

The Analgesic Efficacy and Safety of Venlafaxine for Prevention of Postherpetic Neuralgia in Patients With Acute Herpes Zoster

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Status	RECRUITING
Phase	Not Applicable
Sponsor	Beijing Tiantan Hospital
Enrollment	832 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (6)

- \. Ages more than 18 years;
- \. Patients with onset of HZ rash less than 30 days;
- \. Experiencing moderate to severe HZ pain with an average pain score of at least 4 on a Numeric Rating Scale (NRS, 0 = no pain, 10 = worst possible pain);
- \. Aspartate aminotransferase and alanine aminotransferase levels less than twice the upper limit of normal;
- \. Estimated glomerular filtration rate of 30 mL/min per 1.73 m² or higher;
- ... and 1 more (see full listing online)

Exclusion (6)

- \. HZ with head, neck, ocular, mucous membrane, cranial nerve, or central nervous system involvement or generalized HZ;
- Known hypersensitivity to venlafaxine;
- History of major depressive disorder requiring antidepressant therapy;
- History of systemic immune diseases, organ transplantation, or cancers;
- Pregnancy or lactation;
- ... and 1 more (see full listing online)

Locations (1 total)

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