

Low Dose Dexmedetomidine Versus Normal Saline in Multiple Fracture Ribs

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Status	RECRUITING
Phase	Phase 3
Sponsor	Assiut University
Enrollment	60 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (5)

- Adults (age 18-65 years) of American Society of Anaesthesiologists (ASA) physical status I-II
- Traumatic multiple fracture ribs 3 ribs or more, who will be subjected to thorough assessments including chest 3D-CT
- Undergoing conservative treatment (chest strappings)
- Intractable pain with visual analogue scale (VAS) over 6 after traditional therapies
- Glasgow Coma Scale (GCS) e 13.

Exclusion (10)

- Multiple traumas to body parts other than chest with an abbreviated injury scale over 3
- Serious head trauma with a Glasgow coma scale lower than 13
- Mechanically ventilated patients
- Massive hemothorax
- Injury to the trachea or bronchus with requirement for immediate surgery
- ... and 5 more (see full listing online)

Locations (1 total)

Assiut university hospital, Asyut, Assuit, Egypt