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Reduction the Duration of Antibiotic Therapy in the Elderly (PROPAGE) (PROPAGE)



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Brief Summary:

The main objective is to evaluate the interest of the repeated measurement of procalcitonin in patients with pulmonary infection to reduce the duration of antibiotic therapy in comparison with a conventional clinical strategy.

Condition or disease ⓘ	Intervention/treatment ⓘ	Phase ⓘ
Lung Infection	Other: procalcitonine	Not Applicable

Study DesignGo to [Study Type](#) ⓘ : Interventional (Clinical Trial)Actual [Enrollment](#) ⓘ : 117 participants

Allocation: Randomized

Intervention Model: Parallel Assignment

Masking: None (Open Label)

Primary Purpose: Other

Official Title: Reduction of the Duration of Antibiotic Guided by Procalcitonin in Infections Lungs of Hospitalized Elderly: a Randomized

Actual [Study Start Date](#) ⓘ : August 2012Actual [Primary Completion Date](#) ⓘ : December 2015Actual [Study Completion Date](#) ⓘ : March 2016

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<u>Arm</u> ⓘ	<u>Intervention/treatment</u> ⓘ
<p>Experimental: Procalcitonine</p> <p>every 2 days, they will receive the dose of PCT and decide to stop antibiotic treatment according to the algorithm 2. They will notify the results of clinical evaluations in the electronics and all adverse event report forms.</p>	<p>Other: procalcitonine</p> <p>The recommendations will be based on the level of PCT: 4 levels of advice will be given:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It is highly recommended to stop antibiotics if PCT <0.1ng/ml, and the recommended stop if 0.1ng/ml <PCT <0.25 ng / ml. • It is recommended to continue treatment if 0.25 ng / ml <PCT ng / ml. • Finally, if the initial PCT greater than 10 ng / ml, a stop will be advised in case of reduction to less than 10% of baseline level.
<p>No Intervention: contrôle</p> <p>Only clinical reassessments will be conducted and documented. Data on antibiotic will be listed and all adverse events. Data on the PCT from D2 to D4, D6, D8 and D15 output or will not be available to the prescriber.</p>	

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Primary Outcome Measures :

1. Duration of antibiotic therapy [Time Frame: Success of antibiotic therapy within 45 days of inclusion]

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Ages Eligible for Study: 80 Years and older (Older Adult)

Sexes Eligible for Study: All

Accepts Healthy Volunteers: No

Criteria

Inclusion Criteria:

- Age \geq 80 years
- Started antibiotics for a chest infection
- Procalcitonin performed J0 antibiotic treatment
- Person affiliated to the social security

Exclusion Criteria:

- Patients with a documented infection with germs after Listeria spp, Legionella pneumophilia, Mycobacterium tuberculosis
- Patients with a documented infection with a virus or parasite (eg hemorrhagic fever, malaria)
- Patients with endovascular infection associated (endocarditis, pacemaker. Intravascular catheter)
- Patients with lung abscess associated upon entry Patients with a chronic infection associated
- Patients with severe immunosuppression (HIV or transplant)
- Palliative patient
- Death within 24 hours of admission to nursing units.
- Presence of antibiotic treatment for chronic infection.
- Patient under guardianship, curatorship or any other administrative or judicial action or deprivation of the right or freedom
- Patients hospitalized without their consent

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