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A phase II, double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled clinical trial of tgAAVCF using maxillary sinus delivery in patients with cystic fibrosis with antrostomies.

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Study design (if review, criteria of inclusion for studies)

Phase II, double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled clinical trial

Participants

23 CF patients

Interventions

For each patient, a dose of 100,000 replication units of tgAAVCF was administered to one maxillary sinus, while the contralateral maxillary sinus received a placebo treatment, thereby establishing an inpatient control.

Outcome measures

primary efficacy endpoint (rate of relapse of clinically defined, endoscopically diagnosed recurrent sinusitis); secondary endpoints (sinus transepithelial potential difference [TEPD], histopathology, sinus fluid interleukin [IL]-8 measurements, sinus fluid cytokine IL-10), adverse events, sinus histopathology, serum-neutralizing antibody titer to adeno-associated virus (AAV) capsid protein

Main results

Neither the primary endpoint, nor several secondary endpoints achieved statistical significance when comparing treated to control sinuses within patients. cytokine IL-10 in sinus fluid, was significantly (p

Authors' conclusions

this Phase II trial confirms the safety of tgAAVCF but provides little support of its efficacy in the within-patient controlled sinus study. Various potentially confounding factors are discussed.

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