CHAPTER 6

CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATION

In treatment of first episode lateral epicondylitis, the steroid injection has better efficacy than 200 mg of celecoxib in one-month period. We can not find the difference in 2 and 3 month period due to the contamination with steroid injection. We do not recommend using celecoxib 200 mg in treatment of lateral epicondylitis. Although it has low GI side effects.

From results of our interim analysis, we have to stop our study. Otherwise it will more harm to the patients in celecoxib group.