

A Randomised Study of Observation versus Adjuvant Low Dose Extended Duration Interferon Alpha-2a in High Risk Resected Malignant Melanoma

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Registration date 19/08/2002	Overall study status Completed	☐ Statistical analysis plan ☒ Results
Last Edited 28/06/2012	Condition category Cancer	☐ Individual participant data

Plain English summary of protocol

<http://cancerhelp.cancerresearchuk.org/trials/aim-high-a-study-of-adjuvant-interferon-in-melanoma>

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Scientific

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Additional identifiers

Protocol serial number

AIM HIGH

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

Not provided at time of registration

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Primary study design

Interventional

Study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study type(s)

Not Specified

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Skin cancer

Interventions

Patients are randomised to one of two treatment arms:

1. Arm A: Interferon alpha-2a 3MU three times per week until recurrence, or for 2 years.
2. Arm B: No further treatment.

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Specified

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Interferon Alpha-2a

Primary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Key secondary outcome(s)

Not provided at time of registration

Completion date

22/12/2000

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Patients with histologically proven malignant melanoma and high risk of recurrent metastatic disease will be eligible for the present study. This will include patients with either:
 - a. Histologically proven metastatic melanoma in regional lymph nodes after therapeutic radical regional node dissection at initial presentation
 - b. Histologically proven metastatic melanoma in regional lymph nodes after therapeutic radical regional node dissection at subsequent presentation
 - c. Non-nodal superficial regional recurrence (local or in-transit disease)
 - d. Primary tumours 4 mm or more Breslow thickness without any other detectable focus of metastasis
2. Fit to receive interferon
3. Wound healed following surgery
4. Clinically disease-free
5. No history of other malignant disease, except previously cured early carcinoma of the cervix or skin
6. No previous biological therapy
7. Not on systemic steroids or other immunosuppressive therapy
8. Not pregnant, lactating or intending pregnancy during treatment
9. Less than 12 weeks since resection

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Not Specified

Sex

Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment

01/01/2000

Date of final enrolment

22/12/2000

Locations**Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Roche Products Limited (UK)

ROR

<https://ror.org/024tgbv41>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Industry

Funder Name

Roche Products Ltd

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	01/01/2004		Yes	No