

Trial Description

Title

Altruistic Kidney Donation - Attitudes of German Facebook Users and Dialysis Patients

Trial Acronym

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URL of the trial

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Brief Summary in Lay Language

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Brief Summary in Scientific Language

The incidence of chronic kidney insufficiency as well as the better outcome after living versus cadaver donation result in a higher frequency of non-directed kidney donations.

In this study we want to examine the attitude towards this kind of donation by means of a self-created questionnaire. Two cohorts will be surveyed, users of the social media platform Facebook as well as inpatients at the dialysis centre of the University Hospital of Cologne. The purpose of this study is to evaluate the attitude of German persons towards organ donation, especially anonymous kidney donation and to compare the two groups' answers. Furthermore, we want to enquire the attachment style of the two cohorts via the ECR-RD12 questionnaire and put it in one context with the answers given to the questions regarding transplantation topics.

Organizational Data

- DRKS-ID: **DRKS00010289**
- Date of Registration in DRKS: **2016/05/31**
- Date of Registration in Partner Registry or other Primary Registry: [---]*
- Investigator Sponsored/Initiated Trial (IST/IIT): **yes**
- Ethics Approval/Approval of the Ethics Committee: **Approved**
- (leading) Ethics Committee Nr.: **15-400 , Ethik-Kommission der Medizinischen Fakultät der Universität zu Köln**

Secondary IDs



Health condition or Problem studied

- ICD10: **N18 - Chronic kidney disease**
- ICD10: **N19 - Unspecified kidney failure**

Interventions/Observational Groups

- Arm 1: **users of the social media platform Facebook .he purpose of this study is to evaluate the attitude of German persons towards organ donation, especially anonymous kidney donation and to compare the two groups' answers. Furthermore, we want to enquire the attachment style of the two cohorts via the ECR-RD12 questionnaire and put it in one context with the answers given to the questions regarding transplantation topics.**
- Arm 2: **Survey by means of a self-constructed questionnaire of patients who suffer from severe kidney disease and which are received for dialysis stationary at the University Hospital of Cologne.**

Characteristics

- Study Type: **Non-interventional**
- Study Type Non-Interventional: **Epidemiological study**
- Allocation: **Other**
- Blinding: [---]*
- Who is blinded: [---]*
- Control: **Other**
- Purpose: **Other**
- Assignment: **Parallel**
- Phase: **N/A**
- Off-label use (Zulassungsüberschreitende Anwendung eines Arzneimittels): **N/A**

Primary Outcome

Surveying 150 Facebook users and 50 dialysis inpatients via a self-created questionnaire which enquires attitudes towards transplantation-related topics as well as potential readiness for anonymous kidney donation and attachment style.

Secondary Outcome

Age, sex, educational achievement, religion

Countries of recruitment

- DE **Germany**

Locations of Recruitment

- University Medical Center **Köln**

Recruitment

- Planned/Actual: **Actual**
- (Anticipated or Actual) Date of First Enrollment: **2016/05/14**
- Target Sample Size: **200**
- Monocenter/Multicenter trial: **Monocenter trial**
- National/International: **National**

Inclusion Criteria

- Gender: **Both, male and female**
- Minimum Age: **18 Years**
- Maximum Age: **no maximum age**

Additional Inclusion Criteria

Inpatient of the dialysis centre at the University Hospital of Cologne, over the age of 18, informed consent

Exclusion criteria

Under the age of 18, disagreement with participation

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Sources of Monetary or Material Support

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Status

- Recruitment Status: **Recruiting ongoing**
- Study Closing (LPLV): [---]*

Trial Publications, Results and other documents

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