

- Case-control study on Torsades de pointes (TdP)

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General

Identification

Detailed name	Case-control study on Torsades de pointes (TdP)
CNIL registration number, number and date of CPP agreement, AFSSAPS (French Health Products Safety Agency) authorisation	908.026

General Aspects

Medical area	Cardiology
Others (details)	Torsades de pointes and syncope in long QT syndrome

Keywords	Pharmacoepidemiology
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Collaborations

Funding

Funding status	Mixed
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Details	LA-SER
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Governance of the database

Sponsor(s) or organisation(s) responsible	LA-SER
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Organisation status	Private
Additional contact	
Main features	
Type of database	
Type of database	Study databases
Study databases (details)	Case control study
Database recruitment is carried out by an intermediary	A selection of health institutions and services
Database recruitment is carried out as part of an interventional study	No
Additional information regarding sample selection.	TdP cases are recruited by a network of rhythmology and cardiology centres and by referrals from a network of general practitioners located throughout the territory.
Database objective	
Main objective	Surveillance and assessment of the risk of torsades de pointes or syncope in long QT syndrome from drug exposure during actual treatment.
Inclusion criteria	Case study: patients, men and women aged between 18 and 79, who have experienced a syncopal episode and a torsades de pointes or QT interval higher or equal to 500 ms, declared by a cardiologist, and occurring 30 days before enrolment.
Population type	
Age	Adulthood (19 to 24 years) Adulthood (25 to 44 years) Adulthood (45 to 64 years) Elderly (65 to 79 years)
Population covered	General population
Gender	Male Woman
Geography area	National
Detail of the geography area	France

Data collection

Dates

Date of first collection (YYYY or MM/YYYY) 2008

Size of the database

Size of the database (number of individuals) [10 000-20 000[individuals

Details of the number of individuals 20 cases 13000+ témoins/controls

Data

Database activity Current data collection

Type of data collected Clinical data
Declarative data

Clinical data (detail) Direct physical measures

Declarative data (detail) Phone interview

Presence of a biobank No

Health parameters studied Health event/morbidity

Procedures

Participant monitoring No

Links to administrative sources No

Promotion and access

Promotion

Access

Terms of data access (charter for data provision, format of data, availability delay) In progress

Access to aggregated data Access on specific project only

Access to individual data Access on specific project only