

# CCN013C: the emergency contraception study

The two emergency contraceptive (EC) pills on the market are



levonorgestrel  
1.5mg (common  
name Plan B)



ulipristal acetate  
30mg (common  
name ella)

Emergency contraceptive pills may be less effective for women over 176 lbs.

The most effective method of emergency contraception is a copper IUD inserted within five days of unprotected sex.



The Center for Family Planning Research is conducting a research study to expand emergency contraceptive options for women over 176 lbs.

Participants will come to Magee-Womens Hospital for one study visit. There will also be two or three follow up phone calls.

At the visit, you will be randomly assigned to one of the following emergency contraception treatment groups:

One dose  
(1.5mg) LNG  
+ one placebo pill



One dose  
(30mg) of UPA  
+ one placebo pill



Two doses  
(3mg) of LNG



If you....

- ✓ weigh more than 176 lbs
- ✓ need emergency contraception (EC) because you had unprotected sex or condom breakage in the past 72 hours
- ✓ do not want a copper IUD for EC

....you may be eligible to participate in our study.

Eligible participants may be compensated up to \$325.

Call us

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or

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