

Clinical trials of extended prophylaxis

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1 DVT prophylaxis

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
extended prophylaxis vs standard prophylaxis			
PENTHIFRAPLUS (Eriksson) , 2003 n=656 follow-up: 19-23 days	25-31 days of fondaparinux 2.5-mg once-daily versus 6-8 days of fondaparinux 2.5-mg once-daily	patients undergoing hip fracture surgery	Parallel groups double blind
Lausen , 1998 n=58/60 follow-up: 28 days	Tinzaparin 3500 UI/qd sc for 28 days started in preop versus Tinzaparin 3500 UI/qd + GES for 1 week started in preop	>18 years, open major abdominal surgery and non cardiac thoracic surgery of >1hour duration.	Parallel groups Open, blinded evaluation
ENOXACAN II (Bergqvist) , 2002 n=253/248 follow-up: 3 months	Enoxaparin 40 mg UI/qd sc for 25-31 days started in preop versus Enoxaparin 40 mg IU/qd sc for 6 to 10 days (GES optional) started in preop	>40 years, open major abdominal oncologic elective surgery of >45 minutes duration (includes gynecological surgery)	Parallel groups double blind
FAME (Rasmussen) , 2006 n=205/222 follow-up: 3 months	Dalteparin 5000 UI/qd SC for 28 days started in preop versus Dalteparin 5000 UI/qd SC for 7 days + GES started in preop	>18 years, major abdominal surgery of >1 hour duration	Parallel groups Open, blinded evaluation

More details and results :

- antithrombotics for DVT prophylaxis in orthopedic surgery at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q37>
- antithrombotics for DVT prophylaxis in hip Fracture at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q40>
- antithrombotics for DVT prophylaxis in abdominal surgery at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q96>
- pentasaccharide for DVT prophylaxis in orthopedic surgery at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q188>
- pentasaccharide for DVT prophylaxis in all type of patients at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q396>

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