

# Effect of a Polypill on middle-aged and elderly Iranians

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
Not provided at time of registration

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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**  
N/A

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

**Acronym**

Poly-Iran

**Study objectives**

In individuals without raised blood pressure or raised cholesterol levels, but with a high incidence of cardiovascular disease because of their age, combination therapy with aspirin, antihypertensive drugs and a statin will reduce incidence of cardiovascular disease.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

Ethics committee of the Digestive Disease Research Centre, Tehran University of Medical Sciences, approved of this pilot study on 11 March 2006. Further ethical approval will be sought for a full study.

**Study design**

Randomised controlled trial

**Primary study design**

Interventional

**Study type(s)**

Treatment

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

Cardiovascular disease in middle-aged and older adults.

**Interventions**

Current interventions as of 08/09/2008:

A combination therapy (polypill) consisting of aspirin 81 mg, hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg, enalapril 2.5 mg and atorvastatin 20 mg or an identical placebo.

Please note that these amendments are due to the errors in the information provided at time of registration.

Previous interventions:

A combination therapy (polypill) consisting of aspirin 75 mg, hydrochlorothiazide 1.25 mg, enalapril 2.5 mg and atorvastatin 10 mg or an identical placebo.

**Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)**

Aspirin, hydrochlorothiazide, enalapril and atorvastatin

**Primary outcome(s)**

Combined cardiovascular events (MI, new onset angina, coronary artery surgery, stroke or sudden cardiac death)

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

1. Total mortality
2. Gastrointestinal bleeding

**Completion date**

01/04/2008

## **Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Men between the ages of 50 and 80 (inclusive)
2. Women aged 55 to 80 (inclusive)
3. Living in Kalaleh
4. Free from existing cardiovascular disease (stroke, Transient Ischaemic Attack [TIA], Myocardial Infarction [MI], or angina)
5. Not currently be taking or eligible for antihypertensive treatment, aspirin or statins

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Total cholesterol levels exceed 240 mg/dL
2. Blood pressure exceeds 160/100 mmHg at baseline
3. People with existing vascular disease
4. Clear indication or contra-indication for any component of the polypill or other chronic medical problems that would interfere with participation

**Date of first enrolment**

01/10/2006

**Date of final enrolment**

01/04/2008

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

Iran

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## Sponsor information

**Organisation**  
Ministry of Health and Medical Education (Iran)

**ROR**  
<https://ror.org/01rs0ht88>

## Funder(s)

**Funder type**  
Hospital/treatment centre

**Funder Name**  
Digestive Disease Research Center, Tehran University of Medical Sciences (Iran)

**Funder Name**  
Endocrine and Metabolic Reseach center, Tehran University of Medical Sciences (Iran)

**Funder Name**  
Alborz daruo Pharmaceutical company (Iran)

**Funder Name**  
Deputy for health, Iranian ministry of Health and Medical Education (Iran)

# 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? |
|---------------------------------|---------|--------------|------------|----------------|-----------------|
| <a href="#">Results article</a> | results | 01/08/2010   |            | Yes            | No              |