# CID PILOT STUDY: A test of the design, recruitment, and methods for the Utrecht baby and adolescent cohort studies.

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Ethical reviewNot approvedStatusWill not startHealth condition typeOther condition

**Study type** Observational invasive

## **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON40994

#### Source

ToetsingOnline

#### **Brief title**

**CID PILOT STUDY** 

## **Condition**

Other condition

#### **Synonym**

behavioral control, brain development, social competence

## **Health condition**

Psychosociale ontwikkeling

## Research involving

Human

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Universiteit Utrecht

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Ministerie van OC&W,NWO Zwaartekracht

subsidie

## Intervention

**Keyword:** children, cohort, pilot

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

The main evaluation criteria for the pilot study are: The number of measures failed due to baby\*s fatigue or loss of attention; the observed and registered burden of the testing for the babies and children; the self-reported burden for the parents; total workload for the measurement team and feasiblity of the planning and the day scripts; costs and efficiency of the recruitment procedure and resulting response rates.

## **Secondary outcome**

Efficiency of two conditions of measurement for the baby cohort; data reliability obtained in the two conditions of measurement; preference of parents for measurement location.

# **Study description**

## **Background summary**

The large Utrecht CID study will provide information on the interaction between environmental and biological determinants on children\*s behaviour, and the role of brain development in the development of a child\*s behaviour. The study will thus shed new light on why some children thrive and others do not. Preceding the design of the two large cohorts of the CID Utrecht study, a pilot study is proposed. The pilot study is meant to give an empirical basis for the specific

design questions that the study is facing and to optimise the logistics and course of measurement.

## Study objective

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## Study design

Pilot study for observational longitudinal cohort study. Measures of brain activity are recorded during the presentation of social stimuli and the execution of attentional tasks, using EEG registration and MRI scanning. In addition, cognitive tests and behavioural tasks are carried out. A split-ballot design is used to compare baby measures taken at home with measures taken at the research center.

#### Study burden and risks

Since the focus of the Utrecht CID cohort study is on brain development from birth into adolescence, the general cohort study can only be performed in children: young babies as well as pre-adolescents. To be truly predictive for the main study, the pilot study needs to be performed in the same age groups. Children and parents have no direct personal benefit from the study. There are no known risks associated with participation in the proposed research and the burden is estimated to be low (a total course of 1,5 days, with an effective measurement time of about 90 minutes to 2,5 hours).

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## **Trial sites**

## **Listed location countries**

**Netherlands** 

# **Eligibility criteria**

## Age

Children (2-11 years)

## Inclusion criteria

Babies: 9-11 month old

Adolescents: between 9 years 11 months and 10 years 1 month old

## **Exclusion criteria**

- Premature born (<32 weeks gestational age)
- Children with a congenital disease
- For the 10 year old children: the standard list of exclusion criteria for MRI (irrremovable metal objects, etc.)

# Study design

## **Design**

Study type: Observational invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Health services research

## Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Will not start

Enrollment: 120

Type: Anticipated

# **Ethics review**

Not approved

Date: 14-04-2014

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

CCMO NL48126.041.14