# Detecting endometrial and ovarian cancer with the Pap-smear

No registrations found.

**Ethical review** Positive opinion

**Status** Pending

Health condition type -

**Study type** Interventional

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON22188

#### **Source**

Nationaal Trial Register

#### **Brief title**

DISCOVER: Diagnostig Smear of the Cervix in OVarian and Endometrial canceR

#### **Health condition**

**Endometrial cancer** 

Ovarian cancer

Endometriumcarcinoom

Ovariumcarcinoom

Eierstokkanker

Baarmoederslijmvlieskanker

Pap-smear

Uitstrijkje

## **Sponsors and support**

Primary sponsor: Radboud university medical center

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Ruby and Rose Foundation

#### Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

Sensitivity and specificity of the Pap-smear in detecting endometrial and ovarian cancer

#### **Secondary outcome**

The sensitivity and specificity of the cervicovaginal self-sample and the Pipelle endometrial biopsy in detecting endometrial and ovarian cancer.

The correlation between DNA alterations in the cervicovaginal self-sample, the Pap-smear and the Pipelle endometrial biopsy and clinicopathologic parameters

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Rationale: In 2011, 1257 women in The Netherlands were diagnosed with ovarian cancer and 1913 with endometrial cancer, causing respectively 1043 and 484 deaths. Ovarian cancer has few symptoms in an early stage and is usually diagnosed in an advanced stage, leading to a bad prognosis. Endometrial cancer has a better prognosis, but the incidence is still rising. Earlier detection or even screening for these diseases would help improve survival. Recent developments in DNA analysis might be used to diagnose ovarian and endometrial cancer with a Pap-smear.

Objective: To verify the feasibility of using the Pap-smear in diagnosing endometrial and ovarian cancer.

Study design: Prospective multicentre cohort study.

Study population: Endometrial cancer: all patients presenting with preoperative diagnosis of endometrial cancer (via pipelle endometrial biopsy or dilatation and curettage). Ovarian cancer: all patients scheduled for surgery for suspected ovarian cancer (RMI>200, ascites). Controls: patients undergoing at least a hysterectomy for benign pathology.

Intervention: Patients with ovarian or endometrial cancer will undergo a Pap-smear and pipelle endometrial sampling. Mutation analysis results will be compared to mutation analysis

of the primary tumour as well as a Pap-smear and pipelle endometrial sampling performed in subjects without cancer of the female reproductive tract.

Main study parameters: The main study parameter is the correlation between mutations found in the Pap-smear, cervicovaginal self-sampling and pipelle endometrial sampling and the primary tumour.

#### **Study objective**

It is possible to detect altered DNA from endometrial and ovarian cancer cells in the Papsmear by analysing a set of predetermined genes

#### Study design

T0: Preoperative collection of the cervicovaginal self-sample, Pap-smear and Pipelle endometrial biopsy

#### Intervention

Cervicovaginal self-sample, Pap-smear and Pipelle endometrial biopsy

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# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Inclusion criteria

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Ovarian cancer: all patients scheduled for surgery for suspected ovarian cancer (RMI>200, ascites).

Controls: patients undergoing at least a hysterectomy for benign pathology.

#### **Exclusion criteria**

Patients who received pelvic radiation in the past and patients with ovarian cancer who do not have a uterus will not be able to participate in this study.

# Study design

## **Design**

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A, unknown

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Pending

Start date (anticipated): 01-01-2014

Enrollment: 150

Type: Anticipated

# **Ethics review**

Positive opinion

Date: 29-11-2013

Application type: First submission

# **Study registrations**

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

ID: 39020

Bron: ToetsingOnline

Titel:

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

No registrations found.

## In other registers

Register ID

NTR-new NL4031 NTR-old NTR4299

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# **Study results**

#### **Summary results**

N/A