# Effects of fish oil and phytosterols on the lipid profile of children

| Submission date   | Recruitment status  No longer recruiting | <ul><li>Prospectively registered</li></ul> |  |  |
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| 11/11/2010        |  | ☐ Protocol                                 |  |  |
| Registration date | Overall study status                     | Statistical analysis plan                  |  |  |
| 18/02/2011        | Completed                                | [X] Results                                |  |  |
| Last Edited       | Condition category                       | [] Individual participant data             |  |  |
| 15/07/2013        | Nutritional, Metabolic, Endocrine        |  |  |  |

#### Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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## Type(s)

Scientific

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## Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS** number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

Protocol v090907

# Study information

#### Scientific Title

The influence of daily nutritional supplementation with a product comprising a combination of omega-3 fish oils and phytosterols on the levels of blood lipids in hypercholesteremic children and adolescents

#### **Study objectives**

Supplementation with omega-3 fish oil and phytosterols will favourably modulate lipid profile and some parameters of oxidative stress

#### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

#### Ethics approval(s)

Ethics Board of Medical School, Comenius University in Bratislava approved on the 24th of September 2007

#### Study design

**Exploratory study** 

#### Primary study design

Interventional

## Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

#### Study setting(s)

Other

## Study type(s)

Treatment

#### Participant information sheet

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

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

Hypercholesterolemia

#### **Interventions**

Daily administration of supplement comprising of omega-3 fish oil (1000mg EPA/DHA) and phytosterol esters (1300mg) for a period of 4 months

#### Intervention Type

Other

#### Phase

Not Applicable

#### Primary outcome measure

Blood lipid profile

Blood samples were collected at weeks 0, 8 and 16 weeks.

#### Secondary outcome measures

- 1. Markers of oxidative stress
- 2. Antioxidant status

Blood samples were collected at weeks 0, 8 and 16 weeks.

#### Overall study start date

01/10/2007

#### Completion date

31/08/2009

# **Eligibility**

#### Key inclusion criteria

- 1. Parcipants of either sex, aged 12-19 years
- 2. Parental/guardian written informed consent and completed confidential health status to be obtained for all children participating

#### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

## Age group

Child

## Lower age limit

12 Years

## Upper age limit

19 Years

#### Sex

Both

## Target number of participants

30

#### Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Participants whose parents are unable/unwilling to give written informed consent
- 2. Participants who are not prepared to provide blood samples as required
- 3. Participants who are receiving lipid lowering drugs
- 4. Participants already involved in dietary control

#### Date of first enrolment

01/10/2007

#### Date of final enrolment

## Locations

#### Countries of recruitment

Slovakia

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# Sponsor information

#### Organisation

Obsidian Research Ltd (UK)

#### Sponsor details

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#### Sponsor type

Industry

#### Website

http://www.obsidianresearch.co.uk

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Government

#### Funder Name

Welsh Assembly Government (UK) - SMART Technology Exploitation Programme

# **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? |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Results article | results | 08/01/2013   |            | Yes            | No              |