

# Multi-center non-inferiority study of the monitoring performance of the BAMBI BELT; a wireless device measuring neonatal heart rate, ECG and respiration based on diaphragmatic electromyography

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<b>Ethical review</b>	Approved WMO
<b>Status</b>	Recruitment stopped
<b>Health condition type</b>	Neonatal and perinatal conditions
<b>Study type</b>	Observational non invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON50960

### Source

ToetsingOnline

### Brief title

Monitoring performance of the Bambi belt

### Condition

- Neonatal and perinatal conditions

### Synonym

cardio-respiratory instability, Prematurity

### Research involving

Human

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Maxima Medisch Centrum

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Bambi Medical B.V., Bambi Medical B.V. betaalt de benodigde materialen en een bijdrage voor de tijdsbesteding

## Intervention

**Keyword:** Cardio-respiratory, Monitoring, Neonates, Wireless

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

The primary endpoints are a) equivalence of heart rate monitoring (as measured by i) second-to-second correlation and level of agreement, and ii) bradycardia and tachycardia sensitivity and positive predictive value (PPV)) and b) safety (as measured by data loss and pre-defined relevant adverse events and adverse device effects).

### Secondary outcome

Secondary endpoints are equivalence of respiratory monitoring, and the visual interpretability of waveforms (ECG and respiration waveforms) as rated by independent, blinded experts.

## Study description

### Background summary

In sick or prematurely born neonates, monitoring of the heart rate, ECG, and respiration is routinely performed using adhesive electrodes that obtain the electrical activity of the heart and chest impedance. Especially in neonatal intensive care units (NICUs), where all infants require monitoring, alternative monitoring methods are desired to replace such obtrusive adhesive electrodes, attached to hindering wires.

## Study objective

To establish equivalence (non-inferiority) between monitoring performance of the Bambi Belt and the currently used cardio-respiratory monitoring device. The Bambi Belt is a potentially more patient friendly, wireless cardio-respiratory monitoring device measuring diaphragmatic electromyography (dEMG).

## Study design

Multicenter study in the Máxima Medical Center and Amsterdam Medical Center. The study is of an observational within-subject design. Subjects will be monitored with the Bambi Belt for 24 hours, in addition to standard monitoring.

## Study burden and risks

Non-invasive, observational study in which infants have to wear an additional monitoring device. Although unexpected, the risk of skin irritation due to this device cannot be ruled out. There are no benefits for participating infants. This study might demonstrate substantial benefits for a similar population in the near future. These potential benefits outweigh the minimal risks.

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## Trial sites

### Listed location countries

Netherlands

## Eligibility criteria

### Age

Children (2-11 years)

### Inclusion criteria

- \* Admitted to a participating NICU
- \* Being routinely monitored using adhesive electrodes for cardiorespiratory monitoring
- \* Written parental informed consent
- \* Of a post-menstrual age (PMA) cohort that is not already fully represented in the study (to include representative numbers, inclusion is performed based on three cohorts, PMA < 28 weeks, PMA 28-37 weeks, PMA > 37 weeks)

### Exclusion criteria

- \* Chest skin lesions preventing placement of electrode belt, since the intended use of the belt is for intact skin.
- \* Congenital anomalies preventing placement of electrode belt
- \* (Effects of) surgery preventing or hindering belt placement, such as a laparotomy or stoma

## Study design

### Design

**Study type:** Observational non invasive

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Diagnostic

### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 15-07-2021

Enrollment: 39

Type: Actual

## Medical products/devices used

Generic name: BAMBI BELT

Registration: No

## Ethics review

Approved WMO

Date: 21-05-2021

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
CCMO	NL77436.015.21