# A Randomised Clinical Trial to evaluate the effects of a new treatment of chronic neck-shoulder pain in WMSd patients-Ambulant Myofeedback training.

No registrations found.

Ethical review	Positive opinion
Status	Recruitment stopped
Health condition type	-
Study type	Interventional

# Summary

### ID

**NL-OMON23790** 

Source NTR

Brief title RCT Mfb

### **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** The study was performed within the European NEW project **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Stichting st. Hubertus; European funding NEW project

### Intervention

### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

Pain intensity and disability.

#### Secondary outcome

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- 1. Health-related quality of life;
- 2. Muscle activation patterns;
- 3. Psychosocial characteristics.

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

This study investigates the effects of ambulant myofeedback training in patients with workrelated neck-shoulder complaints on pain intensity, disability, and muscle activation patterns. It also evaluates the effect of psychosocial characteristics of the subject related to outcome after treatment.

#### **Study objective**

It is hypothesised that 4 weeks of ambulant myofeedback training is more effective in reducing pain intensity, disability, and normalising muscle activation patterns compared to traditional treatment of WMSd in the neck-shoulder regionm e,g, ergonomic counseling.

#### Study design

N/A

#### Intervention

- 1. 4 weeks ambulant myofeedback training is intervention;
- 2. Contol group receives traditional ergonomic counselling.

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# **Eligibility criteria**

### **Inclusion criteria**

- 1. Elderly female subjects;
- 2. Above the age of 35 years;
- 3. Performing predominantly computer work;

4. Reporting compaints in the neck and / or shoulder region for at least 30 days during the last year including the last 7 days;

5. Subjectively relating complaints to (computer) work.

### **Exclusion criteria**

- 1. Severe cervical arthrosis;
- 2. Other disorders in neck-shoulder region not related to WMSD;
- 3. More than three body areas in which pain is reported;
- 4. Colour blindness;
- 5. Latex allergy;
- 6. Use of muscle relaxants.

# Study design

# Design

Study type:	Interventional
Intervention model:	Parallel
Allocation:	Randomized controlled trial
Masking:	Open (masking not used)
Control:	Active

## Recruitment

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Recruitment status:	Recruitment stopped
Start date (anticipated):	01-04-2003
Enrollment:	75
Туре:	Actual

# **Ethics review**

Positive opinion	
Date:	27-09-2005
Application type:	First submission

# **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	NL453

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# **Study results**

### Summary results

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