

# Comparing tumour heterogeneity in primary tumour, circulating tumour cells and metastases

No registrations found.

<b>Ethical review</b>	Not applicable
<b>Status</b>	Other
<b>Health condition type</b>	-
<b>Study type</b>	Interventional

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON29203

### Source

Nationaal Trial Register

### Brief title

CTC Autopsy study

### Health condition

NSCLC niet kleincellig longcarcinoom, longkanker  
lungcancer, tumour heterogeneity, tumor heterogeniteit, CTC, circulating tumour cell,  
circulerende tumor cel

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** University Medical Centre Groningen

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** University Medical Centre Groningen

## Intervention

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

- heterogeneity and mutational load measurements in all compartments. These can

subsequently be compared to one another.

### **Secondary outcome**

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## **Study description**

### **Study objective**

NSCLC spreads using the blood. Tumour cells in the circulating system are called circulating tumour cells, and are deemed the cause of metastases, making CTCs a major factor in therapy efficacy and prognosis. We believe that the different compartments (original tumour, metastases and CTCs) will have differences in the genetic make up that could give insight in the metastatic process and shed light on so called 'trunc' and 'branch' mutations. To study all different compartments in detail, we will ask terminal patients to participate in a so called obduction study. After a patients death, we will obtain biopsies of the metastases and the primary tumour. When this is done the patients body will be returned to the family for burial.

### **Study design**

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### **Intervention**

Terminal patients are included after their informed consent and that of their families is received. We will withdraw some blood for analysis on CTCs. After the participants death, we will perform a warm autopsy to obtain samples from the primary tumour and its metastases. The patients body will subsequently be returned to the family for burial.

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## Eligibility criteria

### Inclusion criteria

1. Patients with a histologically/cytologically proven pulmonary malignancy.
2. Patients have to have a non-curable disease state, without curative treatment options
3. Signed informed consent
4. Patients family has asserted their acceptance of the patients participation
5. Patients using anticoagulants such as fraxodi or acenocoumarol are allowed

### Exclusion criteria

1. No growth factor medication

## Study design

### Design

Study type:	Interventional
Intervention model:	Other
Masking:	Open (masking not used)
Control:	N/A , unknown

### Recruitment

NL	
Recruitment status:	Other

Start date (anticipated): 01-10-2016  
Enrollment: 30  
Type: Unknown

## Ethics review

Not applicable  
Application type: Not applicable

## Study registrations

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

ID: 45251  
Bron: ToetsingOnline  
Titel:

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

No registrations found.

### In other registers

Register	ID
NTR-new	NL5862
NTR-old	NTR6042
CCMO	NL59037.042.16
OMON	NL-OMON45251

## Study results