Fatigue in CVA patients: an underexposed issue

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Ethical review	Approved WMO
Status	Recruitment stopped
Health condition type	Vascular haemorrhagic disorders
Study type	Observational non invasive

Summary

ID

NL-OMON32172

Source
ToetsingOnline

Brief title
FATSTROKE

Condition

- Vascular haemorrhagic disorders

Synonym
cerebral vascular accident, stroke

Research involving
Human

Sponsors and support

Primary sponsor: Universiteit van Tilburg
Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Ministerie van OC&W

Intervention

Keyword: Cerebral vascular accident, Fatigue

Outcome measures

Primary outcome

Level of quality of life at follow-up, adverse events and death at follow-up.

Secondary outcome

nvt

Study description

Background summary

Symptoms of fatigue after a stroke is a neglected issue. Little is known about the determinants of fatigue and the prognostic value of fatigue in stroke patients. Since patients often rate fatigue as one a there worst symptoms affecting their quality of life, it is important to gain knowledge about its predictors and to examine its predictive value.

Study objective

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Study design

Above objectives will be investigated using a longitudinal study design.

Study burden and risks

There is no additional risk associated with participation. Patients are asked to participate in a neuropsychological examination at baseline and 3-month follow-up, and fill out a questionnaire booklet at baseline, 3-month follow-up, and 12-month follow-up. Patients are asked to participate 3 times.

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Trial sites

Listed location countries

Netherlands

Eligibility criteria

Age
Adults (18-64 years)
Elderly (65 years and older)

Inclusion criteria

CVA
Discharched from Neurology ward

Exclusion criteria

Patients with impaired level of consciousness, with severe problems in language comprehension, multiple cognitive impairments reflecting dementia syndrome, as well as patients who were in peril of death are excluded.

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):	19-03-2008
Enrollment:	300
Type:	Actual

Medical products/devices used

Registration:	No

Ethics review

Approved WMO

Date:	10-03-2008
Application type:	First submission
Review commission:	METC Brabant (Tilburg)

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	NL21642.008.08