

Metabolic adverse events and comorbidity in chronic rheumatoid arthritis patients.

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Ethical review	Positive opinion
Status	Recruiting
Health condition type	-
Study type	Observational non invasive

Summary

ID

NL-OMON20413

Source

NTR

Brief title

N/A

Health condition

rheumatoid arthritis cardiovascular diseases glucose intolerance insuline resistance ischemic heart disease heart failure

Sponsors and support

Primary sponsor: Top Institute Pharma

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Top Institute Pharma

Intervention

Outcome measures

Primary outcome

Influence of disease-activity (by DAS and erosive joint damage) on metabolic parameters and comorbidities (insulin resistance, glucose intolerance, ischemic heart disease, heart failure, lipids).

Secondary outcome

Effects of certain medication (glucocorticoids) on these parameters.

Study description

Background summary

N/A

Study objective

Rheumatoid arthritis patients have an increased risk on developing cardiovascular disease compared to healthy controls. In this study we explore the influence of disease activity on certain cardiovascular parameters (glucose intolerance; lipids; ischemic heart disease).

Study design

One time point (cross-sectional).

Intervention

No intervention.

Research protocol includes history, physical examination, oral glucose tolerance test, X-rays of chest, thoracic and lumbar spine, hands and feet, and electrocardiography.

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Eligibility criteria

Inclusion criteria

Chronic rheumatoid arthritis (according to ACR criteria for rheumatoid arthritis; disease duration over 2 years).

Exclusion criteria

None

Study design

Design

Study type:	Observational non invasive
Intervention model:	Other
Allocation:	Non controlled trial
Control:	N/A , unknown

Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status:	Recruiting
Start date (anticipated):	28-07-2008
Enrollment:	300
Type:	Anticipated

Ethics review

Positive opinion	
Date:	02-12-2008
Application type:	First submission

Study registrations

Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

ID: 32316
Bron: ToetsingOnline
Titel:

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

No registrations found.

In other registers

Register	ID
NTR-new	NL1494
NTR-old	NTR1564
Other	METC UMC Utrecht : nr. 07/216
CCMO	NL21596.041.08
OMON	NL-OMON32316

Study results

Summary results

N/A