

Randomised double blind trial to evaluate prevention of breast cancer using tamoxifen in high risk women

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Plain English summary of protocol
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Scientific

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283A

Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym

Tamoplac

Study objectives

The hypothesis that oestrogen is an important promoter of carcinogenically induced mammary neoplasia opens up some attractive possibilities for the prevention of clinical breast cancers.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Approved by the Royal Marsden Hospital Ethics Committee in October 1986.

Primary study design

Interventional

Study design

Randomised, controlled clinical trial

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Women at high risk of developing breast cancer

Interventions

20 mg/day oral tamoxifen versus placebo, treatment will continue for up to eight years.

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Specified

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Tamoxifen

Primary outcome(s)

Incidence of histologically confirmed invasive breast cancer

Key secondary outcome(s)

1. Death from breast cancer
2. Overall survival
3. Long-term changes in hormones, lipid profile and bone mineral density
4. Incidence of other disease, especially vascular

Completion date

01/10/2006

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Healthy women
2. Aged 30 to 70 years
3. Life expectancy of more than ten years
4. Psychologically and physically suitable for tamoxifen/placebo and long term follow-up
5. At increased risk of breast cancer by virtue of:
 - a. at least one first degree relative aged under 50 with breast cancer
 - b. one first degree relative with bilateral breast cancer
 - c. one first degree relative of any age plus another affected first or second degree relative
 - d. history of a high risk benign breast biopsy

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Sex

Female

Key exclusion criteria

1. Clinical or screening evidence of breast cancer
2. Pregnant or lactating women
3. Pregnancy risk - unless a disclaimer was signed
4. Oral contraceptives within the previous three months
5. Previous history of non-invasive or invasive breast cancer
6. Previous history of other malignancy (except Basal Cell Carcinoma [BCC] or Carcinoma [CA] in situ of the cervix)
7. History of deep vein thrombosis or pulmonary embolism

Date of first enrolment

01/10/1986

Date of final enrolment

01/10/2006

Locations**Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Royal Marsden Hospital (UK)

ROR

<https://ror.org/034vb5t35>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Hospital/treatment centre

Funder Name

The Royal Marsden Hospital (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 publication:	11/07/1998		Yes	No