# I-131 remnant ablation in differentiated thyroid cancer-optimal treatment with maximal outcome

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Ethical review	Approved WMO
Status	Will not start
Health condition type	Thyroid gland disorders
Study type	Interventional

# Summary

#### ID

NL-OMON36661

**Source** ToetsingOnline

**Brief title** rhTSH stimulated remnant ablation in differentiated thyroid cancer

## Condition

• Thyroid gland disorders

**Synonym** differentiated thyroid carcinoma, thyroid cancer

# Research involving

Human

## **Sponsors and support**

Primary sponsor: Universitair Medisch Centrum Groningen Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Genzyme, Genzyme Corporation

#### Intervention

Keyword: ablation, cancer, remnant, thyroid

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

The primary endpoint of successful ablation is defined as: rhTSH Tg<1ng/ml,

negative rhTSH dx WBS, negative neck US and negative Tg antibodies.

In case of TgAb or Tg < 1 ng/ml at the time of ablation, a second high dose of

1131 will be given according to the Dutch guidelines. In these patients a

succesfull ablation will be defined as a post treatment scintigraphy with no

visible uptake in the original thyroid bed

#### Secondary outcome

not applicable

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Patients with differentiated thyroid cancer (papillary and follicular) are treated with near-total thyroidectomy. in most of the patients this treatment has to be followed by ablation with I-131 to eliminate remnant thyroid tissue to decrease the risk of tumor recurrence and improve sensitivity and specificity of thyroglobulin measurement in follow-up.

#### **Study objective**

To determine that rhTSH pretretament during euthyroidism (already available in an number of centra in the Netherlands) in a adequately powered study is as good as the classical way of inducing hypothyrodism by withholding suppletion which induces endogeneous rise of the TSH level.

#### Study design

Prospective observational study design, to evaluate an international accepted but not in all treating centers applicated therapy.

#### Intervention

Two rhTSH injections will be given 6 weeks after total thyroidectomy (before 131-I treatment) and 9 months after the first high dose 131-I treatment.

#### Study burden and risks

After thyroidectomy immediately start with suppletion After 4 weeks on 2 days in succession 1 injection with rhTSH After 9 months on 2 days in succession 1 injection with rhTSH

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# **Trial sites**

#### **Listed location countries**

Netherlands

## **Eligibility criteria**

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

## **Inclusion criteria**

low and high risk patients (AJCC 6) with recently diagnosed histological proven differentiated thyroid cancer, who have to be treated with ablation therapy aged 18 years or older not pregnant not major concurrent diseases (such as stable cardiovascular disease, concurrent malignancy treated < 5 years) leading to a reduced survival < 1 year normal renal function

## **Exclusion criteria**

Stage T4 Stage M1 when known before ablation

# Study design

## Design

Study type: Interventional	
Masking:	Open (masking not used)
Control:	Uncontrolled
Primary purpose:	Treatment

## Recruitment

NL	
Recruitment status:	Will not start
Start date (anticipated):	01-10-2009
Enrollment:	144
Туре:	Anticipated

# **Ethics review**

Approved WMO Date:	23-10-2009
Application type:	First submission
Review commission:	METC Universitair Medisch Centrum Groningen (Groningen)
Approved WMO Date:	20-09-2011
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Universitair Medisch Centrum Groningen (Groningen)

# **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 NL28778.042.09