

# Heparin-bonded endoluminal bypass versus surgical femoro-popliteal bypass; a randomized controlled trail

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To demonstrate the equality of a heparin bonded ePTFE covered stent-graft with the femoropopliteal bypass for long lesions in the superficial femoral artery

<b>Ethical review</b>	Approved WMO
<b>Status</b>	Recruitment stopped
<b>Health condition type</b>	Arteriosclerosis, stenosis, vascular insufficiency and necrosis
<b>Study type</b>	Interventional

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON32859

### Source

ToetsingOnline

### Brief title

Surgical versus percutaneous bypass trail / SUPERB-trail

### Condition

- Arteriosclerosis, stenosis, vascular insufficiency and necrosis

### Synonym

arteriosclerosis, vascular disease

### Research involving

Human

### Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Alysis Zorggroep

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Elisabeth Stichting

## Intervention

**Keyword:** bypass, endoluminal, femoropopliteal occlusion, heparin-bonded

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

Primary endpoints:

Primary, primary-assisted and secondary patency

### Secondary outcome

Secundaire endpoints:

Complications

Clinical improvement

Surgical and endovascular re-interventions

Quality of Life

target lesion revascularization

Subgroup analysis:

-patients with disabling claudication (Rutherford 3) will be analyzed

separately using pain-free and maximal walking distance as additional endpoint

- patients with ischemic restpain and necrosis (Rutherford 4-6) will be

analyzed using limb salvage and major amputation as endpoints

## Study description

### Background summary

The treatment of first choice of long superficial femoral artery obstructions still consists of surgical venous femoropopliteal bypass. The one year patency

of this procedure is 87% and the four year patency 70%.

In recent years endovascular techniques have advanced and provided new treatment options for peripheral vascular disease. Results of an angioplasty of the SFA seem to depend on the length of the lesion. For short lesions the results are good with an one year patency of 80%. But for longer lesions the one year patency of nitinol stents is only 63%.

One of the major limiting issues appears to be in-stent re-stenosis. With the development of ePTFE covered stents the patency has improved to 83% in one year and 63% in two years (comparable to the prosthetic bypass. Heparin bonded stents have improved the results to a two year patency of 69-81%.

Recently the heparin bonded stent has been integrated with the ePTFE covered stent. Using this technique the results may improve to the level of the current gold standard, the venous femoropopliteal bypass. Advantages of the endoluminal techniques would be related to the minimal invasive character: less pain, earlier recovery and less early complications.

## **Study objective**

To demonstrate the equality of a heparin bonded ePTFE covered stent-graft with the femoropopliteal bypass for long lesions in the superficial femoral artery

## **Study design**

Prospective randomised controlled trail

## **Intervention**

Patients are randomised between surgical venous femoropopliteal bypass and endoluminal stent-graft

## **Study burden and risks**

Patients who would receive an endoluminal bypass, but in who the procedure fails, will receive a surgical bypass during the same session.

The first three months (one, three and six months postoperatively) patients will have to complete a questionnaire before their OPD visit.

## **Contacts**

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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 over 18 years of age

informed consent

>10 cm stenosis or occlusion of the SFA or popliteal artery, not extending below knee level

rutherford category 3-6

indication for surgical bypass

distal runoff of one or more vessels

resting ABI <0,8 in the study limb prior to procedure

de novo stenosis or restenosis (>50%) of occlusion of the native SFA

orifice and proximal 1 cm of SFA are patent

popliteal artery is patent at P2 segment to the trifurcation

diameter of native SFA and popliteal artery are 4.3-7.5 mm

### Exclusion criteria

patient unsuitable for administration of contrast agent (previous lifethreatening reaction)

pregnancy

dementia or altered mental status that would prohibit giving conscious informed consent

need for major surgical or vascular procedures within one month

untreated flowlimiting aortoiliac occlusive disease  
 any previous stenting or surgery in the target vessel  
 severe ipsilateral common femoral/profunda disease requiring surgical intervention  
 perioperative unsuccessful ipsilateral percutaneous vascular procedure to treat inflow disease  
 prior to enrollment  
 femoral or popliteal aneurysm of target vessel  
 non-atherosclerotic disease resulting in occlusion (eg embolism, Buerger's disease, vasculitis)  
 prior ipsilateral femoral artery bypass  
 severe medical comorbidities or other medical condition that would preclude compliance with study protocol  
 serum creatinine >2,5 mg/dL within 45 days prior to study procedure unless subject is currently on dialysis  
 major distal amputation (above the transmetatarsal) in the study or non-study limb  
 septicemia or bacteremia  
 any previously known coagulation disorder  
 contraindication to anticoagulation or antiplatelet therapy  
 Known allergies to stent/stentgraft components  
 patients with known hypersensitivity to heparin including those who have had a previous incidence of heparin induced thrombocytopenia type II  
 planned surgical procedure or amputation after enrollment of the patient

## Study design

### Design

Study type:	Interventional
Intervention model:	Parallel
Allocation:	Randomized controlled trial
Masking:	Open (masking not used)
Control:	Active
Primary purpose:	Treatment

### Recruitment

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Recruitment status:	Recruitment stopped
Start date (anticipated):	15-10-2010
Enrollment:	222
Type:	Actual

## Ethics review

Approved WMO

Date: 15-10-2010

Application type: First submission

Review commission: CMO regio Arnhem-Nijmegen (Nijmegen)

Approved WMO

Date: 17-12-2015

Application type: Amendment

Review commission: CMO regio Arnhem-Nijmegen (Nijmegen)

## 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**

NL29652.091.09

## Study results

Date completed: 01-07-2020

Results posted: 11-11-2020

Actual enrolment: 129

**First publication**

22-10-2020