# Immune monitoring in pancreatic cancer

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

**Health condition type** 

**Study type** Interventional

## **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON27380

**Source** NTR

#### **Health condition**

pancreatic cancer alvleesklierkanker

### **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Foundation for Liver and Gastrointestinal Research (SLO) **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Foundation for Liver and Gastrointestinal Research (SLO)

#### Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

•To determine the baseline immune signature in pancreatic cancer patients.

#### **Secondary outcome**

- •To investigate whether the immune profile found in the PB reflects the local immune signature of the pancreatic tumor.
- •To determine the effect of standard of care treatment (neoadjuvant CRTx, adjuvant
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chemotherapy or palliative chemotherapy) on the expression of co-inhibitory molecules and their ligands on TIL and PB lymphocytes.

## **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Patients diagnosed with pancreatic cancer have a poor survival. There is a strong need for new therapeutic approaches. The presence of pancreatic cancer is known to affect the functionality of the immune system and furthermore chemotherapy (CTx) and (chemo)radiotherapy (CRTx) can subvert immunosuppressive mechanisms, or elicit immune responses by immunogenic cell death of cancer cells. In depth analysis of the systemic (blood) and local (tumor tissue) immune parameters in patients with pancreatic cancer and during conventional therapies could reveal new insights in the interplay of these treatment modalities with the immune system and provide a basis/rationale for new (immuno)therapeutic approaches and combination therapies, e.g. including immune checkpoint blockade, adoptive immune therapies, Toll like receptors agonist and interferons in the current standard of care treatments.

#### **Study objective**

analysis of the systemic (blood) and local (tumor tissue) immune parameters in patients with pancreatic cancer and during conventional therapies could reveal new insights in the interplay of these treatment modalities with the immune system and provide a basis/rationale for new (immuno)therapeutic approaches and combination therapies.

#### Study design

In general we will obtain a baseline sample from every patient (e.g. before surgery or before start of treatment) followed by several samples during their treatment course based on start of therapy and follow-up after each cycle of CTx and/or RTx (maximized at 11 timepoint in total).

#### Intervention

**Blood** collection

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## **Eligibility criteria**

#### Inclusion criteria

- •Age ≥ 18 years
- Diagnosed with resectable or borderline resectable pancreatic cancer, locally advanced pancreatic cancer or metastasized pancreatic cancer
- •Planned treatment with either of the currently available standard of care treatments for pancreatic cancer (e.g. surgery, gemcitabine, FOLFIRINOX and/or radiotherapy)
- Signed informed consent

#### **Exclusion criteria**

- Unable to draw blood for study purposes
- •Serious concomitant systemic disorders that would compromise the safety of the patient or his/her ability to complete the study, at the discretion of the investigator.

## Study design

### **Design**

Study type: Interventional

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Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A, unknown

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruiting
Start date (anticipated): 01-10-2016

Enrollment: 200

Type: Anticipated

## **Ethics review**

Positive opinion

Date: 20-12-2016

Application type: First submission

## **Study registrations**

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

ID: 45549

Bron: ToetsingOnline

Titel:

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

No registrations found.

## In other registers

Register ID

NTR-new NL6173 NTR-old NTR6320

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# **Study results**