

Comparison of Surgery and Medicine on the Impact of Diverticulitis (COSMID) Trial

Status: RECRUITING

Eligibility Criteria

Age: 18 years and over

This study is NOT accepting healthy

Healthy Volunteers: volunteers

Inclusion Criteria:

1. Adults ≥ 18 years 2. At least one episode of diverticulitis confirmed by CT scan (or pending confirmation) and a colonoscopy (completed or scheduled) to rule out or screen for other colon pathology concordant with screening guidelines; AND A. History of recurrent uncomplicated diverticulitis without current symptoms (AUD in remission); OR B. Persistent signs, symptoms, and concerns related to diverticular disease ≥ 3 months after recovery from an episode of AUD (e.g., excluding irritable bowel syndrome and other conditions in coordination with gastroenterologist)

Exclusion Criteria:

1. Unable or unwilling to return or be contacted for and/or complete research surveys; 2. Currently incarcerated in a detention facility or in police custody (patients wearing a monitoring device can be enrolled) at baseline/screening; 3. Previous operation for diverticulitis 4. Current diagnosis or previous endoscopic or surgical interventions for fistula or stricture or current significant bleeding related to diverticular disease. 5. Right-sided diverticulitis 6. Comorbid or prior surgical conditions that contraindicate elective surgery (e.g., liver failure, renal failure, malignancy, "frozen abdomen") 7. Actively undergoing chemotherapy or radiation for malignancy 8. Immunodeficiency (e.g., absolute neutrophil count $< 500/\text{mm}^3$, chronic immunosuppressive drugs (e.g., oral corticosteroids, anti-TNF agents), or known AIDS [i.e., recent CD4 count < 200] assessed by patient history); 9. Taking prescription medication to treat active inflammatory bowel disease (e.g., Crohn's, ulcerative colitis); 10. Taking prescription medication for irritable bowel syndrome; 11. Pregnant or expectation of becoming pregnant in the 30 days following baseline/screening; 12. Prior enrollment in the study or other investigational drug or vaccine while on study treatment; 13. Abdominal/pelvic surgery in the past month

Conditions & Interventions

Interventions:

PROCEDURE: Partial Colectomy, OTHER: Medical Management

Conditions:

Diverticulitis

More Information

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