

# The Connecare study

No registrations found.

<b>Ethical review</b>	Not applicable
<b>Status</b>	Recruiting
<b>Health condition type</b>	-
<b>Study type</b>	Observational non invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON21591

### Source

NTR

### Brief title

Connecare

### Health condition

Solid malignant tumours.

## Sponsors and support

### Primary sponsor: -

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation program under project grant number 689802 (CONNECARE).

## Intervention

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

Time to detection of post-discharge complications

Unplanned hospital visits

Unplanned readmissions

### Secondary outcome

Feasibility (usability, acceptability, compliance)  
Physical Activity  
Patient-Reported Outcomes

## Study description

### Background summary

Modern healthcare changes in postoperative care management have led to considerably shortened hospital admissions. At the same time, the amount of patients aged 65 years and older diagnosed with cancer and in need for surgery is increasing. This population is at risk for developing postoperative adverse events, also after hospital discharge. To avoid more invasive treatment of complications or even readmission (i.e., reduce medical consumption and healthcare costs, and improve clinical outcomes), timely recognition and management of deviations in recovery are of the utmost importance to prevent. Remote home monitoring might fill the perceived surveillance gap after hospital discharge. Therefore, the aim of this study is to investigate the feasibility and effectiveness of postoperative remote home monitoring in older cancer patients, with a novel developed IT-telemonitoring system.

### Study objective

We hypothesize that remote home monitoring can detect post-discharge complications early and might prevent hospital readmissions.

### Study design

Before surgery, before hospital discharge, at 3 months after surgery

### Intervention

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## Eligibility criteria

### Inclusion criteria

Age 65+

Planned for oncological surgery of solid malignant tumour

Sufficient understanding of the Dutch language

Informed Consent

### Exclusion criteria

Non-elective surgery

Wheelchair – or bedridden

Severe limitation in hearing, vision and/or cognition

## Study design

### Design

Study type: Observational non invasive

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A , unknown

### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruiting

Start date (anticipated): 01-05-2018

Enrollment: 80

Type: Anticipated

## IPD sharing statement

**Plan to share IPD:** Undecided

## Ethics review

Not applicable

Application type:

Not applicable

## 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 NL8253

Other METC UMCG, non-WMO, number 2017/286 : Research register nummer:  
201600691

## Study results