# Treatment Pattern of NOACs (non-vitamin K oral anticoagulants) in Outpatient Users in Colombian Databases - TREND Colombia

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# Administrative details

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#### Study description

This population-based descriptive study will characterize first-time users of three NOACs (rivaroxaban, dabigatran and apixaban) in prevention of stroke in non-valvular atrial fibrillation (SPAF) patients and will assess the patterns of drug utilization in routine general practice in Colombia

#### **Study status**

Finalised

# Research institutions and networks

# Institutions



## **Networks**

Grupo de Investigación en Farmacoepidemiológica y Farmacovigilancia, Faculty of Health Sciences, Universidad Tecnológica de Pereira, Colombia

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# Study timelines

## Date when funding contract was signed

Planned: 30/01/2018

Actual: 22/02/2018

#### Study start date

Planned: 28/02/2018

Actual: 28/02/2018

## **Date of final study report**

Planned: 31/12/2018

Actual: 07/05/2019

# Sources of funding

Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

# More details on funding

Bayer AG

# Study protocol

20104\_TREND Colombia Protocol\_ENCEPP.pdf(1010.54 KB)

# Regulatory

Was the study required by a regulatory body?

No

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

Non-EU RMP only

# Methodological aspects

Study type

Study type list

**Study topic:** 

Disease /health condition

Human medicinal product

#### Study type:

#### Scope of the study:

Drug utilisation

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

Secondary use of data

#### Main study objective:

This population-based descriptive study will characterize first-time users of three non-vitamin k antagonists oral anticoagulants (rivaroxaban, dabigatran and apixaban) in non-valvular atrial fibrillation patients and will assess the patterns of drug utilization in routine general practice in Colombia.

# Study Design

## Non-interventional study design

Cohort

# Study drug and medical condition

## **Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical (ATC) code**

(B01AE07) dabigatran etexilate

dabigatran etexilate

(B01AF01) rivaroxaban

rivaroxaban

(B01AF02) apixaban

apixaban

#### Medical condition to be studied

Thrombotic stroke

# Population studied

#### Short description of the study population

All patients aged ≥18 years with a diagnosis of Non valvular Atrial Fibrillation (NVAF) and with at least 1 year of enrollment with their primary care physician (PCP) in the Audifarma S.A database and with 1 year since their first recorded health contact r were eligible for inclusion. Three mutually exclusive cohorts of first-time users of a Non-vitamin K antagonist Oral Anticoagulants (NOAC) (rivaroxaban, apixaban or dabigatran) with the date of first prescription the NOAC (index drug) being the index date, and followed all patients for at least 1 year.

#### Inclusion Criteria

- 1. First prescription of NOACs (rivaroxaban, dabigatran and apixaban) in the outpatient setting.
- 2. NVAF Patients
- 3. aged ≥18 years
- 4. at least one year of enrollment in the Audifarma database
- 5. one year since first encounter with healthcare provider will be included in the study.

#### Exclusion criteria

- 1. Patients with any record of index drug prescription prior to the enrolment period.
- 2. Patients who qualify as members of more than one cohort study on the same day.

#### 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)

## **Special population of interest**

Other

#### Special population of interest, other

Non-valvular atrial fibrillation (NVAF) patients

## **Estimated number of subjects**

15000

# Study design details

#### **Outcomes**

• Baseline patient characteristics of SPAF patients in Colombia prescribed any of the three NOACs (rivaroxaban, dabigatran and apixaban) for the first time for stroke prevention• Outpatient patterns (daily dose, dose posology, naïve status and treatment duration) of rivaroxaban, dabigatran and apixaban use in SPAF patients, • Time-trends in the characteristics of first-time use of NOACs in SPAF patients. The primary endpoints like patient characteristics, medical history, medication history, characteristics of index prescription, stratified per year (wherever possible).

#### Data analysis plan

The analysis will be based on descriptive statistics: frequencies and percentages will be calculated to the variables of interests, continuous and count variables will be described using mean (±standard deviation), proportions, median (quartiles) and minimum and maximum values. 95% confidence intervals will be computed for descriptive variables.

# **Documents**

#### **Study results**

20104\_EU-PAS\_Abstract\_2019-07-29\_Redacted.pdf(72.45 KB) 20104 EU-PAS Abstract Redacted 2020-03-25.pdf(72.5 KB)

## **Study report**

20104\_EU-PAS\_study report\_2019-07-29\_Redacted.pdf(609.99 KB)
20104\_NOACs in Colombia\_Study Report\_amendments 6 Jan 2020\_Redacted.pdf
(647.42 KB)

## Study, other information

20104\_NOACs in Colombia\_Study Report\_amendments 6 Jan 2020\_Redacted.pdf (647.42 KB)

# Data management

## Data sources

## **Data sources (types)**

Administrative healthcare records (e.g., claims)

# Drug dispensing/prescription data Other

## Data sources (types), other

Audifarma S.A. Colombia

# 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