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Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor (VEGF) Trap-Eye: Investigation of Efficacy and Safety in Central Retinal Vein Occlusion (CRVO)



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Study Description

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This is a phase 3 study to determine the efficacy of VEGF Trap-Eye injected into the eye on vision function in subjects with macular edema as a consequence of central retinal vein occlusion.

Condition or disease ⓘ	Intervention/treatment ⓘ	Phase ⓘ
Macular Edema Secondary to Central Retinal Vein Occlusion	Biological: VEGF Trap-Eye 2.0mg Drug: Sham	Phase 3

Study Design

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[Study Type](#) ⓘ :

Interventional (Clinical Trial)

[Actual Enrollment](#) ⓘ :

189 participants

Allocation:

Randomized

Intervention Model:

Parallel Assignment

Masking:

Quadruple (Participant, Care Provider, Investigator, Outcomes Assessor)

Primary Purpose:

Treatment

Official Title:

A Randomized, Double Masked, Controlled Phase 3 Study of the Efficacy, Safety, and Tolerability of Repeated Intravitreal Administration of Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor Trap-Eye in Subjects With Macular Edema Secondary to Central Retinal Vein Occlusion

[Study Start Date](#) ⓘ :

July 2009

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October 2010

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April 2012

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Arm ⓘ	Intervention/treatment ⓘ
Experimental: VEGF Trap-Eye Monthly IVT injection of VEGF Trap-Eye 2.0 mg until Week 24 Primary Endpoint	Biological: VEGF Trap-Eye 2.0mg Monthly intravitreal injection out to the Week 24 Primary endpoint
Sham Comparator: Sham Monthly Sham IVT injection until Week 24 Primary Endpoint	Drug: Sham Monthly sham intravitreal injection out to Week 24 Primary Endpoint

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[Primary Outcome Measures](#) ⓘ :

1. Percentage of Participants Who Gained at Least 15 Letters in BCVA at Week 24 as Measured by ETDRS Letter Score [Time Frame: Baseline and at Week 24]

Percentage values indicate the number of subjects in each arm who were able to read an additional 15 letters or more at Week 24 compared to baseline.

Defined study baseline range of ETDRS Best Corrected Visual Acuity letter score of 73 to 24 letters (= Acuity of 20/40 to 20/320) in the study eye; a higher score represents better functioning.

[Secondary Outcome Measures](#) ⓘ :

1. Change From Baseline in BCVA as Measured by ETDRS Letter Score at Week 24 - Last Observation Carried Forward (LOCF) [Time Frame: Baseline and at Week 24]

Defined study baseline range of ETDRS Best Corrected Visual Acuity letter score of 73 to 24 (= Acuity of 20/40 to 20/320) in the study eye; a higher score represents better functioning.

2. Change From Baseline in Central Retinal Thickness (CRT) at Week 24 - LOCF

[Time Frame: Baseline and at Week 24]

3. Percentage of Participants Progressing to Any of the Following: Anterior Segment

Neovascularization, New Vessels of the Disc (NVD) or New Vessels Elsewhere (NVE) During the First 24 Weeks [Time Frame: Baseline to Week 24]

4. Change From Baseline in the NEI VFQ-25 in Total Score at Week 24 (LOCF)

[Time Frame: Baseline and at Week 24]

The NEI VFQ-25 assesses visual function and quality of life. Total score ranges from 0-100 with a score of 0 being the worst outcome and 100 being the best outcome. The NEI VFQ questionnaire is organized as a collection of subscales which are all scored from 0-100. To reach the overall composite score, each sub-scale score is averaged in order to give each sub-scale equal weight.

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Ages Eligible for Study:

18 Years and older (Adult, Older Adult)

Sexes Eligible for Study:

All

Accepts Healthy Volunteers:

No

Criteria**Inclusion Criteria:**

- Subjects at least 18 years of age with center-involved macular edema secondary to CRVO with mean central retinal thickness ≥ 250 μm on OCT

• ETDRS best corrected visual acuity of 20/40 to 20/200 (73 to 24 letters) in the study eye

Exclusion Criteria:

- Previous treatment with anti-angiogenic drugs in the study eye (Pegaptanib sodium, anecortave acetate, bevacizumab, ranibizumab, etc.)
- Prior panretinal laser photocoagulation or macular laser photocoagulation in the study eye
- CRVO disease duration > 9 months from date of diagnosis
- Previous use of intraocular corticosteroids in the study eye or use of periocular corticosteroids in the study eye within the 3 months prior to Day 1
- Iris neovascularization, vitreous hemorrhage, traction retinal detachment, or preretinal fibrosis involving the macula in either the study eye or fellow eye

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