

# Study to estimate the minimum clinically different difference in visual analogue scale scores for skin swelling, skin pain and abdominal pain in subjects with hereditary angio-edema

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<b>Ethical review</b>	Approved WMO
<b>Status</b>	Pending
<b>Health condition type</b>	Immune system disorders congenital
<b>Study type</b>	Observational non invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON30040

### Source

ToetsingOnline

### Brief title

VAS score angio-edema attack

### Condition

- Immune system disorders congenital

### Synonym

hereditary angio-edema

### Research involving

Human

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Jerini AG

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Jerini AG;Duitsland

## Intervention

**Keyword:** C1-inhibitor, hereditary angio-edema

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

Descriptive research based on which the "minimally clinically significant difference" in symptomscore can be assessed.

### Secondary outcome

not applicable

## Study description

### Background summary

Hereditary angio-edema is a congenital disease due to a deficiency of C1-esterase inhibitor. It may lead to angio-edema attacks of various body parts, most commonly edema of arms, legs, facial area or genitals, abdominal attacks with severe pain or asphyxia due to edema in the laryngeal area. Recently new treatment modalities have been developed and for a proper clinical evaluation of these new options, a proper instrument for the interpretation of research results is required.

### Study objective

The objective of the study is to estimate the utility and the minimally clinically significant symptom difference in VAS and verbal descriptor scores as the basis for the onset of relief for skin swelling, skin pain or abdominal pain in patients with hereditary angio-edema experiencing an acute attack.

### Study design

Patients will be asked to fill in sequential VAS scores and short questionnaires during an acute angio-edem attack (48 hrs).

### **Study burden and risks**

The only burden is the recording of VAS scores and symptom scores during 48 hrs after initiation of an angio-edema attack.

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## **Trial sites**

### **Listed location countries**

Netherlands

## **Eligibility criteria**

### **Age**

Adults (18-64 years)

Elderly (65 years and older)

### **Inclusion criteria**

Patients with documented type I or type II hereditary angio-edema (confirmed by medical history and C1-INH deficiency)

History of angio-edema attacks involving skin and/or abdomen  
Male or Female  
Age > 18 yrs  
Signed written informed consent

## Exclusion criteria

Diagnosis of angio-edema other than HAE, e.g. acquired angio-edema  
Patients participating in other trials  
Mental condition rendering the subject unable to understand the nature, scope, and possible consequences of the study  
Patients unlikely to comply with protocol, e.g. uncooperative attitude, inability to return for follow-up, and unlikely to complete the study for any reason

## Study design

### Design

**Study type:** Observational non invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Other

### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Pending

Start date (anticipated): 01-09-2006

Enrollment: 20

Type: Anticipated

## Ethics review

Approved WMO

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Amsterdam UMC

## 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
CCMO	NL13462.018.06