

PAEDIATRIC

2000

MCP kids

RCT/Mercaptopurine/ pediatric CD/ Induction&Maintenance

Conclusion:

MCP lessens the need for prednisone & improves maintenance of remission. MCP should be part of the initial treatment regimen for children with newly diagnosed moderate-to-severe CD.

2004

BUDE/PRED
kids

RCT/steroids (Budesonide vs prednisone)/paediatricCD/Induction

Conclusion

Significantly fewer side effects & less adrenal suppression observed with budesonide. Remission rates were not significantly different in the two groups. However, there was a trend for prednisolone to be more effective for inducing remission.

2005

LGG kids

RCT/LGG (Probiotic Lactobacillus rhamnosus strain GG) /paediatricCD/Induction

Conclusion

This study suggests that LGG does not prolong time to relapse in children with CD when given as an adjunct to standard therapy.

2007

REACH

OL/ IFX 5 mg/kg q8w vs IFX 5mg/kg q12w after induction Mod-sev pediatric CD/ Induction&Maintenance

Conclusion:

IFX in pediatric CD q8w more likely to achieve clinical response & remission at w54 than q12w .

2012

IMAgINE

Phase 3/ADA/paediatric CD/Induction & maintenance

Conclusion

ADA induced & maintained clinical remission of children with CD, with a safety profile comparable to that of adult patients with CD. More children who received high compared with low dose were in remission at w26, but the difference between dose groups was not significant.

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2013

Thalidomide

RCT/ Thalidomide vs placebo / CD/ Induction
Conclusion

In pediatric refractory CD, thalidomide vs placebo resulted in improved clinical remission at w8 & longer-term maintenance of remission in an open-label follow-up. These findings require replication to definitively determine clinical utility of this treatment.

2013

IFX Kids

OL phase 3/ IFX/paediatric UC/ Maintenance
Conclusion

IFX pharmacokinetic in patients with UC aged 6-17 years comparable to adult UC, supporting using IFX 5 mg/kg at weeks 0, 2, and 6 followed by 5 mg/kg q8w. A positive relationship was noted between serum IFX level and clinical effect following induction similar to adults.

2014

5ASA dose
kids

RCT/ 5ASA high vs low dose/ pediatric UC/ Induction
Conclusion:

Both low- and high-dose oral, delayed-release mesalamine doses were equally effective as short-term treatment of mild-moderately active UC in children, without a specific benefit or risk to using either dose.

2014

GROWTH-CD

OL/All drugs/ pediatric CD/ Induction
Conclusion:

Normal CRP steroid-free remission at w12 was impacted by type of induction therapy, but not by early immunomodulation. It was associated with more steroid-free remission at w52 & a trend for less relapses.

2015

Thalidomide

RCT/Thalidomide vs placebo / UC /Induction
Conclusion

In UC refractory to immunosuppressive therapy, thalidomide vs placebo resulted in improved clinical remission at w8 & longer term maintenance of remission. These findings require replication in larger clinical studies evaluating both thalidomide efficacy and safety.

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2015

MTX kids
PO/SC

Observational/ MTX SC vs PO/ pediatric CD

Conclusion:

SC administered MTX was superior to PO, but only in some of the outcomes and with a modest effect size. Therefore, it may be reasonable to consider switching children in complete remission treated with SC MTX to the oral route with close monitoring of inflammatory markers and growth.

2017

GOLI kids

OL/ Golimumab/paediatric UC / Induction

Conclusion:

Pediatric and adult golimumab pharmacokinetics are similar. Clinical benefit and safety shows promise in biologically naive pediatric patients with UC.

2019

PAILOT

Phase 3/ ADA/ pediatric CD/ Remission

Conclusion:

Proactive monitoring of ADA trough concentrations and adjustment of doses and intervals resulted in significantly higher rates corticosteroid free clinical remission than reactive monitoring in pediatric CD.

2020

PRASCO

RCT/ Antibiotics/paediatric UC/Induction

Conclusion:

Quadruple therapy antibiotics in addition to IVCS improved disease activity on day 5, but larger studies are needed to determine whether this is associated with improved long-term outcomes.

2020

PRESENCE

Obs/EEN/ pediatricCD/ Induction

Conclusion:

EEN administered for 6-8w is effective for inducing clinical remission. Due to high response rate, EEN should be used as first-line therapy in luminal pediatric CD regardless of disease location and activity.

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2021

UNISTAR

phase 1 RCT/UST/ pediatric CD/
Conclusion:

Pharmacokinetics/safety profiles were generally consistent with those observed in adults with Crohn's disease

2021

ENVISION I

RCT phase 3/ ADA high dose vs standard vs placebo / pediatric UC / Safety&efficacy
Conclusion:

ADA better than placebo in pediatric UC. High induction dose and high maintenance dose better than standard dose in pediatric UC

2022

TISkids

RCT/ IFX (FL-first line) vs conventional/paediatric CD/Induction
Conclusion

FL-IFX was superior to conventional treatment in achieving short-term clinical and endoscopic remission, and had greater likelihood of maintaining clinical remission at week 52 on azathioprine monotherapy.

2022

HUBBLE

Phase 2/VDZ/ paediatric IBD/ Pharmacokinetic
Conclusion:

Quadruple therapy antibiotics in addition to IVCS improved disease activity on day 5, but larger studies are needed to determine whether this is associated with improved long-term outcomes.

2023

VEDOKIDS

Prospective cohort/ VDZ in kids with IBD/Induction of remission
Conclusion

VDZ safe and effective at inducing remission in children with IBD at 14 weeks, especially those with UC. In children who weigh less than 30 kg, VDZ should be dosed by the child's body surface area (200 mg/m²) or weight (10 mg/kg)