Pulmonary and fitness characteristics of COVID-19 patients with persistent dyspnea and / or reduced exercise capacity

No registrations found.

Ethical review Positive opinion

Status Recruiting

Health condition type -

Study type Observational non invasive

Summary

ID

NL-OMON26467

Source

Nationaal Trial Register

Brief title

TBA

Health condition

COVID-19

Sponsors and support

Primary sponsor: not applicable

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: none

Intervention

Outcome measures

Primary outcome

Exploratory research into possible variables in CPET and pulmonary function tests that are

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abnormal after suffering from COVID-19. Therefore it is not possible to define 1 primary outcome measure.

Secondary outcome

none

Study description

Background summary

Background: There is a lack of knowledge about the recovery and possible detrimental long-term effects after COVID-19. Current clinical practice shows that some patients experience persistent symptoms after suffering from COVID-19. With this study we want to get more insight in the causes and mechanisms of these symptoms using pulmonary function tests and a cardiopulmonary exercise test (CPET).

Question: What are the pulmonary and fitness characteristics of patients who have persistent symptoms of dyspnea and / or reduced exercise capacity after suffering from COVID-19? Design: Prospective observational study.

Method: Patients who are approached for participation in this study: (1) have had COVID-19, (2) have persistent symptoms of dyspnea (in rest and/or during exercise) and (3) are referred to the department of pulmonology or sports medicine in the OLVG hospital. The clinical work-up is up to the treating doctor. For this study we collect data of pulmonary function tests (including diffusion capacity), cardiopulmonary exercise tests and chest X-rays. Follow-up is planned about 9-12 months after the first visit.

Study objective

We did not have a hypothesis because this is a new disease and the approach of the study is more explorative.

Study design

baseline and follow-up after 9-12 months

Intervention

none

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Eligibility criteria

Inclusion criteria

- 1. Suffered from COVID-19 based on clinical criteria (fever, dyspnea, coughing, loss of smell and/or loss of taste) in March 2020 or later and currently have symptoms of dyspnea (in rest and/or during exercise) and/or reduced exercise capacity.
- 2. Age: 16 years or older.
- 3. Normally doing sports at least once a week.
- 4. Is able to perform a CPET.

Exclusion criteria

Another diagnosis is regarded as the cause of the symptoms.

Study design

Design

Study type: Observational non invasive

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A, unknown

Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruiting
Start date (anticipated): 01-06-2020

Enrollment: 100

Type: Anticipated

IPD sharing statement

Plan to share IPD: No

Ethics review

Positive opinion

Date: 04-12-2020

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 NL9093

Other Wetenschapsbureau ACWO of OLVG Hospital: WO 20.148

Study results