# Effectiveness evaluation survey for Eurartesim

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## Administrative details

EU PAS number	
EUPAS8304	
Study ID	
33853	
DARWIN EU® study	
No	
Study countries	
France	
Germany	
Italy	
Spain	
United Kingdom	

#### Study description

The European Medicines Agency (EMA) has requested Sigma-Tau to provide all physicians who are expected to prescribe or use Eurartesim with a healthcare professional educational pack. The EMA has requested Sigma-Tau to perform an Effectiveness survey in order to further assess physician understanding of this education material. This study will be conducted in 3 European countries by physicians who are expected to prescribe or use Eurartesim for the treatment ofmalaria. To study will ascertain the physician understanding of the education material provided about Eurartesim, in terms of drug indication, prescription modalities, administration modalities, high-risk patients, and potential side effects. The survey will be conducted respectively 12 months and 24 months after Eurartesim education material is delivered to the Physicians by the Sponsor. Physicians will be selected among a list of approximately 300 physicians per country, provided by the Sponsor. Approximately 60 Physicians per country are expected to participate. The following selection process will be conducted in each country respectively 12 months and 24 months after Physicians received education material:- A recruitment mail containing the study summary and a participation form will be sent to all Physicians.-Physicians will be asked to send back the completed participation form to Mapi. Characteristics of physicians, and if applicable, reason for non participation will be collected on the participation form.- Non-respondent Physicians will be contacted by telephone by Mapi, to know if they agree or not to participate in the survey.- The survey questionnaire will be administered by Mapi by phone to the Physicians selected for the survey and willing to participate. The results will be analysed according to the Statistical Analysis Plan written for the study.

#### **Study status**

Finalised

### Research institutions and networks

### **Institutions**

ICON Commercialisation & Outcomes
Germany
☐ Ireland
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Institution Non-Pharmaceutical company ENCePP partner

Multiple centres: 360 centres are involved in the study

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## Study timelines

#### Date when funding contract was signed

Planned: 01/09/2011 Actual: 01/09/2011

#### Study start date

Planned: 01/09/2013 Actual: 02/09/2013

#### **Data analysis start date**

Planned: 01/04/2014 Actual: 01/04/2014

#### Date of interim report, if expected

Planned: 30/06/2014 Actual: 01/07/2014

#### **Date of final study report**

Planned: 30/06/2015 Actual: 26/06/2015

## Sources of funding

• Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

## More details on funding

Sigma Tau

## Study protocol

3366\_Sigma Tau\_Effectiveness Survey\_Protocol\_20130715\_Final version Signed.pdf(554.57 KB)

## Regulatory

Was the study required by a regulatory body?

Yes

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

EU RMP category 3 (required)

## Methodological aspects

Study type

Study type list

**Study topic:** 

Other

#### Study topic, other:

Disease/Epidemiology study, Effectiveness evaluation of the education material provided about Eurartesim $^{\text{\tiny M}}$ 

### Study type:

Non-interventional study

#### Scope of the study:

Effectiveness study (incl. comparative)

#### **Data collection methods:**

Primary data collection

#### Main study objective:

To ascertain the physician understanding of the education material provided about Eurartesim, in terms of drug indication, prescription modalities, administration modalities, high-risk patients, and potential side effects.

## Study Design

#### Non-interventional study design

Other

#### Non-interventional study design, other

Survey study (questionnaire)

## Population studied

### Short description of the study population

Physicians who were expected to prescribe or use Eurartesim for the treatment of malaria and who were delivered Eurartesim™ education material.

#### Inclusion criteria:

- 1. Physicians known to treat and follow-up patients with malaria
- 2. Physicians not participating in Pregnancy and Safety registries
- 3. Physicians who agree to participate in the survey

#### Age groups

Children (2 to < 12 years)

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)

#### **Estimated number of subjects**

0

## Study design details

#### Data analysis plan

Continuous variables will be described by their mean, standard deviation, median, quartiles 1 and 3, extreme values (minimum and maximum) and the number of missing data. Categorical variables will be described by the total and percentage of each response and the number of missing data. 95% confidence intervals will be computed on each individual percentage. Description of the study population: Characteristics of participating Physicians will be described. Response to the primary objective: - Knowledge of indication of Eurartesim will be described - Knowledge of prescription modalities of Eurartesim will be described - Knowledge of administration modalities of Eurartesim will be described - Knowledge of effects on cardiac repolarization will be described - Knowledge of high-risk patients will be described - Knowledge of potential side effects of Eurartesim will be described - Awareness of the pregnancy and safety registries and available information

### **Documents**

#### **Study results**

EUPAS 8304 Final results.pdf(66 KB)

## Data management

### Data sources

### Data sources (types)

Other

### Data sources (types), other

Questionnaire completion by phone

## Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

### **CDM** mapping

No

# Data quality specifications

#### **Check conformance**

Unknown

#### **Check completeness**

Unknown

### **Check stability**

Unknown

### **Check logical consistency**

Unknown

# Data characterisation

### **Data characterisation conducted**

No