

Clinical trials of cholesterol lowering intervention for peripheral vascular diseases in all type of patients

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1 colestipol-niacin

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
colestipol-niacin vs placebo			
CLAS , 1987 n=94/94 follow-up: 2 ans	Colestipol + Niacin 30 g / j 3-12 g / j (titr sur chaque patient sur la base de la baisse de cholestrol sanguin) versus placebo: methyl cellulose	Patients coronariens avec antcdent de revascularisation chirurgicale coronarienne.	Parallel groups Non dterminable

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2 Fibrates

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
bezafibrate vs placebo			
LEADER trial , 2000 n=783/785 follow-up: 5 ans	Bezafibrate: 400 mg/ jour pour les hommes avec cratinimie <135 micromole/litre versus placebo de mme aspect	Stade de la maladie : II.	Parallel groups Double aveugle

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3 probucol

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
probucol vs placebo			
PQRST , 1994 n=152/151 follow-up: 3 ans	Probucol 1 g / j pendant 3 ans versus placebo, de mme aspect(2 tablettes par jour)pendant 3 ans	Stade II: 70%	Parallel groups Double aveugle

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4 statins

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
atorvastatin vs placebo			
Mohler III , 2003 n=240/114 follow-up: 1 an	Atorvastatine: 10 mg/ jour ou 80 mg/ jour pendant 12 mois (groupes 1 et 2). versus placebo	Stade de la maladie : II , stable pendant au moins 6 mois.	Parallel groups Double aveugle
simvastatin vs placebo			
Mondillo , 2003 n=43/43 follow-up: 6 mois	simvastatine: 40 mg/ jour pendant 6 mois. versus placebo	Stade de la maladie: II.	Parallel groups Double aveugle
Aronow , 2003 n=34/35 follow-up: 1 an	simvastatine 40 mg/j versus placebo	Stade II	Parallel groups Non dterminable

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Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
HPS (sub group) , 2002 n=10269/10267 follow-up: 5 ans	simvastatine 40 mg/ jour pendant 5 ans versus placebo	32.85% des patients presentaient une artriopathie des membres infrieurs	Factorial plan Double aveugle

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