## Title of the learning unit: Drugs affecting hemostasis

## Impact of the learning unit:

Gaining knowledge about the possibilities how to pharmacologically interfere with the process of hemostasis, what pharmacotherapeutic targets and the possible side effects for each drug classes expected.

## Important terms

## anticoagulants

interfering directly with the process of hemocoagulation

heparin and its derivatives

unfractionated heparin (UFH)

low molecular weight heparin (LMWH)

dalte**parin** 

enoxa**parin** 

nadro**parin** 

protamine sulfate

HIT

aPTT

thrombin inhibitors

### dabi**gatran**

idarucizumab

direct factor Xa inhibitors

### rivaro**xaban**

### api**xaban**

### edo**xaban**

vitamin K antagonists

warfarin

INR

# fibrinolytics / thrombolytics

#### alte**plase**

rete**plase** 

tenekte**plase** 

## antifibrinolytics

tranexamic acid aminomethylbenzoic acid

## antiplatelet agents

COX inhibitors

ASA

indobufen

drugs increasing the level of cAMP by inhibiting phosphodiesterase

dipyridamole

cilostazol

pentoxifyline

drugs inhibiting the formation of fibrinogen bridges between plateles

by blocking P2Y12 purinergic receptor for ADP

thienopyridines

ticlopidine

clopidogrel

prasu**grel** 

non-thienopyridines

tica**grelor** 

can**grelor** 

by blocking glycoprotein IIb / IIIa receptor for fibrinogen

eptifibatide

abciximab

thrombin receptor PAR-1 antagonists

vorapaxar

#### hemostatics

## with vasoconstrictor effect

etamsylate

terlipresin

#### without vasoconstrictor effect

carboxycellulose

firbrine sealant

bi-component tissue adhesives (fibrinogen + aprotinin with thrombin)

gelatin, gelatin sponge

## antianemics

iron

orally - iron salts injection-iron salts

vitamin  $B_{12}$ 

folic acid

haemopoietic growth factors

erythropoetin

epoetin

darbepoetin

### Learning outcomes

Student knows to name the various drug groups affecting hemostasis.

Student knows the basic pharmacological profile (mechanism of action, side effects, indications and contraindications) of anticoagulants.

Student knows the basic pharmacological profile (mechanism of action, side effects, indications and contraindications) of antiplatelet agents

Student knows the basic pharmacological profile (mechanism of action, side effects, indications and contraindications) of fybrinolytics and antifibrinolytics.

Student knows the basic pharmacological profile (mechanism of action, side effects, indications and contraindications) of hemostatics and antianemics.

# **Study literature**

Rang & Dale's Pharmacology E - Book, Humphrey Rang 8th edition, 2016, chapter 24, str. 293

Study materials to subjects aVLFA0822c and aVLFA0822p.

## **Exam questions**

*Special pharmacology:* 38. Antiplatelet drugs, 39. Fibrinolytics and antifibrinolytics, 40. Anticoagulants, 41. Antianemics, hemostatics

*"Essential" drugs:* 88. warfarin, 89. enoxaparin, 90. clopidogrel, 91. dabigatran, 92. rivaroxaban, 93. alteplase