# Validation of smartphone-derived metrics for prolonged unobtrusive monitoring of rest-activity patterns, fatigue and sleepiness in sleep-disordered patients.

No registrations found.

**Ethical review** Not applicable

**Status** Pending

Health condition type

**Study type** Observational non invasive

## **Summary**

### ID

NL-OMON22867

#### Source

Nationaal Trial Register

#### **Brief title**

**TBA** 

#### **Health condition**

chronic insomnia disorder sleep related breathing disorders circadian rhythm disorder nonrestorative sleep primary hypersomnia

## **Sponsors and support**

Primary sponsor: none

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Kempenhaeghe

Neurocast

TUE

## Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

**Primary Objectives:** 

- Investigate whether and to what extent smartphone interaction metrics can unobtrusively monitor rest-activity patterns in patients suffering from sleep disorders.
- Investigate whether and to what extent fatigue and sleepiness during the wake phase can be monitored and quantified objectively by means of smartphone-derived keystroke dynamics features among patients suffering from sleep disorders.

## **Secondary outcome**

Secondary Objective:

• Investigate whether and to what extent smartphone derived metrics based on keyboard interactions (potentially complemented with health kit and sensor data) are sensitive (responsive) to changes in clinical status. Sensitivity to changes will be investigated in the following: rest-activity patterns, fatigue-related complaints during the wake phase, and excessive daytime sleepiness due to clinical interventions as part of care as usual,

Tertiary / Exploratory Objective(s):

- Investigate the accuracy of machine learning methods to differentiate between participants with different clinical sleep diagnoses (e.g., insomnia or circadian rhythm sleep disorders) based on Neurocast platform metrics.
- Investigate whether and to what extent Neurocast platform metrics can be used to assess pre-sleep arousal and/or predict sleep quality and insomnia severity.
- Assess user experiences with the Neurocast platform.

# **Study description**

## **Background summary**

Background of the study:

Disturbances in the circadian rhythm and sleep have a severe effect on overall health and everyday functioning. This is particularly

observed in patients suffering from various sleep disorders which can cause excessive fatigue, sleepiness and a lack of attention

during the wake state. Unfortunately, there are very limited objective measures for these important complaints. As smartphones are

intensively used, smartphone-derived data, like keystroke logging and sensor data, offers the possibility to unobtrusively and

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objectively measure patient's rest-activity patterns and fatigue-related complaints during the wake phase. This innovative tool could

then be used for prolonged monitoring of these aspects, for example for treatment follow up.

## Objective of the study:

To evaluate the use, reliability and validity of smartphone output data obtained with the Neurokeys App, for the detection and

monitoring of rest-activity patterns, fatigue and sleepiness in patients with various sleep disorders including such as insomnia.

### Study design:

The study is an observational study that will take place in the tertiary sleep centre of Kempenhaeghe. Patients are referred for

diagnosis and treatment of possible sleep disorders and during the study will receive care as usual. Participants are asked to use the

Neurokeys App during their clinical follow up for six months and 2 weeks, and fill in 2-week sleep diary and questionnaires at several time points

#### Study population:

Cohort of 200 patients with various sleep and circadian rhythm disorders, a minimum age of 18 years old and with daily smartphone usage.

Primary study parameters/outcome of the study:

The rest-activity patterns (based on timing of the rest and active period), assessed with self-reports and objectively with last

smartphone-based keyboard interaction before and the first keyboard interaction after the longest time interval without keyboard

interaction (i.e., keystroke-absence period) during the subjective night;

Secundary study parameters/outcome of the study (if applicable):

Fatigue and sleepiness, assessed with self-reports and objectively with keystroke dynamics features derived from patients' keyboard use on smartphones.

#### Study objective

Smartphone derived metrics can be used to monitor rest-activity paterns, fatigue and sleepiness in sleep-disordered patients.

### Study design

Participants are asked to use the Neurokeys App during their clinical follow-up for six months and 2 weeks, and fill in 2-week sleep diary and questionnaires at three time points; after intake, after 3 months and after 6 months.

## **Contacts**

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# **Eligibility criteria**

## **Inclusion criteria**

Sleep disordered patiënts referred to Kempenhaeghe A minimum 18 year of age Able to read and speak Dutch Regular use of smartphone on a daily basis

## **Exclusion criteria**

Cognitive impairments that make use of smartphones and/or completion of questionnaires difficult or unreliable.

Other somatic disorders that can cause fatigue and/or excessive daytime sleepiness.

# 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: Pending

Start date (anticipated): 01-06-2021

Enrollment: 200

Type: Anticipated

## **IPD** sharing statement

Plan to share IPD: No

## **Ethics review**

Not applicable

Application type: Not applicable

# **Study registrations**

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

ID: 52351

Bron: ToetsingOnline

Titel:

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

No registrations found.

## In other registers

Register ID

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