

# The impact of the Trauma Triage App on prehospital trauma triage: design of a stepped-wedge, cluster randomized trial

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<b>Ethical review</b>	Positive opinion
<b>Status</b>	Pending
<b>Health condition type</b>	-
<b>Study type</b>	Interventional

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON28177

### Source

NTR

### Brief title

TESLA

### Health condition

trauma, injuries, undertriage, overtriage

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Maastricht University Medical Center+, Utrecht University Medical Center

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** ZonMw

## Intervention

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

Undertriage, defined as the transportation of a severely injured patient (Injury Severity Score  $\geq 16$ ) transported from the scene of injury to a lower-level trauma center.

## Secondary outcome

Non-compliance analysis of the primary outcome; overtriage, defined as the transportation of non-severely injured patients (ISS < 16) from the scene of injury to a higher-level trauma center; hospital length of stay; number of admissions to the Intensive Care Unit; length of stay at the Intensive Care Unit; cost-effectiveness analysis

## Study description

### Study design

Cross-sectional

### Intervention

The Trauma Triage App is a smartphone and tablet application that is a practical and quick-to-use user interface to a prediction model that estimates the probability that a patient is severely injured during field triage. An advice whether to transport a patient to a higher-level trauma center or not is generated based on a pre-defined threshold probability.

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## Eligibility criteria

### Inclusion criteria

All patients, 18 years of age or older, with suspected moderate to severe injuries (Injury Severity Score 9 or higher), evaluated on-scene by one of participating Emergency Medical Services that are transported to a participating emergency department.

### Exclusion criteria

Patients death on arrival at the initial receiving emergency department.

## Study design

### Design

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

### Recruitment

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Recruitment status:	Pending
Start date (anticipated):	01-06-2018
Enrollment:	14976
Type:	Anticipated

## Ethics review

Positive opinion	
Date:	29-05-2018
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	NL7038
NTR-old	NTR7243
Other	: 843004114

## Study results