

# Incidence of Surgical Site Infections After Lower Gastrointestinal Surgery in Patients With Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative Colitis

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Study

Finalised

## Administrative details

### PURI

<https://redirect.ema.europa.eu/resource/34269>

### EU PAS number

EUPAS16564

### Study ID

34269

### DARWIN EU® study

No

### Study countries

☐ United States

## Study description

This is a non-interventional retrospective cohort study. The drug being tested in this study is called vedolizumab. This study will look at the incidence of surgical site infections (SSI) after a lower GI surgery in patients with CD or UC, and determine if it varies by type of inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) therapy. Participants will be identified for participation in the study through Optum Clinformatics Data Mart, which is a database managed by the United States started in May 2000. Participants who have CD or UC and underwent a major lower GI surgery after 01 September 2014 will be identified from the database. Participants will be assessed for infections such as postoperative wound infection, peritonitis, retroperitoneal infection, and sepsis occurring 2-30 days after the lower GI surgery.

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## Study status

Finalised

# Research institutions and networks

## Institutions

Takeda

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Institution

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## Study timelines

**Date when funding contract was signed**

Planned: 20/12/2016

Actual: 20/12/2016

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**Study start date**

Planned: 20/12/2016

Actual: 20/12/2016

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**Data analysis start date**

Planned: 20/01/2017

Actual: 30/09/2017

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**Date of final study report**

Planned: 31/12/2017

Actual: 30/12/2017

## Sources of funding

- Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

## More details on funding

Takeda Ltd

## Regulatory

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

No

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

Not applicable

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

### Study type list

#### **Study topic:**

Disease /health condition

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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

Disease epidemiology

**Data collection methods:**

Secondary use of data

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**Main study objective:**

To quantify incidence of surgical site infections (SSI) after lower GI surgery in patients with UC or CD on non-biologic therapy, anti-tumor necrosis factor-alpha (TNF-alpha)/ustekinumab therapy, and vedolizumab therapy and to identify risk factors for SSIs after lower GI surgery in patients with UC or CD.

## Study Design

**Non-interventional study design**

Cohort

## Study drug and medical condition

**Medical condition to be studied**

Crohn's disease

Colitis ulcerative

## Population studied

**Short description of the study population**

Adults with ulcerative colitis (UC) or Crohn's disease (CD) who underwent lower gastrointestinal (GI) surgery of small intestine, colon, rectum, or anus during September 2014 to September 2016.

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### **Age groups**

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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### **Special population of interest**

Immunocompromised

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### **Estimated number of subjects**

2000

## Study design details

### **Outcomes**

Incidence of surgical site infections (SSI) occurring 2-30 days after the surgical procedure after 1 September 2014.

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### **Data analysis plan**

Cumulative incidence (per 100 patients) of SSI will be calculated overall and for drug exposure categories (vedolizumab, anti-TNF-alpha anti-tumor necrosis factor- alpha/ustekinumab, and conventional therapy). A multivariate logistic regression model will be constructed to identify risk factors for an SSI, with the exposure reference group being conventional therapy. A stepwise regression will be used to fit covariates with a  $p < 0.1$  to enter a covariate and a  $p < 0.05$  to remain a covariate in the model.

## Documents

## Study results

[Vedolizumab-5030 - Article.pdf](#)(168.42 KB)

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## Data management

### Data sources

#### Data sources (types)

[Administrative healthcare records \(e.g., claims\)](#)

### 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**

No