# Mapping guided Stereotactic ablative Radiotherapy

No registrations found.

**Ethical review** Not applicable

**Status** Pending

**Health condition type** 

**Study type** Interventional

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON27436

Source

NTR

**Health condition** 

Ventricular tachycardias

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Departments of Cardiology and Radiotherapy, Leiden University Medical

Center

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: LUMC

#### Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

- (1) Number of patients in whom the (presumed) clinical VT(s) causing the presenting symptoms can be eliminated (equals: partial success in RFCA studies) for the study period of one year (after 6 weeks blanking).
- (2) Number of patients with the elimination of highly symptomatic VTs (e.g. pre-syncopal VT) or highly symptomatic ICD therapy (e.g. ICD shocks) for the study period of one year (after 6 weeks blanking).
- (3) Reduction of any ICD treated VT episodes by ≥80% at one year after treatment compared

to the year before treatment (including VTs during the 6 weeks blanking)

#### **Secondary outcome**

- (1) Time to elimination of the clinical VT(s) causing symptoms
- (2) Time to elimination of any sustained VT/ VT prompting ICD therapy
- (3) Elimination of the targeted arrhythmia substrate indicated by absence of inducible sustained VT at 6 months.
- (4) Modification of VT substrate indicated by voltage reduction and non-excitability during electroanatomical mapping at 6 months
- (5) Number and dosage of class 1 and class 3 AAD at one year
- (6) ΔSUVmax on F18-FDG-PET/CT between baseline, 2 weeks and 6 months after treatment.

## **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

#### **Background**

Ventricular tachycardias (VT) are a medical emergency and require immediate termination. VT typically occur in patients with a myocardial scar from myocardial infarction or from non-ischemic cardiomyopathies. Despite escalated antiarrhythmic drug (AAD) therapy and advanced catheter ablation technology, up to 50% of patients will experience recurrent VTs. New drugs are not available and current catheter technologies have important and well-recognized limitations in particular to reach deep intramural arrhythmogenic substrates or areas protected by insulated fat or calcification. Despite the availability of state-of the art technology and highly experienced operators in tertiary referral centers catheter ablation acutely fails to eliminate the electrical storm causing VTs in 9-12% of the patients. Procedural failure has important prognostic implications during short-term follow-up: sudden death occurs in up to 40% within 3 months despite the ICD, and electrical storm, recurs in almost all. For these patients' therapeutic options to eliminate the VT sources inaccessible by current catheter technologies are urgently needed.

#### Aim

Treatment of uncontrolled ventricular tachycardia, inaccessible by the current state of the art catheter ablation techniques by using single dose stereotactic radiotherapy of an accurately determined substrate

#### **Study objective**

Stereotactic radiotherapy of an accurately determined substrate is effective in treating uncontrolled ventricular tachycardia

#### Study design

Patients will recive follow up at 2 weeks, 4 weeks, 12 weeks, 6 months and 12 months after treatment to assess for adverse cardiac effects

#### Intervention

Stereotactic radiotherapy

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# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Inclusion criteria

In order to be eligible to participate in this study, a subject must meet all of the following criteria:

- Age ≥18
- Implanted ICD
- Structural heart disease with myocardial scar
- World Health Organization (WHO) / Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) performance status grade 0-3 in the past 3 months, or grade 4 if related to the arrhythmic presentation (from fully active to capable of limited self-care, see below for full explanation)
- Presenting with at least one of the following

  ☐ Within the past 3 months: electrical storm (defined as ≥3 ICD shocks within 24h)

  ☐ Within the past 3 months: 3 or more episodes of highly symptomatic sustained VT (either requiring ICD shocks, or leading to (pre)syncope)

  ☐ Recurrent VT (high VT burden) leading to progressive heart failure

  ☐ Symptomatic, incessant VT not detected by the device or reinitiating after ICD therapy

  ☐ Progressive heart failure and indication for LVAD, in whom recurrent VT preclude LVAD implantation

- Despite all of the following
☐ Optimal medical treatment according to current guidelines
☐ Failure of recommended antiarrhythmic drugs including failure of amiodarone
☐ Failure of catheter ablation using the current state of the art catheter ablation techniques
to modify the VT substrate

- Able and willing to undergo all necessary evaluations, treatment and follow-up for the study and of follow-up thereafter
- Informed consent

#### **Exclusion criteria**

A potential subject who meets any of the following criteria will be excluded from participation in this study:

- Pregnancy
- Interstitial pulmonary disease
- Irreversible renal insufficiency with a glomerular filtration rate <30ml/min (not related to the high VT burden)
- Life expectancy <12 months in the absence of VT
- Refusal or inability to provide informed consent or to undergo all necessary evaluations, treatment and follow-up for the study

# Study design

## **Design**

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A, unknown

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Pending

Start date (anticipated): 01-09-2019

Enrollment: 12

Type: Anticipated

## **IPD** sharing statement

Plan to share IPD: Undecided

## **Ethics review**

Not applicable

Application type: Not applicable

# **Study registrations**

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

ID: 52679

Bron: ToetsingOnline

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

No registrations found.

## In other registers

Register ID

NTR-new NL7950

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# **Study results**