# The effect of GRT21750T and GRTR775 on spontaneous cytokine expression by lesional psoriasis explants in vitro.

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**Ethical review** Approved WMO

**Status** Recruitment stopped

Health condition type Epidermal and dermal conditions

**Study type** Observational invasive

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON43378

#### Source

**ToetsingOnline** 

#### **Brief title**

The effect of GRT on cytokine expression in psoriasis

#### **Condition**

Epidermal and dermal conditions

#### **Synonym**

psoriasis

#### Research involving

Human

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Grunenthal

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Farmaceutische industrie

#### Intervention

**Keyword:** cytokine, expression, psoriasis

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

Cytokine synthesis and release after treatment with GRT.

#### **Secondary outcome**

Not applicable.

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Psoriasis is an auto-immune disease in which pro-inflammatory protein mediators, released by skin cells and infiltrating cells, cause an abnormal cell division and differentiation. It may be possible to treat psoriasis using drugs aimed at preventing the synthesis of such mediators.

#### **Study objective**

The aim of the project is to study the effect of GRT on the synthesis and cytokine release in psoriasis lesions. This information can establish the right formulation and dose of GRT for further research.

#### Study design

Lesional skin biopsies of 3 mm in diameter will be treated with GRT in vitro. By measuring the effect of the cytokine synthesis and release, it is possible to establish the right formulation and dose of GRT for further research.

#### Study burden and risks

The health risks associated with taking skin biopsies are small. It is possible to obtain a slight scar formation and/or discolouration at the site of the biopsy punch.

## **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

Patients with moderate to severe psoriasis

#### **Exclusion criteria**

Volunteers undergoing UV/light therapy or taking systemic drugs such as cyclosporin A or methotrexate

Volunteers using local topical corticosteroids

Volunteers developing psoriasis at wound sites (Köbner phenomenon)

# Study design

### **Design**

Study type: Observational invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Other

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 02-03-2016

Enrollment: 5

Type: Actual

## **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 05-02-2016

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Leiden-Den Haag-Delft (Leiden)

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# **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.

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