# Acute Candesartan Cilexetil Outcomes Stroke Trial

Submission date	Recruitment status	Prospectively registered
07/09/2005	No longer recruiting	☐ Protocol
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
14/09/2005	Completed	Results
Last Edited	Condition category	Individual participant data
26/09/2019	Circulatory System	Record updated in last year

### Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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## Type(s)

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# Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS** number

**IRAS** number

 ${\bf Clinical Trials. gov\ number}$ 

NCT00108706

Secondary identifying numbers

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# Study information

#### Scientific Title

Acute Candesartan Cilexetil Outcomes Stroke Trial

#### Acronym

**ACCOST** 

#### **Study objectives**

To determine the clinical effectiveness of the ARB Candesartan Cilexetil in improving outcome following acute stroke when administered within the first 72 hours.

#### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

#### Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

#### Study design

Randomised double blind placebo controlled trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

#### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

#### Study setting(s)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Treatment

#### Participant information sheet

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

Acute stroke

#### **Interventions**

Patients will be randomised to receive either Candesartan (intervention group) or placebo. After four weeks of double blind treatment, patients will have their clinic blood pressure treated to target level (<140/85) with either a Candesartan based regimen (active group) or an Angiotensin Concerting Enzyme Inhibitor (ACEI) based regimen 'usual best care' (control group). Patients will be followed to 12 weeks post stroke.

#### Intervention Type

Other

#### Phase

**Not Specified** 

#### Primary outcome measure

To determine the safety of the proposed methodology and how many primary end points (combined or single) may be configured for evaluation in a large randomised controlled trial.

#### Secondary outcome measures

The early effects of Candesartan upon blood pressure following stroke when used within an explicit evidence based protocol.

#### Overall study start date

01/12/2004

#### Completion date

01/06/2006

# **Eligibility**

#### Key inclusion criteria

- 1. Clinical diagnosis of acute ischaemic stroke within 72 hours of symptom onset (proven on CT imaging).
- 2. Medically stable with no evidence of acute infection and not receiving antibiotic therapy.
- 3. Neurologically stable with no progression on NIHSS.
- 4. Able to swallow safely and able to tolerate unthickened oral fluids without risk of aspiration.
- 5. Mean blood pressure in the unaffected arm >120/70 from three readings taken within one hour at twenty minute intervals using a calibrated Omron M5-1 BP monitor.

#### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

#### Age group

Adult

#### Sex

Both

## Target number of participants

50

#### Kev exclusion criteria

- 1. Previous severe disability (Modified Rankin Score greater to or equal to 3).
- 2. Nursing home resident.
- 3. Previous history of congestive cardiad failure requiring treatment with an ACE inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB).
- 4. Renal impairment (defined serum creatinine >200 umol/l).
- 5. Women of child bearing potential.
- 6. Minors aged less than 18.
- 7. History of evidence of dementia without capacity for consent.

#### Date of first enrolment

01/12/2004

#### Date of final enrolment

01/06/2006

# Locations

#### Countries of recruitment

England

**United Kingdom** 

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# Sponsor information

#### Organisation

City Hospitals Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust (UK)

## Sponsor details

Research & Development Kayll Road Sunderland England United Kingdom SR6 OLA

#### Sponsor type

Hospital/treatment centre

# Funder(s)

# Funder type

Industry

#### Funder Name

Takeda UK Ltd. (UK) - Unrestricted educational grant

# **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