# Low disease activity in psoriatic arthritis: a cross-sectional analysis of a cohort of patients with Psoriatic Arthritis

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Ethical review	Approved WMO
Status	Recruitment stopped
Health condition type	Autoimmune disorders
Study type	Observational invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON39993

**Source** ToetsingOnline

**Brief title** LDA in PsA

### Condition

- Autoimmune disorders
- Joint disorders

**Synonym** psoriatic arthritis, spondyloarthritis

**Research involving** Human

## **Sponsors and support**

Primary sponsor: Academisch Medisch Centrum Source(s) of monetary or material Support: collectebusfondsen

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### Intervention

Keyword: - cross-sectional, - low disease activity, - psoriatic arthritis

### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

- Disease activity will be assessed in all potential disease domains.
- The proportion of patients that fulfills the criteria for Minimal Disease

Activity (MDA) will be determined.

- The proportion of patients that fulfills the criteria for MDA in DMARD

treated versus TNFi treated patients.

- Current medication (type, dosage and start date) will be documented

#### Secondary outcome

- Parameters related to cardiovascular outcomes will be assessed.
- Depression, quality of life, and work participation.
- Determination of biomarkers and genetic markers

## **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Psoriatic arthritis (PsA) is a chronic inflammatory disease. Treatment with traditional disease modifying anti-rheumatic drugs (DMARDs) or biological agents, including TNF inhibitors may be necessary to reduce the signs and symptoms of disease, and prevent joint damage. Ideally, the treating physician evaluates the symptoms and severity in all disease domains where PsA may be active; skin and nails, arthritis, dactylitis, enthesitis and spondylitis but also inflammatory bowel disease and uveitis. The 'tight control' and 'treat-to-target' principles that are commonly applied in rheumatoid arthritis (RA) have not yet been evaluated and or implemented in PsA. This "tight control" for PsA as well can be induced by using the criteria for "minimal active disease". Our hypothesis is that a significant proportion of PsA patients still have residual disease activity and thus may theoretically

benefit from more intensive treatment (after future studies).

#### **Study objective**

Primary objectives:

1) to determine the residual disease activity in a large cohort of patients with PsA in whom the treating physician considers the disease adequate-controlled under the current treatment.

2) to document the different treatment regimens in these patients.

Secondary objectives

 to determine prevalence of other important co-morbidities, including the cardiovascular disease, depression and alcohol (ab)use
to determine which biomarkers are able to predict MDA

#### Study design

A \*two center\* cross-sectional descriptive cohort study in patients with PsA in whom the treating physician considers the disease is well-controlled. Patients will be recruited from the outpatient clinic in Reade and AMC regardless of treatment regimen.

#### Study burden and risks

- 1 visit (1,5 hours) is planned.

- a questionnaire will be performed with a duration of 15 minutes
- 1x blood will be drawn. The total amount is 37ml (8 tubes)

## 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**

psoriatic arthritis en voldoen aan classificatie criteria for psoriatic arthritis (CASPAR) low disease activity according to rheumatologist no matter what therapy

## **Exclusion criteria**

concomittant rheumatic diseases other than psoriatic arthritis other painful conditions that may interfere the disease activiity evaluations

## Study design

### Design

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

### Recruitment

NL	
Recruitment status:	Recruitment stopped
Start date (anticipated):	16-02-2013

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Enrollment:	250
Туре:	Actual

## **Ethics review**

Approved WMO Date:	12-12-2012
Application type:	First submission
Review commission:	METC Amsterdam UMC
Approved WMO Date:	05-03-2013
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Amsterdam UMC
Approved WMO Date:	18-03-2013
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Amsterdam UMC

## **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** NL42303.018.12