# Single Ambulatory Phlebectomy versus endovenous Thermal Ablation with concomitant ambulatory Phlebectomies

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Ethical review Approved WMO

**Status** Pending

**Health condition type** Venous varices **Study type** Interventional

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON42057

Source

ToetsingOnline

**Brief title**SAPTAP study

#### **Condition**

Venous varices

#### **Synonym**

saphenous vein, varicose veins

#### Research involving

Human

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Beroepsvereniging: Benelux vereniging voor de Flebologie

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#### Intervention

**Keyword:** cost-effectiviness, endovenous thermal ablation, single ambulatory phlebectomies, varicose veins

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

Cost-effectiveness

#### **Secondary outcome**

Elimination of reflux in GSV (or AASV), patient reported outcomes (including symptoms, satisfaction and health related quality of life), direct and indirect costs, clinical class of the CEAP classification, venous clinical severity score and predictors of success.

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

It is suggested that reflux of the saphenous trunk may be reversible. Therefore, treating varicose veins in a more conservative manner by SAP may be a cost effective strategy.

#### Study objective

To compare single ambulatory phlebectomies (SAP) with or without delayed endovenous thermal ablation (EVTA) (after 9 months) with combined thermal ablation and phlebectomies (TAP) (control arm).

#### Study design

Multicentre randomised controlled trial

#### Intervention

SAP (with or without delayed EVTA) or TAP with follow-up at 3, 9, 12, and 60 months

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#### Study burden and risks

in approximately 25% of all treated patients with varicose veins and reflux of the GSV or AASV, ablation of the trunk can be avoided resulting in fewer complications and costs. However in 1/3 of these patients the SAP procedure will not be sufficient and patients will need a second intervention with EVTA.

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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 primary incompetent GSV and tributaries and patients with primary incompetent AASV and tributaries.

#### **Exclusion criteria**

previous treatment of ipsilateral GSV trunk or tributary (or in case of AASV, previous treatment of ipsilateral AASV trunk or tributary) deep venous thrombosis and agenesis, post-thrombotic syndrome of the obstructive type, pregnancy and arterial disease.

# Study design

## **Design**

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Randomized controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Active

Primary purpose: Treatment

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Pending

Start date (anticipated): 01-09-2014

Enrollment: 520

Type: Anticipated

## **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 17-09-2014

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam

(Rotterdam)

Approved WMO

Date: 04-03-2015
Application type: Amendment

Review commission: METC Erasmus MC, Universitair Medisch Centrum Rotterdam

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Approved WMO

Date: 09-09-2015

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

ID: 24499

Source: Nationaal Trial Register

Title:

## In other registers

Register II

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