

# Clinical trials of hydralazine

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## 1 heart failure

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
<b>hydralazine vs control</b>			
<a href="#">Chatterjee , 1980</a> n=NA follow-up:	oral hydralazine versus NA	patients with chronic CHF	
<b>hydralazine vs placebo</b>			
<a href="#">Franciosa , 1982</a> n=16/16 follow-up: 20 weeks	hydralazine 200 mg daily versus placebo	patients with class III and IV symptoms while they were taking digitalis and diuretics	double blind
<a href="#">Conradson , 1984</a> n=NA follow-up: 1 year	hydralazine versus placebo	patients with chronic congestive heart failure (NYHA class III)	
<a href="#">Magorien , 1984</a> n=NA follow-up:	hydralazine 100 mg orally every eight hours versus placebo	patients with idiopathic dilated cardiomyopathy	double blind
<b>hydralazine-ISDN vs placebo</b>			
<a href="#">VHeFT I (hydralazine ISDN) , 1986</a> n=186/273 follow-up: 2.3 y (range 0.5-5.7 years)	hydralazine 300mg/d ISDN 160mg/d versus placebo	patientst with chronic congestive heart failure and cardiac dilatation (CT ratio>0.55) or LVEF <45% in association with reduced exercise tolerance	Parallel groups double blind

More details and results :

- vasodilators therapy for heart failure in all type of patient at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q79>

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