

Abatacept for the Treatment of Giant Cell Arteritis

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Status	RECRUITING
Phase	Phase 3
Sponsor	University of Pennsylvania
Enrollment	78 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (11)

- A diagnosis of newly diagnosed or relapsing GCA. Diagnostic criteria for GCA
- A patient will be said to have GCA by meeting 3 of 5 of the following modified ACR criteria for the classification of GCA in which 1 of the 3 must consist of criteria 4 or 5:
- Age at disease onset \leq 50 years.
- New onset or new type of localized pain in the head.
- ESR of \geq 40 mm in the first hour by the Westergren method or CRP measurement above the laboratory normal limit.

... and 6 more (see full listing online)

Exclusion (44)

- Evidence of a recent acute infection defined as:
- Any acute infection within 60 days prior to randomization that required hospitalization or treatment with parenteral antibiotics.
- Any acute infection within 30 days prior to randomization that required oral antimicrobial or antiviral therapy.
- Patients with history of chronic or recurrent bacterial infection (such as chronic pyelonephritis, osteomyelitis, and bronchiectasis etc.).
- Patients with a history of recurrent herpes zoster (more than 1 episode) or disseminated (more than 1 dermatome) herpes zoster or disseminated herpes simplex, or ophthalmic zoster. Symptoms of herpes zoster or herpes simplex must have resolved more than 60 days prior to screening.

... and 39 more (see full listing online)

Locations (9 total)

Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota, United States
Hospital for Special Surgery, New York, New York, United States
Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio, United States

... and 6 more locations