

# Initiation of Sodium-Glucose Cotransporter 2 inhibitors after first hospitalization for heart failure: a population-based cohort study

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Study

Finalised

## Administrative details

### EU PAS number

EUPAS1000000378

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### Study ID

1000000378

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### DARWIN EU® study

No

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### Study countries

 France

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### Study description

This study aims to describe SGLT-2i initiation after discharge from first heart failure hospitalization in France between 2021 and 2023.

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## Study status

Finalised

## Research institutions and networks

### Institutions


#### Toulouse University Hospital

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Institution

#### University Toulouse III

 France


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Institution

Educational Institution

#### Pharmacologie En Population cohorteS biobanqueS (PEPSS), Hopitaux de Toulouse

 France

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**Institution**

**Educational Institution**

**Hospital/Clinic/Other health care facility**

**ENCePP partner**

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## Study timelines

### Date when funding contract was signed

Planned: 01/11/2024

Actual: 01/11/2024

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**Study start date**

Planned: 14/11/2024

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**Data analysis start date**

Planned: 14/12/2024

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**Date of final study report**

Planned: 01/02/2024

Actual: 01/06/2025

## Sources of funding

- No external funding

## 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:**

Human medicinal product

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**Study type:**

Non-interventional study

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**Scope of the study:**

Drug utilisation

**Data collection methods:**

Secondary use of data

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**Study design:**

Cohort study of patients discharged from first hospitalization for heart failure between 2021 and 2023.

**Main study objective:**

Proportion of SGLT-2i initiation at 30 days after discharge.

## Study Design

**Non-interventional study design**

Cohort

## Study drug and medical condition

**Medicinal product name**

[DAPAGLIFLOZIN VIATRIS](#)

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**Medicinal product name, other**

Empagliflozin

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

DAPAGLIFLOZIN

EMPAGLIFLOZIN

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**Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical (ATC) code**

(A10BK) Sodium-glucose co-transporter 2 (SGLT2) inhibitors

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(A10BK01) dapagliflozin

dapagliflozin

(A10BK03) empagliflozin

empagliflozin

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**Medical condition to be studied**

Cardiac failure

## Population studied

**Short description of the study population**

Patients > 18 years discharged from first hospitalization for heart failure between 2021 and 2023

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**Age groups**

- **Adult and elderly population ( $\geq 18$  years)**
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**Special population of interest**

Renal impaired

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## Special population of interest, other

Diabetes

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## Estimated number of subjects

300000

## Study design details

### Comparators

Not applicable.

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### Outcomes

SGLT-2i initiation in the 30 days following hospital discharge.

## Data management

### ENCePP Seal

The use of the ENCePP Seal has been discontinued since February 2025. The ENCePP Seal fields are retained in the display mode for transparency but are no longer maintained.

## Data sources

### Data source(s)

Système National des Données de Santé (French national health system main database)

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**Data sources (types)**

Administrative healthcare records (e.g., claims)

## Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

**CDM mapping**

No

## Data quality specifications

**Check conformance**

Yes

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**Check completeness**

Yes

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**Check stability**

Yes

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**Check logical consistency**

Yes

## Data characterisation

**Data characterisation conducted**

Not applicable