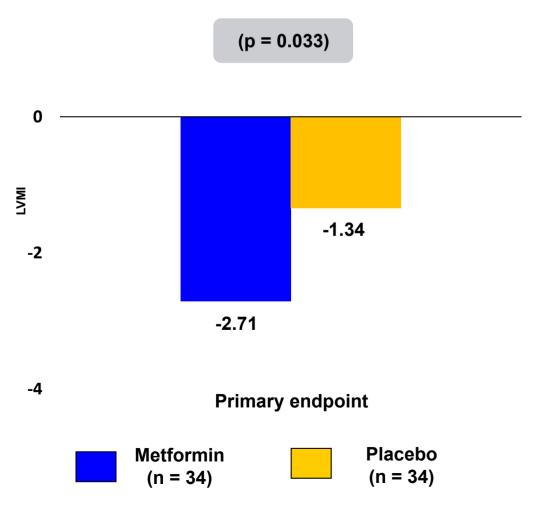
MET-REMODEL



Trial Description: Patients who met selection criteria were randomized to metformin XL 1000 mg twice daily vs. placebo for 12 months. Subjects randomized to metformin started at a dose of 500 mg twice daily for 2 weeks.



RESULTS

- Primary efficacy endpoint: change in LV mass indexed to height (LVMI), was -2.71 g/m in the metformin group vs. -1.34 g/m in the placebo group (p = 0.033)
- Change in body weight: -3.6 kg in the metformin group vs. -0.01 kg in the placebo group (p = 0.001)
- Change in systolic blood pressure: -4.8 mm Hg in the metformin group vs. 4.3 mm
 Hg in the placebo group (p = 0.022)

CONCLUSIONS

- Among patients with coronary artery disease/LV hypertrophy/insulin resistance, metformin vs. placebo was effective at regressing LV hypertrophy
- Metformin was also effective at weight loss and reduction in blood pressure

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