# **IJsselstein Study of Central Obesity**

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**Ethical review** Approved WMO

**Status** Recruitment stopped

**Health condition type** Glucose metabolism disorders (incl diabetes mellitus)

**Study type** Observational invasive

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON33262

Source

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Brief title IJSCO-2

### **Condition**

- Glucose metabolism disorders (incl diabetes mellitus)
- Lipid metabolism disorders
- Vascular hypertensive disorders

### **Synonym**

insulin resistance syndrome, metabolic syndrome

### Research involving

Human

### **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Universitair Medisch Centrum Utrecht

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** het Investigator Initiated Studies Program

van MSD, Merck Sharpe & Dohme (MSD)

### Intervention

**Keyword:** Central obesity, Metabolic syndrome, Primary care

### **Outcome measures**

### **Primary outcome**

The main endpoint is the remission of the metabolic syndrome in the 473 people with screen-detected metabolic syndrome. Metabolic syndrome will be determined according to NCEP ATP III-criteria.

### **Secondary outcome**

- Changes in the separate components of the metabolic syndrome: waist circumference, blood pressure, HDL cholesterol, triglycerides and fasting glucose
- Changes in lifestyle, with regard to smoking, alcohol use and physical activity
- The development of type 2 diabetes or cardiovascular disease since the screening
- Cardiovascular medications that were prescribed after the screening
- Illness perception with regard to obesity

# Study description

### **Background summary**

In 2004 the Health Council of the Netherlands suggested targeted screening for various cardiovascular risk factors in a high-risk group of obese subjects, instead of a general population-based screening for type 2 diabetes. Such a screening was the IJSCO study (IJsselstein Screening for Central Obesity to detect metabolic syndrome), which aimed to detect metabolic syndrome patients. All patients of the 'Medische Maatschap IJsselstein' aged 20-70 years

who were not known with diabetes, hypertension or dyslipidemia were asked to measure their waist circumference. 1721 people with a self-measured increased waist circumference were invited for further research. In 473 the metabolic syndrome was detected. Halve of the detected cases was between 30 and 50 years old. In this agegroup, people visit their general practitioner less often. This makes screening even more relevant. The metabolic syndrome prevalence among all people aged 20-70 years in IJsselstein was 15.5%.

Screening participants were asked to contact their general practice three weeks after the screening for their results. They were treated according to the guidelines of the Dutch College of General Practitioners.

### Study objective

Following the participants three more years will enable us to get a better overview of the consequences of the screening with regard to treatment, health, lifestyle modifications and illness perception with regard to obesity.

### Primary Objective:

• To assess the remission of the metabolic syndrome following standard care about three years after screening in people with screen-detected metabolic syndrome, and to assess which determinants at the time of diagnosis predict remission of screen-detected metabolic syndrome within three years following usual care.

### Secondary Objectives:

- To assess how the health status developed with regard to waist circumference, body mass index (BMI), blood pressure, fasting glucose and lipid spectrum in patients with central obesity that were screened for the metabolic syndrome;
- To assess how many patients developed diabetes mellitus or cardiovascular disease
- To assess which cardiovascular medications were prescribed to patients with screen-detected metabolic syndrome;
- To assess how lifestyle changed over a three years follow-up period in patients with central obesity with and without the metabolic syndrome;
- To identify those patients who are likely not to adhere to suggested preventive measures with regard to their lifestyle after they were diagnosed with the metabolic syndrome;
- To assess illness perception with regard to obesity in patients with central obesity with and without the metabolic syndrome.

### Study design

Observational study.

All screening participants that were detected with the metabolic syndrome will be invited for further research. As a control group, we will also invite a random sample of the participants with central obesity that did not meet the metabolic syndrome criteria. Investigations will include a short physical examination, blood collection and a questionnaire.

### Study burden and risks

The burden associated with the study for the patient is minimal: one visit and one venapuncture. The only risk is possibly a small hematoma at the venapuncture site. The possible benefit for the patient is the reduction of cardiovascular risk by treatment of the detected cardiovascular risk factors.

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## **Trial sites**

### **Listed location countries**

**Netherlands** 

# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Age

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

### **Inclusion criteria**

Central obesity measured during the screening for the metabolic syndrome in 2006/2007

### **Exclusion criteria**

Pregnancy

# Study design

### **Design**

Study type: Observational invasive

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non-randomized controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Active

Primary purpose: Diagnostic

### **Recruitment**

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 02-11-2009

Enrollment: 673

Type: Actual

## **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 28-10-2009

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Universitair Medisch Centrum Utrecht (Utrecht)

# **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

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