Investigation of the reliability of a manual test according the rotation of the knee

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Ethical review Approved WMO

Status Recruitment stopped

Health condition type Joint disorders

Study type Observational non invasive

Summary

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Source

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Brief title

Kneerotationtest 90 degree knee hip flection Intra/intertesterreliability

Condition

Joint disorders

Synonym

Unexplaned knee problems

Research involving

Human

Sponsors and support

Primary sponsor: Cheiron Medisch Centrum Waalre

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

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Intervention

Keyword: Knee, Manual test, Rotation

Outcome measures

Primary outcome

Part 1: Range of motion of the external- and internal rotation of the

knee.Outcome in degree of rotational motion.

ndfeel of the passive manual test normal/limited

Part 2: Passive motion of the external- and internal rotation of the knee using

a manual test and its "end-feel". The outcome will be normal or limited.

With the outcome we can calculate the intra- and interobserver reliability and

the Kappa

Part 3: Agreement between quantitative and qualitative. The quantitative

portion will be dichotomised to calculate Cohens'Kappa.

Sensitivity, specificity, AUC and ROC curve will be calculated to asses

diagnostic quality.

See protocol: Chapter statistical analysis

Secondary outcome

not applicable

Study description

Background summary

A limitation of external- and /or internal-rotation of the knee during physical examination of the musculoskeletal system can be a sign of disturbance of the

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kinematic chain wich might cause secondary complaints.

Clinical observation in our daily practice shows restriction of rotation as probably caused by problems in the adjacent joints .

This might cause complaints of unknown origine.

Hypothesis: the manual rotationtest of the knee in a 90 degree angle is reliable.

Study objective

Define the normal outcome and spread of the range of motion of the knee-rotation The outcome of the manual rotationtest of the knee compared with a rotation-device. (reliability of the test)

Define inter- and intra-tester reliability of the manual test

Part 1: First objective is to criticize if the clinical rotation-test with the knee in 90 degree flexion (and the hipjoint in 90 degree flexion) is reliable. In this first part a quantitative measurement is done with support of a rotational device to objectivate the range of motion in degrees of external-and internal rotation of the knee. Define the normal outcome and the distribution of the knee rotation.

Part 2: To study the intra- and interobserver agreement of the clinical test. To study this item 40 subjects (20 normal and 20 limited knee rotational movement) will be included.

Part 3: The agreement between quantitative and qualitative measurement as calculated in part 1 and 2 will be elaborated

See protocol: introduction and objectives

Study design

part1: analytical experimental descriptive study;

part 2 +3:analytical experimental study

Study burden and risks

non applicable

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Trial sites

Listed location countries

Netherlands

Eligibility criteria

Age

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

Inclusion criteria

Part 1
Age 18 to 55 yrs
No complaints concerning musculoskeletal system
Voluntary participation and confirmed informed consent
Dutchspeaking
Part 2 and 3
People with or without limitation of the kneerotation
Voluntary participation and confirmed informed consent
Dutch speaking

Exclusion criteria

Knee-surgery in the medical history
Hip-, ankleor footsurgery in the medical history
Bone-fracture of the lower extremity in the medical history
Congenital abnormalities of the lower extremity
Systemic inflammatory diseases
Muscle disease
Radiculopathy

A limitation of the kneerotation having a probable connexion with a certain presentation of physical problems

Study design

Design

Study type: Observational non invasive

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non-randomized controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Active

Primary purpose: Diagnostic

Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 07-12-2017

Enrollment: 160

Type: Actual

Ethics review

Approved WMO

Date: 24-07-2017

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Maxima Medisch Centrum (Veldhoven)

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

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