# Usual care in pelvic physiotherapy in patients with pelvic girdle pain

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**Ethical review** Positive opinion **Status** Recruiting

Health condition type -

**Study type** Interventional

## **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON26047

**Source** 

NTR

#### **Health condition**

pelvic girdle pain, pelvic floor, questionnairres, Electromyography

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** LUMC

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Dutch association of Pelvic Physiotherapy

#### Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

Changes at the NPRS

#### **Secondary outcome**

changes on the EMG signal

Measurements in VBA forward and sidebend

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

The goal of this study is to investigate the effect of a pelvic physiotherapeutic /manual therapeutic treatment (usual care) in patients with PGP (subgroups reduced force closure and excessive force closure) and the influence on EMG signals of the pelvic floor Objective of the study:

The influence of mobilisation of the sacroiliacal joint and an stabilizing or relaxation exercise program on pain, the function of the pelvic floor, the m. Transversus Abdominus and functional state in patients with pelvic girdle pain.

#### Study design:

This is a longitudinal study in which patients with pelvic pain, subgroups reduced and excessive force closure, receiving a usual care pelvic physiotherapeutic /manual therapeutic treatment (mobilization of the sacral iliac joint and a stabilizing or relaxing e xercise program) are followed.

#### Design:

Randomized Controlled Trail with two groups, an intervention group and a control group.

The intervention group gets alongside a stabilizing or relaxing exercise program and mobilization of the sacral iliac joint. The control group will receive a stabilizing or relaxing exercise program during the first 6 weeks. After 6 weeks, they also receive the mobilization of the sacral iliac joint. The patients are randomly divided over the two groups.

#### Study objective

Low back and pelvic pain (LRP / BP) during and after pregnancy is common in the Netherlands. In women who

having a history of LRP / BP shows a point prevalence of 88.5% during pregnancy that decreases to

53.8% two weeks after delivery. In women without such a history one can find a point

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prevalence

 $67.4 \degree$  / o during pregnancy decreasing to 28.1% two weeks after delivery (1). Pelvic pain during

pregnancy has an incidence of 20.1%. At 62.5~% of this group, the pain disappeared within one month

childbirth. In 8.6% of women, the pelvic pain persists for two years after delivery.

Pelvic pain during pregnancy often leads to limitations in daily life and absenteeism.

Despite the amount of research that has been done, the diagnosis and classification of pelvic pain remains

controversial. To date, for the majority of pelvic pain disorders, there is no clear evidence pathological-anatomical substrate found.

Little research has been done into the treatment of pelvic pain.

In our practice patients with pelvic pain regularly come. From clinical experience seems a combination of

mobilization and a stabilizing or relaxing exercise program of the local and global musculature

to be. It is therefore of great importance to substantiate this scientifically.

#### Study design

3-6-12 months

#### Intervention

mobilisation of th sacro-iliacal joint and a stabilizing or relaxating exercise

## **Contacts**

**Public** 

Scientific

## **Eligibility criteria**

#### Inclusion criteria

patients with pelvic girdle pain pre- and postpartum

#### **Exclusion criteria**

Adherence

Not aible to speak or read Dutch

Sacroiliitis,

History of fractures, neoplasms and / or surgery,in the lumbar spine, pelvis or hip radiculopathy

> 30 weeks pregnant

# Study design

### **Design**

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Randomized controlled trial

Masking: Single blinded (masking used)

Control: Active

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruiting
Start date (anticipated): 04-10-2018

Enrollment: 46

Type: Anticipated

# **Ethics review**

Positive opinion

Date: 11-11-2018

Application type: First submission

# **Study registrations**

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

ID: 53037

Bron: ToetsingOnline

Titel:

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

No registrations found.

## In other registers

Register ID

NTR-new NL7349 NTR-old NTR7614

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# **Study results**