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Overall Recruitment Status : Completed (Has Results)

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Ethics Review

1. Board Approval : Submitted, approved
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Source(s) of Monetary or Material Supports : N/A
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Protocol Synopsis

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Health Conditions

Health Condition(s) or Problem(s) Studied : Postoperative pain after foot ankle surgery.
Keywords : Foot ankle surgery Spinal anesthesia Intrathecal morphine Peripheral nerve blocks

Eligibility

Inclusion Criteria : medical records of patients who underwent foot ankle surgery between 2013-2020. Patients underwent foot

ankle surgery under spinal anesthesia combined with either intrathecal morphine or peripheral nerve blocks.

Gender : Both

Age Limit : Minimum : 15 Years Maximum : 85 Years

Exclusion Criteria : NA

Accept Healthy Volunteers : No

Status

Overall Recruitment Status : Completed

Key Trial Dates Study Start Date (First enrollment) : 11 August 2020 Indicate Type : Actual

Completion Date (Last subject, Last visit) : 22 December 2024 Indicate Type : Actual

Study Completion Date : 22 April 2025 Indicate Type : Actual

Design

Study Type : Observational

Primary Purpose : Treatment

Number of Groups : 2

Study Endpoint Classification : N/A

Sample size

Planned sample size : 114

Actual sample size at study completion : 114

Observation Group 1

Group name : SBPNB

Group Description : spinal anesthesia + US-guided peripheral nerve blocks

Observation Group 2

Group name : SBMO

Group Description : spinal anesthesia + Intrathecal morphine 0.1 mg

Outcome

Primary Outcome

1. Outcome Name : proportion of patients who required rescue analgesic medication during the first postoperative 24 hours

Metric / Method of measurement : number of patients required rescue analgesic within the first 24 hours

Time point : 24 hours

Secondary Outcome

1. Outcome Name : mean pain scores in patients at the 6th , 12th , and 24th hours after surgery

Metric / Method of measurement : Numerical rating scale (NRS)

Time point : 6,12,24 hours

2. Outcome Name : Side effects of intrathecal morphine

Metric / Method of measurement : number of patients with side effects required treatment

Time point : 6,12,24 hours

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Summary Results

Date of posting of results summaries : 30 May 2025

Date of first journal publication of results : Not yet published

Baseline Characteristics : Patients who received spinal anesthesia and peripheral nerve blocks for postoperative analgesia and patients who received spinal anesthesia and 0.1 mg of intrathecal morphine. As selection bias and imbalance of prognostic determinants are likely to occur in this observational, non-randomized therapeutic research, we performed a propensity score matching between the 2 groups before the estimation of the treatment effects. We calculated the propensity score to estimate the probability of each patient receiving intrathecal morphine by logistic regression. Our propensity score model included age, complex foot ankle surgery, insertional Achilles tendinopathy, BMI more than 30, and expected surgical time more than 2 hours. We matched the patient who received intrathecal morphine to the patients who received peripheral nerve blocks with a one-to-one ratio.

Participant Flow : A total of 1093 anesthetic records of patients who underwent foot ankle surgery between January 2013 and December 2020 were screened and thoroughly reviewed. Foot ankle procedures included in this study are listed in Table 1. A total of 328 patients received either spinal anesthesia with 0.1 mg of intrathecal morphine (SBMO) or spinal anesthesia with US-guided peripheral nerve blocks (SBPNB): 273 and 55, respectively (Fig.1).

Adverse events : none

Outcome Measures : 1.Primary endpoint was the proportion of patients who required rescue analgesic medication during the first postoperative 24 hours. 2.Secondary outcomes were mean pain scores in patients at the 6th, 12th, and 24th hours after surgery, side effects from peripheral nerve blocks such as ecchymosis, persistent numbness, and neuropathic pain related to nerve injury from peripheral nerve blocks, and side effects of intrathecal morphine including respiratory depression, nausea vomiting, pruritus, and urinary retention required catheterization.

Brief Summary of Results : Proportion of patients who required rescue analgesic in SBMO group was significantly lower than SBPNB. (aHR 0.26 with 95% CI: 0.09,0.72), p value 0.010) (Fig.2).

Deidentified Individual Participant-level Data Sharing

Plan to share IPD : No

Reason : Fear of inappropriate use of data

Publication from this study

MEDLINE Identifier : No Data

URL link to full text publication : No Data
