# The role of renal function in the pharmacokinetics and safety of remdesivir in COVID-19 patients

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Ethical reviewApproved WMOStatusRecruitment stoppedHealth condition typeViral infectious disordersStudy typeObservational invasive

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# Summary

# ID

NL-OMON51092

**Source** ToetsingOnline

**Brief title** Remdesivir in renal impairment

# Condition

• Viral infectious disorders

**Synonym** Coronavirus Disease 2019, COVID-19

**Research involving** Human

# **Sponsors and support**

#### Primary sponsor: HagaZiekenhuis

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: het HagaZiekenhuis en de Apotheek Haagse Ziekenhuizen

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## Intervention

Keyword: pharmacokinetics, remdesivir, renal function, safety

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

- Remdesivir and metabolite (GS-44152) plasma 24-hours area under the curve
- Remdesivir and metabolite half-life
- Remdesivir and metabolite through concentration

#### Secondary outcome

Incidence of adverse events

Clinical course

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Though it is not contra-indicated, the SPC warns against the use of Veklury (Remdesivir) in patients with an eGFR \*30 ml/min as data upon benefit and risks are lacking. However, based on preclinical data and data about the toxicity of SBECD (an excipient in Veklury) it is reasonable to assume that a short course of remdesivir, such as is prescribed for the treatment of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), is safe in patients with severely impaired renal function. Up to date only limited pharmacokinetic and clinical data to confirm this statement are available. The medical need and increased use of remdesivir in the COVID-19 pandemic presents an opportunity to investigate the pharmacokinetics and safety of remdesivir in these patients.

#### **Study objective**

To determine the influence of renal function and renal replacement therapy on the pharmackinetics and safety of remdesivir in COVID-19 patients.

#### Study design

The study is an observational, prospective, cohort study. Initiation of remdesivir is not a part of this protocol. The pharmacokinetics will be

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compared between three groups. The first group consists of COVID-19 patients without severely decreased renal function (eGFR > 30 ml/min), the second of patients with severely reduced renal function (eGFR \* 30 ml/min) and the third of patients receiving renal replacement therapy. Blood samples to investigate the pharmacokinetics will be drawn on day 1 and 5 (or the day after the final gift). The safety profile of remdesivir will be studied during and after the treatment with remdesivir by monitoring the occurrence of AEs.

#### Study burden and risks

The study is an observational non-interventional study with blood sampling on the first and fifth day of therapy. The risks for patients due to extra blood sampling is regarded negligible. To further reduce complications, sampling procedures will be performed by health care professionals who are trained in these procedures.

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# **Trial sites**

# **Listed location countries**

Netherlands

# **Eligibility criteria**

Age

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Adults (18-64 years) Elderly (65 years and older)

### **Inclusion criteria**

- diagnosed with COVID-19 by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) on exudate obtained by oral- nasopharyngeal swab

- admitted to the Haga hospital (ward or ICU)
- prescribed intravenous remdesivir
- The subject has signed and dated a written informed consent.

# **Exclusion criteria**

- is expected to be transferred to another hospital during remdesivir therapy
- The treating physician deems the subject unfit to participate in this study.
- Pregnancy

- Patients who choose to forego dialysis and prefer to be managed conservatively

# Study design

# Design

| Study phase:     | 4                       |
|------------------|-------------------------|
| Study type:      | Observational invasive  |
| Masking:         | Open (masking not used) |
| Control:         | Uncontrolled            |
| Primary purpose: | Treatment               |

# Recruitment

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| NL                        |                     |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Recruitment status:       | Recruitment stopped |
| Start date (anticipated): | 15-03-2021          |
| Enrollment:               | 60                  |
| Туре:                     | Actual              |

# **Ethics review**

| Approved WMO       |                                     |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Date:              | 18-01-2021                          |
| Application type:  | First submission                    |
| Review commission: | METC Leiden-Den Haag-Delft (Leiden) |
|                    | metc-ldd@lumc.nl                    |
| Approved WMO       |                                     |
| Date:              | 07-05-2021                          |
| Application type:  | Amendment                           |
| Review commission: | METC Leiden-Den Haag-Delft (Leiden) |
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# **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 CCMO **ID** NL75815.058.20