

# Clinical trials of ranolazine

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## 1 stable angina

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
<b>ranolazine 1000mg vs placebo</b>			
<b>MARIZA , 2004</b> n=191/191 follow-up: 1 week	ranolazine 500 mg twice daily (sustained-release ranolazine 500, 1,000, or 1,500 mg) versus placebo	Patients with angina-limited exercise	Cross over double blind US, Czech Republic, Poland, Canada
<b>RAN080 , 2005</b> n=158/158 follow-up: 1 week	ranolazine IR 400mg TID versus placebo	patients who had symptom-limited exercise	Cross over double blind Europe, canada
<b>ranolazine 1000mg vs placebo (on top standard treatment)</b>			
<b>CARISA 1000mg , 2004</b> n=261/258 follow-up: 12 weeks	ranolazine 1000mg (in combination with beta-blockers or calcium antagonists) versus placebo	patients with severe chronic angina who have symptoms of chronic angina and who experience angina and ischemia at low workloads despite taking standard doses of atenolol, amlodipine, or diltiazem	Parallel groups double blind
<b>ranolazine 1000mg + amlodipine vs placebo + amlodipine</b>			
<b>ERICA , 2006</b> [NCT00091429] n=281/284 follow-up: 6 weeks	ranolazine 1000 mg twice a day for 6 weeks + amlodipine (10 mg/d) versus placebo + amlodipine (10 mg/d)	patients with stable chronic angina already treated with the maximal dose of amlodipine (10mg/d)	Parallel groups double blind Europe, USA, Canada

More details and results :

- anti-anginal drugs for stable angina in all type of patients at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q263>

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## 2 acute coronary syndrome

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<b>ranolazine vs placebo</b>			
MERLIN TIMI 36 , 2007 [NCT00099788] n=3279/3281 follow-up: median 11.4 months	ranolazine 1000 mg twice daily for the duration of the trial (intitally 200 mg intravenously for 1 hour, followed by an 80 mg/h intravenous infusion) versus placebo	Hospitalized with NSTEMI-ACS; ischemic symptoms at rest within 48 hours; and at least one indicator of moderate to high risk, defined as elevated troponin or creatine kinase-myocardial band, ST-depression >0.1 mV, diabetes, or TIMI risk score for unstable angina/NSTEMI >=3	Parallel groups Double blind 17 countries

More details and results :

- anti-anginal drugs for acute coronary syndrome in all type of patients at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q264>

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## 3 coronary artery disease

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More details and results :

- anti-anginal drugs for coronary artery disease in all type of patients at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q351>

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