# Associations between sleep bruxism and (peri-)implant complications: a follow-up study.

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Ethical review Approved WMO

**Status** Recruitment stopped

**Health condition type** Other condition

**Study type** Observational invasive

## **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON45030

#### Source

**ToetsingOnline** 

## **Brief title**

Sleep bruxism and (peri-)implant complications.

## **Condition**

• Other condition

## **Synonym**

Inflammation and loss of peri-implant tissues and implant technical complications. Inflammation and loss of mucosal and bone tissues around an implant and implant technical problems.

## **Health condition**

Prognosis for dental implant treatments.

## Research involving

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## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Academic Centre for Dentistry Amsterdam (ACTA) **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Sunstar Suisse SA

## Intervention

**Keyword:** Follow-up study, Peri-implant conditions, Sleep bruxism, Technical complications

## **Outcome measures**

## **Primary outcome**

Peri-implant inflammation and bone loss.

Implant technical complications.

## **Secondary outcome**

Not applicable.

# **Study description**

## **Background summary**

Prognosis for a dental implant treatment is evaluated in terms of technical and biological aspects. Dental implant complications consist mainly of mechanical complications related to implant components or suprastructures (i.e., artificial teeth on the implants) and biological complications related to peri-implant mucosal or bone tissue. Clinical and radiographical evaluations of the peri-implant tissue conditions are generally considered to be important for detection of early signs of these implant complications.

Previous studies report that formation and development of a microbial biofilm around an implant is an important etiologic factor in the pathogenesis of peri-implant mucositis and peri-implantitis. Based on current literature, it is unclear whether mechanical implant loading contributes to the peri-implant tissue complications (i.e., inflammation and bone loss) due to the study designs (retrospective cohort study) and/or lack of definition of loading condition.

Sleep bruxism (SB), is defined as a repetitive jaw-muscle activity characterized by clenching or grinding of the teeth and/or by bracing or thrusting of the mandible during sleep. Most individuals have the manifestation

of the muscle activity, although it differs between individuals, i.e., some individuals manifest more activities, than others.. Therefore, it should be noted that virtually all individuals clench and/or grind during sleep with individual variation. SB is considered to be an important source of loading applied to implants. However, a relationship between SB and (peri-)implant complications has not yet been demonstrated, which is partly because of the large variation in the literature in terms of both the technical and the biological aspects of implants and the suprastructures. Clearly, the peri-implant complications (inflammation and bone loss) have a multifactorial etiology and therefore, in this study, all etiological factors that have been identified to date will be taken into account. SB will be monitored by measuring masticatory muscle activity during sleep. As to avoid variation in the outcomes caused by failing retention of removable suprastructures, we will confine our study population to patients treated with fixed suprastructures.

## Study objective

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## Study design

Prospective cohort study.

## Study burden and risks

Not applicable.

## **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

Planned for treatment with implant-supported fixed suprastructure.

## **Exclusion criteria**

Opposing teeth of implant-supported fixed suprastructure are restored with a removable denture.

# Study design

## **Design**

Study type: Observational invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Basic science

## Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 13-03-2015

Enrollment: 10

Type: Actual

# **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 28-06-2012

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Amsterdam UMC

Approved WMO

Date: 18-06-2013

Application type: Amendment

Review commission: METC Amsterdam UMC

Approved WMO

Date: 12-12-2014

Application type: Amendment

Review commission: METC Amsterdam UMC

Approved WMO

Date: 11-11-2015

Application type: Amendment

Review commission: METC Amsterdam UMC

Approved WMO

Date: 30-01-2017

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

ID: 27266

Source: Nationaal Trial Register

Title:

# In other registers

Register

ClinicalTrials.gov CCMO OMON ID

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