

# Clinical trials of flecainide

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## 1 atrial fibrillation

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
<b>flecainide vs no treatment</b>			
<a href="#">Van Gelder , 1989</a> n=36/37 follow-up: 12 months	Flecainide 200-300 mg/d versus no treatment	Any persistent AF or AFl	Parallel groups open
<b>flecainide vs placebo</b>			
<a href="#">Carunchio (flecainide vs placebo) , 1995</a> n=20/26 follow-up: 12 months	Flecainide 200 mg/d versus placebo	patients with recurrent AF with >3 episodes in previous 1 year	Parallel groups open
<b>flecainide vs digoxin</b>			
<a href="#">Steinbeck (flecainide vs digoxin) , 1988</a> n=15/15 follow-up: 12 months	-	Paroxysmal symptomatic AF of any duration	Parallel groups open
<b>flecainide vs propafenone</b>			
<a href="#">Aliot , 1996</a> n=48/49 follow-up: 12 months	Flecainide 100-200mg/d versus Propafenone 600 mg/d	patients with paroxysmal AF documented any time before	Parallel groups open
<b>flecainide vs quinidine</b>			
<a href="#">Naccarelli , 1996</a> n=117/122 follow-up: 12 months	Flecainide 200-300 mg/d versus Quinidine 1-1,5 g/d	Any documented symptomatic AF	Parallel groups double blind

More details and results :

- antiarrhythmic drugs for atrial fibrillation in maintaining sinus rhythm after cardioversion at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q113>

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