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Reaction Conditions Astressin 2b (1 μ M) overnight

Applications Ach-mediated effects on cell adhesion are blocked by astressin 2b, a CRF2 antagonist, suggesting that Ach action depends partly on CRF2 signaling.

Animal experiment [2]:

Animal models Male Sprague-Dawley rats (240-280 g)

Preparation Method The animals were administered indomethacin and killed 24 h later under deep ether anesthesia. Ucn I (a CRFR1 and CRFR2 agonist: 20 μ g/kg) or astressin (a nonselective CRFR antagonist: 50 μ g/kg) was given i.v. 10 min before the administration of indomethacin. NBI-27914 or astressin 2B (60 μ g/kg) was given i.v. 10 min before the administration of Ucn I or indomethacin.

Dosage form 60 μ g/kg astressin 2B

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Background

Astressin 2B is selective and potent antagonist of corticotropin-releasing factor receptor 2 (CRF2) (IC50 values are 1.3 and > 500 nM for CRF2 and CRF1 respectively) that

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antagonizes CRF2-mediated inhibition of gastric emptying.

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Astressin-2B also exacerbated the intestinal ulcerogenic response induced by indomethacin. Urocortin I prevented indomethacin-induced intestinal lesions, together with the suppression of bacterial invasion and an increase in mucosal MPO activity and iNOS expression. Urocortin I suppressed the hypermotility response to indomethacin, and this effect was also abrogated by astressin-2B^[2]. In mice, Central administration of Ucn1 increased significantly the number of entries into the chamber of the unknown male, without changing the time of interaction and this effect was blocked by astressin2B^[1]. NmU, a potent endogenous anorectic, serves as a catabolic signaling molecule in the brain. For an investigation of the possible role of receptors in mediating hyperthermia, the animals were treated with astressin 2B, a CRH2 receptor antagonist. NmU increased the colon temperature, maximal action being observed at 2-3h^[3].

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