

# Quality of life and health care utilisation among survivors of Hodgkin lymphoma, non-Hodgkin lymphoma and multiple myeloma.

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<b>Ethical review</b>	Approved WMO
<b>Status</b>	Recruitment stopped
<b>Health condition type</b>	Other condition
<b>Study type</b>	Observational non invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON31333

### Source

ToetsingOnline

### Brief title

Quality of life among lymphoma survivors

### Condition

- Other condition
- Lymphomas Hodgkin's disease

### Synonym

lymphoma

### Health condition

non-Hodgkin lymfoom, multipel myeloom

## Research involving

Human

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Integraal Kankercentrum Zuid

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Subsidie gekregen van stichting INTERZOL

## Intervention

**Keyword:** health care utilisation, Lymphoma, quality of life, survivors

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

Quality of life, health care utilisation and morbidity (fatigue, anxiety and depression)

### Secondary outcome

Personality and practical problems (like trouble with getting a mortgage, life insurance or health care insurance).

## Study description

### Background summary

The prevalence of cancer is rising. The increasing incidence of cancer in general, the aging of the population, and more effective treatment all contribute to this rapid increase. The effects of treatments is becoming more important as patients live longer after diagnosis. The objective of this study is to measure quality of life, health care use and morbidity (like fatigue, anxiety and depression) of patients diagnosed at least 2 years ago. These variables will be compared between the different treatment modalities but will also be compared between our study population and the Dutch population.

### Study objective

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modalities but will also be compared between our study population and the Dutch population.

## **Study design**

Medical specialists will send their (former) patients a letter to inform them about the study and a copy of the questionnaire. The letter will explained that by returning the completed questionnaire, the patient agrees to participate and consents with linkage of the outcome of the questionnaire with their disease history as registered in the ECR. If the questionnaire is not returned within two months, a reminder letter with an additional copy of the questionnaire will be send.

## **Study burden and risks**

The nature and extent of this study does not form a risk for the participating patients.

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## **Trial sites**

### **Listed location countries**

Netherlands

## Eligibility criteria

### Age

Adults (18-64 years)

Elderly (65 years and older)

### Inclusion criteria

The population-based Cancer Registry of comprehensive cancer centre south (CCCS) will be used to select all patients diagnosed with Hodgkin Lymphoma and non-Hodgkin Lymphoma between 1999 and 2005 and patients diagnosed with Multiple Myeloma between 1996-2005 in the region of the CCCS.

### Exclusion criteria

Participants have to be 85 years or younger as it is expected that they will have difficulty in completing a self-report questionnaire without assistance.

## Study design

### Design

**Study type:** Observational non invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Other

### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 13-03-2009

Enrollment: 2000

Type: Actual

## Ethics review

Approved WMO

Date: 17-03-2008

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Maxima Medisch Centrum (Veldhoven)

Approved WMO

Date: 26-02-2014

Application type: Amendment

Review commission: METC Maxima Medisch Centrum (Veldhoven)

## 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**

CCMO

**ID**

NL19497.015.07