

Efficacy of inhaled DNase in children with an airway malacia and a lower respiratory tract infection

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Plain English summary of protocol
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NTR241

Study information

Scientific Title

Efficacy of inhaled DNase in children with an airway malacia and a lower respiratory tract infection

Study objectives

We hypothesise that DNase improves mucociliary clearance and mucus retention in patients with (trachea) bronchomalacia during a lower respiratory tract infection, resulting in a faster resolution of symptoms and shorter duration of a lower respiratory tract infection.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Received from the local medical ethics committee

Study design

Randomised double blind placebo controlled parallel group trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Tracheobronchomalacia, lower respiratory tract disease (LRTD)

Interventions

Inhaled 2.5 mg DNase or placebo, twice daily for two weeks.

Intervention Type

Drug

Phase

Not Applicable

Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

DNase

Primary outcome(s)

Decrease in mean daily Cough Symptom Score (CSS)

Key secondary outcome(s)

1. Need for additional antibiotics
2. Mean daily cough severity and coughability of sputum (VAS-score)
3. CSS and VAS on each treatment day
4. Lung function (FEV1, FVC, PEF, MEF25, RINT)
5. Parents' perception about treatment efficacy
6. Doctors diagnosed end of infection after 1 and 2 weeks treatment

Completion date

01/09/2007

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Children aged 2 - 18 years with tracheobronchomalacia (diagnosed bronchoscopically)
2. Symptoms of a lower respiratory tract infection

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Child

Lower age limit

2 years

Upper age limit

18 years

Sex

All

Total final enrolment

40

Key exclusion criteria

1. Indication for a course of antibiotics at presentation (assessed by paediatric pulmonologist)
2. Co-existing chronic pulmonary disease (eg cystic fibrosis, broncho pulmonary dysplasia or primary ciliary dyskinesia)
3. History of oesophageal atresia
4. Neuromuscular disease or psychomotor retardation

Date of first enrolment

01/09/2005

Date of final enrolment

01/09/2007

Locations

Countries of recruitment

Netherlands

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Erasmus Medical Centre
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Sponsor information

Organisation
Erasmus Medical Centre (Netherlands)

ROR
<https://ror.org/018906e22>

Funder(s)

Funder type
Industry

Funder Name
Roche Nederland BV (Netherlands)

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	01/10/2009	07/01/2021	Yes	No