# Prognosis of Idiopathic CD4 Lymphocytopenia in children

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**Ethical review** Not approved **Status** Will not start

**Health condition type** White blood cell disorders **Study type** Observational invasive

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON38721

#### Source

**ToetsingOnline** 

#### **Brief title**

PROLIC (Prognosis of Idiopathic CD4 Lymphocytopenia in children)

#### **Condition**

- White blood cell disorders
- Immune system disorders congenital

#### Synonym

ICL, Idiopatische CD4 lymphopenia

#### Research involving

Human

### **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Universitair Medisch Centrum Utrecht

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Ministerie van OC&W

#### Intervention

Keyword: Heredity, Idiopathic CD4 Lymphocytopenia, Pediatric, Prognosis

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

- CD4 cell counts

- Medical history defined by the questionnaire and medical files provided by the general practitioner.

#### **Secondary outcome**

- Number of first degree family members affected by ICL.

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Idiopathic CD4 lymphocytopenia (ICL) is rare immune deficiency. The clinical presentation of ICL can vary between life threatening opportunistic infections to asymptomatic. To date, the aetiology, incidence and prognosis of ICL patients remain largely unknown. Cases of ICL have been described in both adults and children. Past studies to unravel aetiology, incidence and prognosis have mainly been focussed on adult ICL patients, showing high morbidity and mortality in affected patients. Several cases of hereditary ICL have been identified, suggesting a genetic cause for ICL. This aim of this study is to estimate the prognosis of children affected by ICL as well as exploring the heredity of ICL between first degree family members.

#### **Study objective**

- The primary research objective is to estimate the prognosis of children affected by ICL.
- A secondary research objective is to explore the heredity of ICL between first degree family members.

#### Study design

Observational

#### Study burden and risks

HIV test associated risks:

The chance of a positive HIV test is low considering the population has no risk factors. Also, early ICL diagnosis with specialized treatment in the WKZ may improve prognosis.

ICL diagnosis associated risks:

The diagnosis of ICL may have psychological consequeses. To monitor these consequences the researcher will ask the first three ICL patients and parents to fill in a 'vierdimensionale klachtenlijst'. The results of these forms will be report back to the METC.

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### **Trial sites**

#### **Listed location countries**

**Netherlands** 

# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Age

Adolescents (12-15 years) Adolescents (16-17 years) Adults (18-64 years) Children (2-11 years) Elderly (65 years and older)

#### Inclusion criteria

- Age between 0 to 16
- Lymphopenic two or more occasions, separated by at least a month (identified by preclinical screening, see research protocol)
- Good understanding of the Dutch language

#### **Exclusion criteria**

- Immunosuppressive co-morbidities explaining lymphopenia
- Immunosuppressive medication explaining lymphopenia
- Unavailability for follow-up research (immigration, mortality)

# Study design

### **Design**

Study type: Observational invasive

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non-randomized controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Active

Primary purpose: Basic science

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Will not start

Enrollment: 150

Type: Anticipated

# **Ethics review**

Not approved

Date: 02-08-2013

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Universitair Medisch Centrum Utrecht (Utrecht)

# **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

CCMO NL42932.041.13