

# Retrospective Case-Control Studies of Rare Adverse Events Associated with Intranasal Steroids (201077)

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Study

Finalised

## Administrative details

### PURI

<https://redirect.ema.europa.eu/resource/15565>

### EU PAS number

EUPAS5049

### Study ID

15565

### DARWIN EU® study

No

### Study countries

☐ United States

## Study description

GSK Consumer Healthcare has funded an investigator-sponsored retrospective epidemiological study analyzing medical-pharmacy claims to determine odds ratios for developing glaucoma or cataract in relation totiming and duration of exposure to an intranasal steroid or intranasal fluticasone, and to determine the odds ratio for developing adrenal insufficiency after discontinuation of intranasal steroids or intranasal fluticasone.

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## Study status

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# Research institutions and networks

## Institutions

University of California

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Institution

## Contact details

### Study institution contact

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Study contact

**Primary lead investigator**

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Advisor

Primary lead investigator

## Study timelines

**Date when funding contract was signed**

Planned: 12/05/2012

Actual: 25/05/2012

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**Study start date**

Planned: 15/09/2012

Actual: 15/09/2012

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**Data analysis start date**

Planned: 15/09/2012

Actual: 15/09/2012

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**Date of final study report**

Planned: 30/05/2014

Actual: 23/05/2014

## Sources of funding

- Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

## More details on funding

GlaxoSmithKline

## Study protocol

[Case Study Redact\\_201077.pdf](#)(214.77 KB)

## Regulatory

**Was the study required by a regulatory body?**

No

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**Is the study required by a Risk Management Plan (RMP)?**

EU RMP category 3 (required)

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

### Study type list

**Study topic:**

Disease /health condition

Human medicinal product

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**Study type:**

## Non-interventional study

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### **Scope of the study:**

Assessment of risk minimisation measure implementation or effectiveness

### **Data collection methods:**

Secondary use of data

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### **Main study objective:**

To determine risk ratios of corticosteroid treatment for case reports of cataracts and glaucoma associated with prescription intranasal corticosteroid use and to determine the odds ratios for developing adrenal insufficiency after discontinuation of intranasal steroids or intranasal fluticasone, with a focus on intranasal fluticasone use.

## Study Design

### **Non-interventional study design**

Other

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### **Non-interventional study design, other**

Retrospective Nested Case Controlled study

## Study drug and medical condition

### **Study drug International non-proprietary name (INN) or common name**

FLUTICASONE FUROATE

FLUTICASONE PROPIONATE

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## **Medical condition to be studied**

Glaucoma

Ocular hypertension

Cataract

Adrenal insufficiency

Glucocorticoid deficiency

## **Population studied**

### **Short description of the study population**

Individuals continuously enrolled in the IMS database with both medical and pharmacy claims for at least 1 year in the IMS database.

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### **Age groups**

Adolescents (12 to < 18 years)

Adults (18 to < 46 years)

Adults (46 to < 65 years)

Adults (65 to < 75 years)

Adults (75 to < 85 years)

Adults (85 years and over)

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### **Estimated number of subjects**

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## **Study design details**

### **Outcomes**

The purpose of this research is to explore putative associations between exposure to intranasal steroids and the subsequent development of glaucoma,

cataract or adrenal insufficiency

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### **Data analysis plan**

The goals of this study will be to determine the odds ratios for developing glaucoma or cataract in relation to recent and length of exposure to intranasal steroid or intranasal fluticasone, and to determine the odds ratio for developing adrenal Insufficiency after discontinuation of intranasal steroids or intranasal fluticasone.

## **Documents**

### **Study results**

[UCSFreport\\_NestedCC\\_INS\\_Glau-Cat-AI\\_MAY23-2014\\_ver1-4.pdf](#)(367.9 KB)

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## **Data management**

### **Data sources**

#### **Data source(s)**

THIN® (The Health Improvement Network®)

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#### **Data sources (types)**

[Other](#)

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#### **Data sources (types), other**

Case-control surveillance database

## **Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)**

## CDM mapping

No

## Data quality specifications

### Check conformance

Unknown

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### Check completeness

Unknown

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### Check stability

Unknown

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### Check logical consistency

Unknown

## Data characterisation

### Data characterisation conducted

Unknown