

# [18F]mFBG PET-CT imaging of pheochromocytoma

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<b>Ethical review</b>	Approved WMO
<b>Status</b>	Recruiting
<b>Health condition type</b>	Adrenal gland disorders
<b>Study type</b>	Observational invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON50866

### Source

ToetsingOnline

### Brief title

mFBG PCC

### Condition

- Adrenal gland disorders
- Endocrine neoplasms benign

### Synonym

Pheochromocytoma - endocrine adrenal tumor

### Research involving

Human

### Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Universitair Medisch Centrum Utrecht

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

## Intervention

**Keyword:** imaging, mFBG PET-CT, pheochromocytoma

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

The number of detected pheochromocytoma lesions, proved by histology, with pathological [18F]mFBG uptake, defined as focal uptake above surrounding normal tissue, compared to number of lesions detected on protocollary conventional CT imaging prior to surgery.

### Secondary outcome

- 1) Optimal time point of [18F]mFBG PET-CT imaging via comparison of SUV values at 1 and 2 hours on PET-CT imaging.
- 2) Correlation of [18F]mFBG PET findings with pathology and immunohistochemistry analysis of norepinephrine transporter.
- 3) Estimation of radiation dose of [18F]mFBG in normal tissues using dynamic PATLAK imaging
- 4) Safety analysis of [18F]mFBG administration on clinical symptoms will be evaluated by Adverse Events outcomes

## Study description

### Background summary

Pheochromocytomas are rare neuroendocrine tumors with a high variability in clinical presentation. In current diagnostics, a CT is recommended as the first screening modality. Next step in diagnostics was earlier a [123I]mIBG scan, but this technique has drawbacks, namely a relatively low resolution due to gamma camera imaging, long acquisition times, necessary protection for the thyroid gland and a two-day scan protocol. [18F]mFBG is a new radionuclide tracer

(similar to [123I]mIBG), but with the advantages of higher resolution, no necessary thyroid protection and a one-day scanning protocol. We want to compare this new [18F] mFBG PET-CT tracer with CT. In case of good accuracy in detecting pheochromocytomas, [18F]mFBG could also be used for paragangliomas. This is important because paragangliomas are often missed during screening.

## **Study objective**

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## **Study design**

Phase 2 imaging study

## **Study burden and risks**

Patients will undergo an additional [18F]mFBG PET-CT. The extra expected radiation dose is 9.6mSv, which is comparable to the radiation exposure one receives on 4-yearly basis in nature. The time burden for this study is maximal 3 hours, which can be seen as a low burden. The information obtained with [18F]mFBG PET-CT will be discussed in the weekly neuroendocrine multidisciplinary tumour board and used in clinical decision making. [18F]mFBG PET-CT may provide helpful information and may detect additional metastases or paraganglioma locations that might have clinical consequences. Also PET imaging might detect disease more accurately, leading to better tailored surgical and/or radiation therapy treatments.

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## **Trial sites**

### **Listed location countries**

Netherlands

## **Eligibility criteria**

### **Age**

Adults (18-64 years)

Elderly (65 years and older)

### **Inclusion criteria**

- The patient has provided written informed consent authorization before participating in the study.
- The patient is  $\geq 18$  years of age at the time of consent.
- The patient has a diagnosis of pheochromocytoma with a known anatomical location or laboratory findings suspicious for pheochromocytoma defined as elevated serum/plasma metanefrines.
- The patient should have surgery planned.
- The patient should have had a CT scan not older than 8 weeks at time of the [18F]mFBG PET-CT..
- The patient has an ECOG status of Grade 0 - 2.

### **Exclusion criteria**

- Patient is mentally or legally incapacitated.
- Patient is pregnant or lactating.
- Patient has active serious infections not controlled by antibiotics.
- Patient is unable or unwilling to undergo PET-CT scanning or surgery.
- Patient did receive interfering treatment between conventional CT scanning and [18F]mFBG PET-CT.

## Study design

### Design

Study phase:	2
Study type:	Observational invasive
Masking:	Open (masking not used)
Control:	Uncontrolled
Primary purpose:	Diagnostic

### Recruitment

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Recruitment status:	Recruiting
Start date (anticipated):	30-05-2022
Enrollment:	10
Type:	Actual

### Medical products/devices used

Registration:	No
Product type:	Medicine
Brand name:	1-(3-[18F]fluorobenzyl)guanidine
Generic name:	mFBG

## Ethics review

Approved WMO	
Date:	23-07-2021
Application type:	First submission
Review commission:	METC NedMec
Approved WMO	
Date:	21-09-2021
Application type:	First submission
Review commission:	METC NedMec
Approved WMO	
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Application type: Amendment  
Review commission: METC NedMec

## 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
EU-CTR	CTIS2024-513622-35-00
EudraCT	EUCTR2020-005157-24-NL
CCMO	NL75688.041.21