# Perfusion CT in resectable livermetastases of colorectal cancer.

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**Ethical review** Approved WMO **Status** Recruiting

Health condition type Gastrointestinal neoplasms malignant and unspecified

**Study type** Observational invasive

# **Summary**

## ID

NL-OMON35564

#### Source

**ToetsingOnline** 

#### **Brief title**

MICC Perfusion CT

## Condition

Gastrointestinal neoplasms malignant and unspecified

## **Synonym**

livermetastases colorectal cancer

# Research involving

Human

# **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Universitair Medisch Centrum Sint Radboud **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** KWF subsidie

## Intervention

**Keyword:** Colorectal cancer, Livermetastases, Perfusion CT

## **Outcome measures**

## **Primary outcome**

Correlation between CT parameters of tumor vasculature and hemodynamic

properties of the tumor (ktrans, kep, VE) and histopathology.

## **Secondary outcome**

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# **Study description**

# **Background summary**

Besides functional imaging techniques with MRI and PET, possibilities arise of functional imaging with computer tomography (CT), like perfusion CT. Follow-up of most metastasized colorectal cancer patients is done with CT. Therefore it would be patient-friendly to be able to do (additional) functional imaging with CT as well.

Like DCE-MRI, dynamic perfusion CT provides information on tumor vasculature and hemodynamic properties. After analyses of the data in a pharmacokinetic model, it provides information on blood volume, flow, vascular permeability and extracellular volume. These parameters are associated with tumor aggressiveness and prognosis. In various tumors has been shown that a drop in perfusion CT parameters is predictive of response to treatment later on. The data of perfusion CT and DCE-MRI are not directly interchangeable. Only a weak correlation was shown between DCE-MRI- and perfusion CT parameters

## Study objective

We want to estimate the additional value of perfusion CT over the 4 phase contrast CT. Furthermore, we want to correlate measurements of perfusion CT (parameters) to histopathological properties of the tumor.

# Study design

20 patients scheduled for a metastasectomy of liver metastases of colorectal cancer will be asked to participate in this study.

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An perfusion CT of the patients will be made. It will be compared to the 4 phase contrast enhanced CT that is made in regular clinical care before a metastasectomy. Correlation with histopathology (hypoxia, vessel density) will be determined.

# Study burden and risks

The most important burden for the participating patients is the radiation exposition of 10 mSv.

# **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 with livermetastases of colorectal cancer scheduled for metastasectomy.

# **Exclusion criteria**

renal failure, pregnancy, former allergic reactions to contrast agents, claustrofobia.

# Study design

# **Design**

Study type: Observational invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Diagnostic

## Recruitment

**Enrollment:** 

NL

Recruitment status: Recruiting

Start date (anticipated): 19-11-2014

Type: Actual

# **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 07-12-2011

Application type: First submission

Review commission: CMO regio Arnhem-Nijmegen (Nijmegen)

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# **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 NL37784.091.11