# Study to look after defects of the cesarean section scar with ultrasound and study for risk factors to develop a defect.

No registrations found.

**Ethical review** Positive opinion **Status** Recruitment stopped

Health condition type

**Study type** Observational non invasive

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON20224

Source

NTR

**Brief title** 

**SCAR** 

#### **Health condition**

cesarean section scar defects, niches, keizersnede littekendefect

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Sint Antonius Ziekenhuis Nieuwegein

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: fund=initiator=sponsor

#### Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

- 1. Incidence scar defect > 2 mm by sonohysterography;
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2. Risk factors for developing a scar defect.

#### **Secondary outcome**

- 1. Relation with bleeding disorders (menstruation longer than 10 days, post menstrual spotting, intermenstrual bleeding);
- 2. Differences in ultrasound (depht of defect) within one patient in longitudinal follow-up of primipara;
- 3. Relation with urinary incontinence measured by questionary.

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

A prospective cohort study to investigate the incidence and risk factors for developing a cesarean scar defect. This is done by (sono)hysterography 6-12 weeks post partum and a questionair 6 weeks, 6,12 and 24 months post partum. Secondary outcome is to study the relation with bleeding disorders (prolonged menstruation and postmenstrual spotting). We also look longitudinal within a patient to study the appareances of the scardefect in time.

#### Study objective

Scar defect may give complications on long term. Study is to investigate if the defect is detectable with ultrasound.

#### Study design

- 1. (Sono)hysterography 6-12 weeks post partum;
- 2. Questionairy 6 weeks, 6, 12 and 24 months post partum;
- 3. (Sono)hysterography 6-12 months post partum (primipara).

#### Intervention

- 1. 6-12 weeks postpartum transvaginal ultrasound and sonohysterography;
- 2. Questionairy 6 weeks, 6, 12 and 24 months post partum.

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# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Inclusion criteria

- 1. Have had a cesarean section less than 12 weeks ago;
- 2. Good understanding and use of Dutch language.

#### **Exclusion criteria**

- 1. < 18 year;
- 2. Mutliple pregnancy;
- 3. Known uterusanomaly;
- 4. Pregnancy at time of ultrasound;
- 5. Pelvic inflammatoiry disease.

# Study design

## **Design**

Study type: Observational non invasive

Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A, unknown

#### **Recruitment**

NL

Type:

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Actual

Start date (anticipated): 27-01-2008

Enrollment: 350

# **Ethics review**

Positive opinion

Date: 05-05-2011

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 NL2749

Register ID

NTR-old NTR2887

Other VCMO: R-07.14a

ISRCTN wordt niet meer aangevraagd.

# **Study results**

## **Summary results**

N/A