

CLINICAL TRIALS UPDATE: HEADACHE*

Description	Interventions	Design	Sponsors/Funding	Location/Contact	NCT ID No.
Phase II study to determine the efficacy of an intravenous bolus of metoclopramide after 2 hours in the treatment of acute migraine in children	Intravenous metoclopramide vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, crossover assignment	Children's Hospital of Philadelphia	Dr. Nicholas S. Abend, 215-590-1719, abend@email.chop.edu	NCT00355394
Phase III study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of rizatriptan for the treatment of acute migraine in children and adolescents	Rizatriptan benzoate vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	Merck	176 sites; 888-577-8839	NCT01001234
TEAM – A phase II and III study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of Treximet for the treatment of acute migraine in adolescents	Treximet (sumatriptan and naproxen sodium) vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, crossover assignment	Premiere Research Institute; GlaxoSmithKline	Four sites; Ashley L. Poulette, 561-296-3820, ashpriresearch@aol.com	NCT01016678
Phase III study to evaluate the efficacy of combined behavioral and pharmacological treatment on chronic daily headache in children aged 10-17 years	Coping skills training plus amitriptyline vs. headache education plus amitriptyline	Randomized, double-blind, active-controlled, parallel assignment	Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center; National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke	Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center; Janelle Allen, 513-636-1840	NCT00389038
Phase III study to evaluate the efficacy, safety, and tolerability of telcagepant for the prevention of menstrually related migraine in female patients with episodic migraine	Telcagepant potassium vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	Merck	131 sites; 888-577-8839	NCT01125774
Phase II study to evaluate the efficacy of DR-105 for decreasing the frequency and severity of menstrually related migraine headaches	DR-105 vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	Duramed Research	17 sites; Sally M. Fedon, Pharm.D., 215-293-7279, medicalaffairs@barlabs.com	NCT00781456
Phase I and II study to assess the preliminary efficacy of a low omega-6 plus high omega-3 diet and a low omega-6 diet alone on headache frequency and severity in patients with chronic daily headache	Low omega-6 plus high omega-3 diet vs. low omega-6 diet	Randomized, double-blind, active-controlled, parallel assignment	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Mayday Fund	Chanee E. Lynch, 919-966-8586, chanee_lynch@med.unc.edu	NCT01157208
Phase II study to test the effects of a novel emotional awareness and expression intervention against relaxation training or no intervention for college students with chronic headaches	Emotional awareness and expression training vs. relaxation training vs. no intervention	Randomized, open-label, parallel assignment	Wayne State University	Mark A. Lumley, Ph.D., 313-577-2773, mlumley@wayne.edu	NCT00956969
Phase III study to evaluate the efficacy of a novel ibuprofen formulation in the treatment of episodic tension-type headache	Novel ibuprofen formulation vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	Wyeth	Pfizer ClinicalTrials.gov Call Center; 800-718-1021, ClinicalTrials.gov_Inquiries@pfizer.com	NCT01077973
Study to evaluate the efficacy of octreotide compared with compazine for emergency department treatment of migraine headache	Octreotide vs. compazine	Randomized, double-blind, active-controlled, parallel assignment	C.R. Darnall Army Medical Center	Dr. Michael A. Miller, 254-288-8303, michael.miller3@amedd.army.mil	NCT00274170
Phase II study to evaluate the effect of percutaneous closure of a patent foramen ovale on the incidence of migraine headaches	AMPLATZER PFO Occluder vs. sham procedure	Randomized, double-blind, sham-controlled, parallel assignment	AGA Medical Corp.	31 sites; Michele Davies, mdavies@amplatzer.com	NCT00355056
Phase I and II study to determine the efficacy and safety of ethosuximide in the prevention of episodic migraine among veterans	Ethosuximide vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	Department of Veterans Affairs; Thomas Jefferson University; University of Pittsburgh	VA Pittsburgh Health Care System; Dr. Kathy L. Gardner, 412-360-6185, kathy.gardner@va.gov	NCT01122381
Phase III study to determine the efficacy and safety of botulinum toxin A (Botox) in migraine headaches	Botulinum toxin A (Botox) open-label or blinded vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	Yale University	Yale Neurology Clinic; Dr. Diana Richardson, 203-737-1831, diana.richardson@yale.edu	NCT00660192
CMTT – A phase III study to determine if adding propranolol to topiramate treatment will further reduce the headache burden for people with chronic migraine	Propranolol LA plus topiramate vs. topiramate plus placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	The EMMES Corporation; National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke; Ortho-McNeil Janssen Scientific Affairs, LLC; CRC Operations Center	66 sites; Michelle Greenberg, 800-305-7811, nindscrc@ninds.nih.gov	NCT00772031
Phase II study to determine the efficacy and safety of ramelteon (Rozerem) for reducing the number of migraine headaches over a 12-week period	Ramelteon (Rozerem) vs. placebo	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	Swedish Medical Center; Takeda Global Research & Development Center Inc.	Swedish Medical Center; Patricia M. Barrodale, 206-215-3502, pat.barrodale@swedish.org	NCT00739024
Phase III study to determine whether, in patients diagnosed with vertical heterophoria , the symptoms of dizziness, headache, and/or anxiety are reduced or eliminated when a kind of correction called vertical prism is added to the patient's normal eyeglass prescription	Glasses with lenses containing prismatic correction vs. glasses without prismatic correction	Randomized, double-blind, crossover assignment	Vision Specialists of Birmingham; Essilor International	Vision Specialists of Birmingham (Mich.); Dr. Mark S. Rosner, 248-258-9000, msr50@comcast.net	NCT00785135
IHTT – A phase II and III study to determine the safety and efficacy of treatment strategies for restoring and protecting vision loss in patients with idiopathic intracranial hypertension and mild vision loss	Acetazolamide plus a formal weight loss counseling program vs. placebo plus a formal weight loss counseling program	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel assignment	St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center; National Eye Institute; University of Rochester; University of Iowa; University of California, Davis	New York Eye and Ear Infirmary; Katy Tai, 212-979-4251, ktai@nyee.edu	NCT01003639

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