Synopsis

Faslodex Observations during Regular Use for metastased Mammacarcinoma

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Primary objective:

To test for clinically significant differences in Time to Treatment Failure (TTF) between patients with ER⁺PgR⁺ and patients with ER⁺PgR⁻ tumour status

Secondary objectives:

- To determine whether disease or tumour characteristics have an influence on the Time to Treatment Failure (TTF). This includes the following factors: treatment line, HER2/neu, WHO-status and Estrogen or progesterone receptor concentration in tumor-tissue.
- To test for interactions between any of those factors (if relevant).

First Patient First Visit:

25 July 2005.

Last Patient Last Visit:

10 October 2008.

Number of patients:

In total 87 patients were included in the study. Of these patients 83 were included in the efficacy analysis.

Main criteria for inclusion:

Postmenopausal women with locally advanced or metastatic hormone sensitive (ER^+ and/or PgR^+) breast cancer who according to their physician can start with 250 mg/5 ml Faslodex.

Criteria for evaluation:

Efficacy:

- Comparison of Time to Treatment Failure (TTF) between patients with ER⁺PgR⁺ and patients with ER⁺PgR⁻ tumor status.
- Influence of other baseline factors like treatment line, WHO-status, distant metastases, HER2/neu receptor status and receptor concentration on TTF.
- Patient evaluation of Faslodex treatment.

Safety:

- Treatment compliance and administration.
- All reported adverse events and serious adverse events.

Results:

The mean graphs and Kaplan-Meier curves indicate that the following factors might have a shortening effect on the TTF:

- administration as a 2nd line of treatment
- WHO score 2 (compared to score 1 and 0)
- distant visceral metastases

In addition, the patients in the ER+PgR+ tumour group had a slightly longer mean TTF, a higher percentage of censored patients and a higher median TTF. This could indicate that those patients are more likely to have a response to Faslodex treatment.

Overall, two serious adverse events were reported in two patients. Both were reported to be related to the study drug.