

# High cut-off Continuous venovenous haemodialysis (CVVHD) to improve haemodynamic stability and Organ function scores in patients treated for acute renal failure after Systemic inflammatory response Syndrome (SIRS)/septic shock

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## Plain English summary of protocol

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ClinicalTrials.gov (NCT)

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0000050

## Study information

### Scientific Title

High cut-off Continuous venovenous haemodialysis (CVVHD) to improve haemodynamic stability and Organ function scores in patients treated for acute renal failure after Systemic inflammatory response Syndrome (SIRS)/septic shock

### Acronym

HICOSS

### Study objectives

The aim of the study is to evaluate whether high cut-off continuous venovenous haemodialysis (CVVHD) leads to a significant improvement of the haemodynamic status in comparison to CVVHD treatment with conventional high-flux filters.

### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

### Ethics approval(s)

Approved by the following ethics committees:

1. Campus Charite Mitte, Berlin (ref: 1988/Si. 277) on 11/09/2003
2. University Clinic Tübingen (ref: 249/2003G) on 08/04/2004
3. Medical University Innsbruck (ref: 231/4.11) on 07/07/2005
4. Ethics Committee for Medical Research, Philipps-University Marburg clinic (ref: 19/06) on 15/02/2006

### Study design

Double blind randomised prospective controlled multicentre trial

### Primary study design

Interventional

### Study type(s)

Treatment

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

Acute renal failure after SIRS/septic shock

### Interventions

Continuous venovenous haemodialysis treatment with high-flux or high-cut-off dialysers.

Please note that as of 13/12/2007 the anticipated end date of this trial was extended to 31/12/2008 due to the enrolment period being extended. The previous anticipated end date of this trial was 31/12/2006.

**Intervention Type**

Other

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Primary outcome(s)**

1. Dosage of vasopressors
2. Mean arterial pressure
3. Heart rate
4. Central venous pressure

**Key secondary outcome(s))**

1. Sequential Organ Failure Assessment (SOFA) score
2. Survival at 28 days
3. Length of need for catecholamine application
4. Length of need for mechanical ventilation
5. Length of need for renal replacement therapy
6. Length of stay in intensive care unit (ICU)

**Completion date**

31/12/2008

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Fulfilling at least two of the SIRS criteria as defined by the American College of Chest Physicians (ACCP)/Society of Critical Care Medicine (SCCM) Consensus Conference
2. Having signs of renal dysfunction
3. Requirement for catecholamine administration (norepinephrine or others)
4. Acute Physiology And Chronic Health Evaluation (APACHE II) score at enrolment greater than or equal to 19 and less than or equal to 30

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Lack of written informed consent from patients or a legally authorized surrogate
2. Duration of septic shock greater than 4 days
3. Hypoproteinaemia (characterized by serum albumin less than 18 g/l)
4. End stage renal failure

5. Known active malignancy
6. Known human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), hepatitis B virus (HBV) or hepatitis C virus (HCV) infection
7. Age younger than 18 years or older than 80 years
8. Known pregnancy
9. Immunosuppression after transplantation
10. Participation in another clinical study
11. Renal replacement therapy greater than 24 hours before randomisation

**Date of first enrolment**

04/02/2004

**Date of final enrolment**

31/12/2008

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

Austria

Germany

**Study participating centre**

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## Sponsor information

**Organisation**

Gambro Dialysatoren GmbH (Germany)

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/05jgtkc28>

## Funder(s)

**Funder type**

Industry

**Funder Name**

## Results and Publications

### **Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan**

Not provided at time of registration

### **IPD sharing plan summary**

Not provided at time of registration