

# Evaluation of indicators for distal radioulnar joint instability after a distal radius fracture in adults and children.

No registrations found.

<b>Ethical review</b>	Not applicable
<b>Status</b>	Pending
<b>Health condition type</b>	-
<b>Study type</b>	Observational non invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON28035

### Source

Nationaal Trial Register

### Health condition

distal radioulnar joint instability after distal radius fractures.

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** no

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** no

## Intervention

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

1. Pain;
2. Function;
3. DRUJ instability.

## Secondary outcome

N/A

## Study description

### Background summary

DRUJ instability and ulnar wrist pain is common after distal radius fractures. Radiological riskfactors are identified but influence on outcome is still a matter of debate. Furthermore best modality to evaluate DRUJ instability has to be confirmed. In our study we would like to evaluate radiological riskfactors for DRUJ instability comparing clinical outcome and evaluate three radiological modalities for predictive value of DRUJ instability.

### Study objective

The null hypothesis is tested that radiological risk-factors for DRUJ instability may account for clinical DRUJ instability in patients after a consolidated distal radius fracture.

### Study design

One visit 1 to 2 years after distal radius fracture.

### Intervention

1. Physical examination;
2. X-rays;
3. CT-scan;
4. MRI-scan;
5. Questionnaires.

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## Eligibility criteria

### Inclusion criteria

1. Age > 18 years;
2. (Ability to give) informed consent;
3. Between 4 and 24 months after trauma causing distal radius fracture with an associated, non-operatively treated ulnar styloid base fracture;
4. (Near) anatomical consolidated (after plastercast immobilization or operative fixation) distal radius fracture with non-union of the ulnar styloid;
5. Post-traumatic ulnar sided wrist pain;
6. Signed informed consent by the patient or a legal representative.

### Exclusion criteria

1. Patient younger than 18 years;
2. Contra-indications for CT-scanning;
3. (Previous) injury to the ipsilateral or contra-lateral wrist;
4. Complex region pain syndrome (Sudecks' dystrophia).

## Study design

### Design

Study type: Observational non invasive  
Intervention model: Parallel  
Allocation: Non controlled trial

**Control:** N/A , unknown

### Recruitment

NL  
Recruitment status: Pending  
Start date (anticipated): 01-06-2011  
Enrollment: 100  
Type: Anticipated

## Ethics review

Not applicable  
Application type: Not applicable

## 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	NL2554

**Register**

NTR-old

Other

ISRCTN

**ID**

NTR2672

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ISRCTN wordt niet meer aangevraagd.

## Study results

**Summary results**

N/A