

Clinical trials of flecainide

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1 atrial fibrillation

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
flecainide vs no treatment			
Van Gelder , 1989 n=36/37 follow-up: 12 months	Flecainide 200-300 mg/d versus no treatment	Any persistent AF or AFl	Parallel groups open
flecainide vs placebo			
Carunchio (flecainide vs placebo) , 1995 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
flecainide vs digoxin			
Steinbeck (flecainide vs digoxin) , 1988 n=15/15 follow-up: 12 months	-	Paroxysmal symptomatic AF of any duration	Parallel groups open
flecainide vs propafenone			
Aliot , 1996 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
flecainide vs quinidine			
Naccarelli , 1996 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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