# **Prometheus Perfusion Study.**

No registrations found.

**Ethical review** Positive opinion **Status** Recruiting

Health condition type -

**Study type** Interventional

## **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON20532

Source

Nationaal Trial Register

**Health condition** 

Pulmonary embolism longembolie

### **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** University Medical Center

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: University Medical Center

### Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

The diagnostic accuracy of the perfsuion scan criteria in comparison to CT scan.

### **Secondary outcome**

- 1. Positive predictive value;
- 2. Negative predictive value;

3. Proportion of diagnostic Q scans.

## **Study description**

### **Background summary**

CT scanning has become a standard test in the diagnostic workup of patients with suspected PE. However, young patients, especially women, likely have an increased risk of (breast) cancer due to radiation exposure with CT scanning. Perfusion scanning has a much lower radiation exposure burden. Therefore, in this study, the accuracy of the PISAPED criteria for the evaluation of perfusion scans for the diagnosis of PE is studied in comparison to CT scan. Patients aged < or = 50 years old with suspected PE who need CT scanning according to current diagnostic work up criteria (i.e. either a 'likely' or 'high' clinical probability or an abnormal D-dimer test) will undergo perfusion scintigraphy. Q scan and CT scan will be compared for the absence or presence of PE.

### Study objective

To study the accuracy of the PISAPED perfusion scan criteria compared with CT scanning in patients aged < or = 50 years with suspected pulmonary embolism, a likley or high clinical probability and/or an abnormal D-dimer.

### Study design

Moment of diagnostic tests to rule out or confirm PE.

### Intervention

Perfusion scintigraphy, chest X-ray and CT scan in patients with likely or high clinical probablity and/or an abnormal D-dimer with suspected pulmonary embolism.

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## **Eligibility criteria**

#### Inclusion criteria

In- or outpatients aged < or = 50 years, with clinically suspected pulmonary embolism, who have a 'likely' (Wells score) or 'high' (revised Geneva score) clinical probability for pulmonary embolism and/or an abnormal D-dimer test and in hwom a cT scan will be made.

#### **Exclusion criteria**

- 1. Age <18 years or > 50 years;
- 2. Pregnancy;
- 3 (Low molecular weight) heparin for longer than 48 hours prior to eligibility assessment;
- 4. Inability to perfom a perfusion scan withing 24 hrs after CT scan;
- 5. Participation in a therapeutic study for pulmonary embolism is not an exclusion criterion.

## Study design

### **Design**

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A, unknown

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruiting

Start date (anticipated): 01-10-2008

Enrollment: 220

Type: Anticipated

### **Ethics review**

Positive opinion

Date: 08-02-2010

Application type: First submission

## **Study registrations**

### Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

No registrations found.

### Other (possibly less up-to-date) registrations in this register

No registrations found.

### In other registers

Register ID

NTR-new NL2087 NTR-old NTR2203

Other MEC LUMC - substudy : P07.266

ISRCTN wordt niet meer aangevraagd.

## Study results

### **Summary results**

N/A