

# Clinical trials of rimonabant 20mg

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## 1 cardiovascular prevention

| Trial   | Treatments                                  | Patients   | Trials design and methods                                  |
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| <b>rimonabant 20mg vs placebo</b>   |   |  |  |
| <a href="#">RIO europe 20mg , 2005</a><br>n=599/305<br>follow-up:                           | rimonabant 20mg daily<br>versus<br>placebo  | patients with body-mass index 30 kg/m <sup>2</sup> or greater, or body-mass index greater than 27 kg/m <sup>2</sup> with treated or untreated dyslipidaemia, hypertension, or both   | Parallel groups<br>Double blind<br>Europe and USA          |
| <a href="#">Rio-lipid 20 mg , 2005</a><br>n=346/342<br>follow-up: 12 months                 | rimonabant 20 mg daily<br>versus<br>placebo | overweight or obese patients (body-mass index 27 to 40) with untreated dyslipidemia (triglyceride levels >1.69 to 7.90 mmol per liter, or a ratio of cholesterol to high-density lipoprotein [HDL] cholesterol of >4.5 among women and >5 among men) | Parallel groups<br>Double blind<br>worldwide (8 countries) |
| <a href="#">RIO-North America 20 mg , 2006</a><br>[NCT00029861]<br>n=1222/607<br>follow-up: | rimonabant 20mg daily<br>versus<br>placebo  | obese (body mass index $\geq 30$ ) or overweight (body mass index $\geq 27$ and treated or untreated hypertension or dyslipidemia) adult patients  | Parallel groups<br>Double blind<br>US and Canada           |
| <b>rimonabant 20mg vs rimonabant 5mg</b>  |   |  |  |
| <a href="#">RIO europe (20 vs 5 mg) , 2005</a><br>n=599/603<br>follow-up:                   | -   | -  |  |

More details and results :

- weight-loss drugs for cardiovascular prevention in overweight or obese patients at <http://www.trialresultscenter.org/go-Q444>

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