

using a compounder or via other method (8% each). *Organisations not using AIO PN*: 43% of organisations were not planning to use AIO PN or didn't know and 15% planned to start in the future. 42% selected 'other' and gave comments, primarily relating to avoiding AIO PN for neonates, e.g. need to use neonatal network PN (split-phase) or prefer flexibility to stop lipid in case of adverse effects. Eleven organisations answered, 'Why are you thinking of using AIO PN?' – examples included releasing aseptic capacity, reducing administration errors/improving safety and the long shelf life of triple-chamber AIO bags.

Conclusion AIO PN appears to be an appropriate and safe for local use and should be taken into account in national standard paediatric PN formulation design where practicable.

P43 CONCENTRATED STANDARDISED PN TO OPTIMISE NUTRITION IN PRETERM INFANTS

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Background In 2010, the NCEPOD¹ report demonstrated a lack of good nutritional care for preterm infants. Since that time various approaches have evolved including standardisation of PN,² concentrated standardised PN³ and publication of a national framework from BAPM.⁴ The delivery of nutrition to preterm infants on our unit has been continuously monitored, evaluated and adapted.

Aims The aim of this audit was to evaluate whether reformulating our PN recipes would improve nutritional intake and thus growth parameters over the first 14 days after birth.

Methods Data was collected from our EPMA system and analysed retrospectively from all infants born at our unit <28 weeks gestation or <1Kg from 16/4/2016 to 15/4/2017 (audit 1) and from 1/6/2018 to 31/5/2019 (audit 2).

Results Data from a total of 33 patients was analysed using Excel™. The mean gestation and weight were similar for both audit cycles. Audit 1: gestation 26.5 weeks, weight 0.75 kg; audit 2: gestation 26.7 weeks, weight 0.74 kg. The average time from birth to PN was less in audit 2 (12 hrs 8 mins vs 13 hrs 12 mins), however the time from PN being prescribed to being administered took over 3 times longer (5 hrs 1 min vs 1 hr 30 mins). No patient received PN within 6 hours of birth in audit 2 compared to 20% in audit 1. The average nitrogen intake was higher in audit 2 than audit 1 (0.41 g/kg/day vs 0.36 g/kg/day) and the highest protein intake increased from 0.55 g/kg/day to 0.69 g/kg/day respectively; the average energy intake decreased from 73.5 kcal/kg/day in audit 1 to 68 kcal/kg/day in audit 2. The non-nitrogen energy to nitrogen ratio was lower in audit 2 versus audit 1 (165.3 kcal/g nitrogen vs 204.7 kcal/g nitrogen). There was no change in the percentage of patients requiring insulin: 40%. More patients had started receiving lipid infusion in the first 2 days after birth in audit 2 compared to audit 1 (94% compared to 33%). Both audits had 2 patients that had still not reached their birth weight by day 14, however the patients in audit 2 gained on average 9.12 g/kg/day compared to 4.96 g/kg/day in audit 1.

Conclusion Reformulating the PN resulted in higher nitrogen intakes and higher weight gain by day 14, although the full benefit may not have been achieved due to the lower kcal intake and non-nitrogen energy to nitrogen ratio. The time

from birth to PN and the time taken to administer PN once prescribed were longer so work needs to be done on addressing these issues and reducing barriers to nutrition. The total nitrogen intake with PN and EN also needs to be reviewed to prevent excessive nitrogen intake which may result if enteral feeds increase and the rate of PN is maintained.

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P44 VACCINE IN PEDIATRIC CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE (CKD) AND HEMODIALYSIS

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Aims Chronic kidney disease is a major risk factor of vaccine preventable infectious diseases due to the altered immune system and the natural evolution of the disease. There are differences in the prescription of some vaccines for this population. The aim of this study is to elaborate a vaccination protocol for chronic kidney disease and haemodialysis patients for a better immunization coverage, care and prevention against preventable infectious diseases.

Methods The study was conducted by a multidisciplinary team composed by pharmacists, infectious disease paediatrician and nephrology paediatricians. After a literature research (in Medline with MeSH terms: 'Kidney Failure, Chronic', 'Renal Dialysis' and 'Vaccines')^{1,2}, we compared the French immunization schedule³ for the general population with patient with chronic kidney disease or haemodialysis patients and confront it to the physician practice in our nephrology unit. For each vaccine, we collected the following data: indication, any difference concerning dose, schedule, re-administration, antibody titration and reason for these differences.

Results The literature analysis showed disparate practices among countries and even medical centres. The most concerned vaccines were: hepatitis A and B virus vaccine, pneumococcal vaccine, flu and measles vaccines. The difference between vaccine scheduled concerned the indication (meningococcus A, B, C, Y and W135, papillomavirus), dose (hepatitis B), the schedule (hepatitis B, hepatitis A, pneumococcal, measles), re-administration (hepatitis B, varicella), antibody titration (hepatitis B, varicella). Patients with chronic kidney disease are more susceptible to develop hepatitis B infection. As for adult population, the haemodialysis patients are vaccinated with double dose⁴ of hepatitis B vaccine. The antibodies

titration at our hospital is made twice a year and anti-HBs level needed are 30 to 50 IU/mL. Hepatitis A is a recommended vaccine for risk population including haemodialysis patients and chronic kidney disease patients. The vaccination schedule is the same for haemodialysis patients with two doses but the second dose is administered earlier, i.e. six months after the first with an antibody screening. For the pneumococcal vaccine, an additional dose is administered at 3 month of age for premature and at risk children and the conjugated vaccine potentiates the polysidic vaccine. For measles, the second dose may be omitted if the antibody titration confirms the protection to allow the patient to be registered earlier on the renal transplant list. Flu vaccination is recommended with the same dose and schedule that the other patients, but tetra-valent vaccines should always be chosen.

Conclusions Children with chronic kidney disease or on haemodialysis are more at risk of vaccine preventable infectious diseases and should be vaccinated earlier before beginning dialysis. The specific immunization schedule will be presented and may be used by other hospital and countries for concerned patients.

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ENOXAPARIN AND TINZAPARIN IN PEDIATRICS: IMPACT OF PRESCRIPTION RECOMMENDATIONS ON PRESCRIPTION QUALITY AND ANTI-XA LEVELS

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Aims Enoxaparin and tinzaparin, two low-molecular-weight heparins (LMWH), are used in paediatrics with multiples advantages such as facility of administration, reduced frequency of side effects, reduced drug interaction. However, their use is at higher risk of error in prescription, dosage, dilution or administration.¹ The monitoring of efficacy is based on the dosage of anti-Xa level with a target between 0.5 and 1 IU/mL (0.4 to 1.2 IU/mL tolerated in our hospital).^{2,3,4} This dosage is performed on a routine basis in patients with curative treatment. A protocol was written by a multidisciplinary team (nephrologist, neonatologist, haematologist, cardiologist, paediatrician and pharmacist) in order to standardize the prescriptions of LMWH within the hospital

for patients aged between 0 and 18. The aim of this study consists in the analysis of prescriptions of enoxaparin and tinzaparin and the anti-Xa levels before/after the dissemination of the protocol during the summer of 2017.

Methods This is a retrospective observational study in our mother-child teaching hospital in France. Any patient hospitalized in 2016 and 2018 and who received a prescription for enoxaparin or tinzaparin was included in the study. Exclusion criteria were: patients hospitalized in obstetrics and gynaecology and patients over 18 years old. Prescribing throughout the hospital is computerized and involves PCS[®] software (IBM, Armonk, NY, USA). Data collected concerned the patient (age, weight, first anti-Xa level, unit), the drug prescribed (dosage expressed in IU, first dosage expressed in IU/kg depending on the patient's age and/or weight, the frequency of administration and the dilution when necessary and if it is conform to the protocol). This study has been approved by our ethics review board in March 2019.

Results In 2016 2,246 prescriptions for 630 patients were analyzed (601 patients had only enoxaparin, 7 only tinzaparin and 22 had a switch between the two heparins). In 2018 we studied 2,061 prescriptions for 629 patients (591 patients had only enoxaparin, 10 only tinzaparin and 28 had a switch). The conformity was improved concerning the first dose expressed in IU/kg (34.8% then 52.1% for enoxaparin and 69.2% then 80.0% for tinzaparin), the dosage and frequency (28.7% then 43.8% for enoxaparin and 69.2% then 80.0% for tinzaparin), the dilution specified (66.7% then 73.1%) and the dilution conform to protocol (29.4% then 66.4%). However, we observed a slight decrease in the conformity concerning the unit in IU/administration (84.5% then 80.2%) with dose expressed in mL, mg or 'referred to protocol'. The rate of conform first anti-Xa levels (between 0.4 and 1.2 IU/mL) improved from 26.6% among 158 dosages in 2016 to 44.1% among 118 dosages in 2018.

Conclusions The overall results show an improvement in the prescription of enoxaparin and tinzaparin and in the anti-Xa levels since the dissemination of the protocol for prescribing physicians. This whole protocol will be presented in the poster and may be used by other hospitals.

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DOSE-BANDING LIMITS FOR COMMONLY PRESCRIBED MEDICATIONS FOR CHILDREN IN THE UK

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Aim Currently, majority of prescribed medication doses are calculated according to a child's body weight without