# Study on the Safety, Tolerability and Efficacy of the Aqua Medical focal vapor ablation system, for the eradication of Barrett's Esophagus - part 2

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Vapor ablation can effectively and safely eradicate short BE segments

**Ethical review** Approved WMO **Status** Recruiting

**Health condition type** Gastrointestinal neoplasms malignant and unspecified

**Study type** Interventional

## **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON20279

Source

NTR

**Brief title** 

STEAM-BE 2

#### **Condition**

Gastrointestinal neoplasms malignant and unspecified

#### **Health condition**

Barrett esophagus, Barrett neoplasia

#### Research involving

Human

### **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Aqua Medical, Inc.

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#### Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Agua Medical research grant

#### Intervention

Medical device

#### **Explanation**

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

BE surface regression after 8-12 weeks FU, incidence of adverse events

#### **Secondary outcome**

Feasibility to ablate the entire area as intended, duration of ablation, device malfunction, pain scores

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

We will assess the feasibility, safety and efficacy of Agua Medical focal Vapor ablation for the treatment of short segment Barrett's esophagus. Vapor ablation is a new method for eradication of Barrett's esophagus and uses the energy of heated, vaporized water to ablate the Barrett's mucosa and to facilitatie regrowth of normal squamous epithelium under acid suppression. Different catheters are available and in the current study we use a focal hoodbased catheter and a standardized dose of 3 seconds will be used. In total, 19 patients will be enrolled and treated with side-by-side focal applications of vapor ablation, to assess the feasibility, safety and efficacy of treating short segment Barrett's esophagus with Focal Vapor ablation. The study consists of 3 phases: in phase I, 3 patients will be included and the catheter will be introduced to assess whether all areas could be targeted in a resonable timeframe as compared to focal RFA, no treatment will be performed in this phase. If this phase will be successfully completed, we will continue to phase II. In Phase II, 6 patients will be included and treated circumferentially at the GEI. If we will be able to ablate the entire GEI in a reasonable timeframe and in absence of related complications, we will continue to Phase III. In this final phase, we will include 10 patients with short segment BE to treat the entire BE segment. A follow-up endoscopy will be performed after 8-12 weeks to assess the BE surface regression and for histologic sampling.

#### Study objective

Vapor ablation can effectively and safely eradicate short BE segments

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#### Study design

Baseline, 6-8 weeks FU

#### Intervention

Vapor ablation

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# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Age

Adults (18-64 years) Adults (18-64 years)

#### Inclusion criteria

Flat Barrett's esophagus (BE) with an indication for ablation therapy (either flat confirmed LGD, flat HGD, or residual flat BE after endoscopic resection of early, non-flat BE neoplasia)

#### **Exclusion criteria**

Presence of visible lesions, history of advanced BE neoplasia (either sm2+, LVI+ or G3+).

# Study design

## **Design**

Study phase: N/A

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Single

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Treatment

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruiting
Start date (anticipated): 28-06-2021

Enrollment: 19

Type: Actual

## **IPD** sharing statement

Plan to share IPD: No

## **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 20-05-2020

Application type: First submission

Review commission: MEC Academisch Medisch Centrum (Amsterdam)

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# **Study registrations**

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

ID: 55125

Bron: ToetsingOnline

Titel:

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

No registrations found.

## In other registers

Register ID

NTR-new NL8369

CCMO NL73052.018.20 OMON NL-OMON55125

# **Study results**