# Motivational coaching following supervised cancer rehabilitation.

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Ethische beoordeling	Positief advies
Status	Werving gestart
Type aandoening	-
Onderzoekstype	Interventie onderzoek

# Samenvatting

### ID

NL-OMON23316

Bron NTR

Verkorte titel TBA

#### Aandoening

Cancer

## Ondersteuning

**Primaire sponsor:** N/A **Overige ondersteuning:** N/A

#### **Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie**

#### **Uitkomstmaten**

#### Primaire uitkomstmaten

The main outcome parameter of the study is minutes of moderate- to- vigorous physical activity per week, as obtained with the MOX accelerometer and a PA diary.

# **Toelichting onderzoek**

#### Achtergrond van het onderzoek

Due to improved diagnosis and treatment modalities, cancer survival rates are increasing. Consequently, the population of cancer-survivors is growing and there is an urgent need for evidence-based survivorship-care to mitigate or prevent side-effects. It has been wellestablished that a supervised cancer rehabilitation program that contains exercise training, positively affects these side-effects, but less is known about the long-term effects.Current guidelines advise cancer patients and survivors to perform at least 150 minutes of moderateto- vigorous physical activity per week and to perform bone and muscle strengthening exercises two times per week. In a cohort of breast cancer survivors, 79% of the patients did not meet these exercise criteria, six months after finishing a rehabilitation program. Another study on the follow-up of exercise behaviour in cancer patients showed that 30% of the participants did not engage in any exercise 12

months after completing a cancer rehabilitation program. These findings indicate that shortterm rehabilitation might not be enough for cancer patients to reach recommended physical activity levels. A qualitative study showed that patients experience the transition from hospital-based supervised exercise to unsupervised exercise in the community as a confrontation with the real world which could be improved through a more structured transition, accessibility of transferable tools, sustained peer support and on going monitoring. Motivational coaching could be effective to improve physical activity behaviour and other outcomes in participants after completing oncological rehabilitation. Positive effects have been found for motivational coaching following rehabilitation in other populations, but not for cancer patients. Therefore, this study will focus on the effect of motivational coaching following oncological rehabilitation on physical activity behaviour in cancer patients.

#### Doel van het onderzoek

Motivational coaching following exercise rehabilitation will improve physical activity behaviour (minutes of moderate- to- vigorous physical activity spent per week), measured six months after completing the exercise program.

#### Onderzoeksopzet

Measurements are performed at baseline and at 6 months follow-up

#### **Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie**

The intervention group will receive motivational coaching to improve physical activity behaviour following the 10-week exercise program. This coaching program is called 'Beweeg Bewust' and is guided by the organization 'Maastricht Sport'. In this motivational coaching program, each patient will be linked to an individual coach, who is a trained sports college student and will guide them to stay physically active. During an intake assessment in Maastricht UMC+, the coach will give individually tailored exercise advice, based on performance tests, personal motivation and personal preferences. The coach will help them to choose a sports activity that personally fits. Participants are offered the possibilities to attend to the groups sessions of the organisation, to go to other sports clubs or to perform exercise independently (like walking, cycling etc.). After the intake, the program contains electronic coaching (e-coaching). Motivational coaching will be based on the COM-B model. This model is developed for behaviour change in which capability, opportunity and motivation are seen as the drivers of behaviour. Coaches will identify moderators and barriers for behaviour change in these three constructs, to personalize the coaching strategy. In the first twelve weeks, the coach will approach the participant weekly, by e-mail or telephone. After an evaluation, the frequency of the contact will be reduced.

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## **Deelname eisen**

## Belangrijkste voorwaarden om deel te mogen nemen (Inclusiecriteria)

- Patients who are histologically confirmed with the diagnosis of cancer
- Patients who are aged  $\geq$  18 years
- Patients who undergo/completed treatment with curative intent
- Patients who completed the oncological exercise rehabilitation program at MUMC+

#### Belangrijkste redenen om niet deel te kunnen nemen

## (Exclusiecriteria)

- Patients who are scheduled to undergo chemotherapy, radiotherapy or surgery in the next six months.

- Patients with cognitive disability, who are not able to understand instructions and /or are not able to fill in the questionnaires.

- Patients who are unable to speak, understand and read the Dutch language

- Patients who are not able to perform basic activities of daily living such as walking or patients who are suffering from other disabling comorbidity that seriously hamper physical exercise, like severe heart failure, chronic obstructive

pulmonary diseases, neurological disorders or polyneuropathy.

- Patients who have an increased risk of falling, as assessed on the '4-Stage Balance Test'. This is a static balance test, in which four standing positions have to be maintained. When patients are not able to hold two or more positions

for at least ten seconds, they are classified to have an increased risk of falling and they will be excluded from the study.

# Onderzoeksopzet

## Opzet

Туре:	Interventie onderzoek
Onderzoeksmodel:	Parallel
Toewijzing:	Gerandomiseerd
Blindering:	Enkelblind
Controle:	Geneesmiddel

## Deelname

Nederland	
Status:	Werving gestart
(Verwachte) startdatum:	16-05-2019
Aantal proefpersonen:	96
Туре:	Verwachte startdatum

## Voornemen beschikbaar stellen Individuele Patiënten Data (IPD)

Wordt de data na het onderzoek gedeeld: Nog niet bepaald

#### Toelichting

N/A

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# **Ethische beoordeling**

Positief advies Datum: Soort:

13-05-2019 Eerste indiening

# Registraties

## **Opgevolgd door onderstaande (mogelijk meer actuele) registratie**

Geen registraties gevonden.

## Andere (mogelijk minder actuele) registraties in dit register

Geen registraties gevonden.

## In overige registers

**Register** NTR-new Ander register ID NL7729 METC azM/UM : METC 18-050

# Resultaten

Samenvatting resultaten N/A