Optimising local anaesthesia for grommet insertion

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30/09/2004		☐ Protocol		
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan		
30/09/2004	Completed	[X] Results		
Last Edited	Condition category	Individual participant data		
19/10/2009	Ear, Nose and Throat			

Plain English summary of protocol

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Scientific

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Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

To determine which of the two local anaesthetic agents i.e. EMLA (Eutectic mixture of local anaesthetics) or Ametop (topical amethocaine) provides better local anaesthetic effect during grommet insertions

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Provided by South Manchester Research Ethics Committee

Study design

Double blind randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Ear, Nose and Throat: Grommet insertions

Interventions

EMLA (Eutectic mixture of local anaesthetics) or Ametop (topical amethocaine) for grommet insertion

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Applicable

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

mixture of local anaesthetics or topical amethocaine

Primary outcome(s)

Measuring pain on visual analogue score

Key secondary outcome(s))

Not provided at time of registration

Completion date

15/11/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

40 patients over 18 years of age requiring grommet insertion under local anaesthetic

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Lower age limit

18 years

Sex

Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria

Added 19/10/09: children and adult patients not willing to sign consent form.

Date of first enrolment

15/11/2003

Date of final enrolment

15/11/2004

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Department of Health

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

South Manchester University Hospitals NHS Trust (UK)

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	01/08/2008	Yes	No
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025 11/	11/2025 No	Yes