criteria**

1. Male or female
2. Aged 18 years or over
3. Suspected Conn's syndrome or suspected adrenal hyperplasia or healthy with non-functional adenoma

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

Patient

### **Age group**

Adult

### **Lower age limit**

18 Years

### **Sex**

Both

### **Target number of participants**

Planned sample size: 50

### **Participant exclusion criteria**

1. Inability to give informed consent
2. Heart failure
3. Women of childbearing potential not using contraception
4. Pregnant or breast feeding women

**Recruitment start date**

17/04/2009

**Recruitment end date**

30/04/2012

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

**Study participating centre**

Addenbrooke's Hospital

Cambridge

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## Sponsor information

**Organisation**

Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (UK)

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**Sponsor type**

Hospital/treatment centre

**Website**

[http://www.cuh.org.uk/research/research\\_index.html](http://www.cuh.org.uk/research/research_index.html)

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/04v54gj93>

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Charity

## Funder Name

British Heart Foundation (BHF) (UK)

## Alternative Name(s)

the\_bhf, The British Heart Foundation, BHF

## Funding Body Type

Private sector organisation

## Funding Body Subtype

Trusts, charities, foundations (both public and private)

## Location

United Kingdom

# 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?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/01/2012		Yes	No