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Melatonin Eluting Layers,

An Investigative Study for Safety and Accuracy



Melatonin

(N-acetyl-5-methoxytryptamine)

Detoxifies oxygen-based

radicals/reactive species

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Pineal gland

Stimulates antioxidative enzymes

Wide intracellular distribution

Inhibits pro-oxidative enzvme

Reduces

NF-KB binding to DNA

Reduces pro-inflammatory cytokines molecules

Reduces adhesion

Increases efficiency of

oxidative phosphorylation

Stabilizes cellular membranes

A human hormone produced in the pineal gland, mainly to control the biological clock and 24h rhythm

- Known for several beneficial effects on cardiovascular disease
- Extensive animal and cell biology data prove strong reduction of proliferation without any cell death

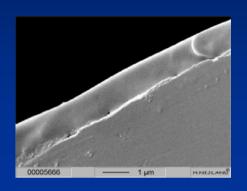
radicals/reactive species Crosses all morphophysiological barriers

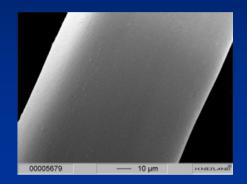
Bio-compatible

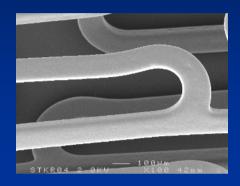
- No toxic dose
- Anti-cancer effect
- Strong antioxidant
- Inhibition of NO tolerance
- Cardio protective
- Suppresses formation of cholesterol
- Reduces blood pressure



PEA bio-degradable coating







- PEA is based on natural amino- and fatty acids, which means it is fully biocompatible and non-toxic and non-inflammatory. Therefore it is not necessary to overcome toxicity and inflammatory responses of the coating.
- The active compounds are released through the bio-absorption of the delivery layers ensuring all drugs and coating is gone after 60 days; NO LATE THROMBOSIS RISK FACTORS.
- Human data of the coating (Noblesse Study) indicated efficacy and safety (late loss at 24months FU: 0.69)

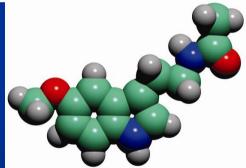


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Non-Toxic and safe next generation through vessel healing



Drug: Melatonin
 Nitric Oxide preserving
 Anti-inflammatory
 Strong anti-oxidant

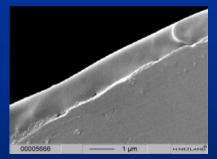


Drug carrier: PEA

Fully bio-degradable and bio-absorbable coating

Platform:

Blue Medical XTRM FIT Coronary Stent System





Primary Endpoint

 Six-month follow-up in—stent restenosis and late loss determinated by QCA and IVUS



Secondary Endpoints

- MACE at 30,60 days and 12 months
- Binary restenosis rate at 6 months
- Acute, subacute, late stent thrombosis
- Functional class



Baseline Patient Demographics

• Number 13

• Female 7.7%



Baseline Lesion Characteristics, N=13

- Lesion RCA 31%, RDA 69%
- Type A 7.7%, B 92.3%
- Tortuosity: none 84.6%, moderate 15.4%
- Calcification: none 84.6, moderate 15.4%



Procedural, N=13

- Pre/post dilatation: 23.1%/15.4%
- Stent length (mm): 14 (38.5%), 18 (61.5%)
- Stent diameter (mm): 3.0 (46.2%), 3.5 (53.8%)



• In-hospital events:

- Days from procedure-discharge: 0.85
- No complications



• 1 month:

- No angina: 76.9%
- CCS class I-II-III: each 7.7%



• 6 month:

- No angina: 76.9%
- CCS II: 23.1%
- No stent thrombosis, MI 7.7%, no death
- Additional PCI's: 23.1% (TLR), 7.7% (TVR)



Angiographic data:

- Pre PCI: Ref Ø 2.75, length 13.43
- Post PCI: MLD 2.61
- 6 month: MLD 1.56



• IVUS:

- MLD: 2.66, 6 month: MLD 2.15
- Stent volume: 110.6, 6 month: 106.8



- Conclusion:
- In the first 13 pt

- recurrent angina pectoris: +/- 23% (CCS II)
- re-PCI (TLR): 23%



Conclusion:

 Concept is proven feasible and save. Next phase improvement will be tested in further clinical trials

