The effectiveness of an intervention, including a very low calorie diet, cognitive behavioural therapy and maintenance contract, regarding weight and weight regain, diabetes management, cardiovasculair risk, depression and quality of life in overweight patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus, after 2 year follow-up.

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Ethical review	Approved WMO
Status	Recruitment stopped
Health condition type	Diabetic complications
Study type	Interventional

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON39024

**Source** ToetsingOnline

#### **Brief title**

Prevention Of WEight Regain in diabetes type 2 (POWER)

## Condition

- Diabetic complications
- Diabetic complications
- Lifestyle issues

**Synonym** diabetes, Overweight

**Research involving** Human

### **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Ministerie van OC&W

#### Intervention

**Keyword:** Cardiovacular risk, Cognitive behavioural treatment, Diabetes mellitus type 2, Obesity

### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

Primary outcome measures are weight (kg) and weight regain.

#### Secondary outcome

Other outcome measures are Body Mass Index (BMI = weight (kg) / length (m)2),

HbA1c (%), waist circumference (cm), systolic blood pressure (mmHg), lipid

levels (LDL, HDL, TG (mmol/l)en chol/HDL), antidiabetic agents en doses,

cardiovascular risk (UKPDS), lifestyle and quality of life (EuroQol). A smaal

amount of hair will be collected at 3 timepoints during te study to measure

haircortisol. Psychosocial parameters like depression, self-esteem, relational

functioning and fear for negative appearance evaluation are studied, as

secondary outcome as well as determinant for weight loss.

In this unique population we want to collect DNA-material to study the genetic

factors associated with succeeding of the intervention.

Last but not least we want to conduct an analysis of the cost effectiveness of

the intervention as compared to usual care.

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Obesity is thought to be of major pathogenetic importance in type 2 diabetic patients and can contribute to poor glycemic control and increase the risk for cardiovascular disease. It is estimated that over 80% of patients with diabetes type 2 is overweight (BMI>25 kg/m2). To achieve a more favourable risk profile, changes in diet and lifestyle are needed. However, current treatment programs for obese DM type 2 patients are not effective over the long term.

#### **Study objective**

In this RCT we combine cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT) with a maintenance contract and a specific diet (very low calorie diet), to obtain and maintain favourable effects on weight and risk profile over the long term.

#### Study design

This study is a randomised parallel group intervention study, with varying block size.

#### Intervention

Participants all start with a very low calorie diet and will be included in the study by obtaining 5% weight loss, after which they will be randomly assigned to the 2 research groups. After finishing the 3-months diet period, the control group will receive the normal treatment. During the very low calorie diet, the intervention group starts with cognitive behavioural group therapy for 10 weeks. Subsequently, the intervention group will receive 7 evaluation group meetings till the end of de study (2 years).

#### Study burden and risks

There are minimal risks associated with participation in this study. However, the metabolic benefits outweigh the investment of time and possible adverse effects.

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## **Trial sites**

## **Listed location countries**

Netherlands

# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Age

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

### **Inclusion criteria**

Diabetes mellitus type 2 Overweight: Body Mass Index (BMI) > 25 kg/m2 Age >18 years

### **Exclusion criteria**

Pregnancy/lactation Inadequate knowledge of the Dutch language/Inability to fill in questionnaires Inability to lose 5% of body weight during very low calorie diet Severe psychiatric problems

# Study design

## Design

Study type:	Interventional
Intervention model:	Parallel
Allocation:	Randomized controlled trial
Masking:	Single blinded (masking used)
Control:	Active
Primary purpose:	Treatment

### Recruitment

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Recruitment status:	Recruitment stopped
Start date (anticipated):	01-10-2009
Enrollment:	300
Туре:	Actual

# **Ethics review**

Approved WMO	
Date:	29-06-2009
Application type:	First submission
Review commission:	METC Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam (Rotterdam)
Approved WMO	
Date:	13-12-2010
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam (Rotterdam)
Approved WMO	
Date:	26-04-2012
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam (Rotterdam)

#### Approved WMO

Date:	19-11-2013
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam (Rotterdam)

## **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 Other ID NL26508.078.09 NTC2264