

Screening and guidance of elderly who are admitted to the hospital (Orbis Medisch Centrum, Sittard, The Netherlands) and need special care and attention. (Screening en begeleiding van ouderen die speciale aandacht behoeven, of zorg vragen).

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

Samenvatting

ID

NL-OMON23983

Bron

NTR

Aandoening

Frail elderly people, hospitalization, prevention of unnecessary loss of function
Ouderen in een kwetsbare positie, ziekenhuisopname, vermeidbare ziekenhuiscomplicaties

Ondersteuning

Primaire sponsor: Orbis Medisch en Zorgconcern, Sittard,
The Netherlands
Maastricht University, The Netherlands

Overige ondersteuning: Orbis Medisch en Zorgconcern, Sittard,
The Netherlands
Maastricht University, The Netherlands

Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie

Uitkomstmaten

Primaire uitkomstmaten

1. Loss of functioning (ADL/IADL);

2. (Unnecessary) Hospital complications;

3. Length of stay.

Toelichting onderzoek

Achtergrond van het onderzoek

Early detection of problems and adequate coaching of frail elderly people is crucial to prevent unnecessary loss of function, decrease in quality of life, and even death in old age. This is especially true for frail elderly people who are admitted to the hospital. These patients typically have complex health problems that require a multi-dimensional approach. By visiting these elderly people with a consultation team which is specialized in geriatric problems we try to prevent unnecessary loss of function decrease in quality of life, and even death in old age.

First we will include the control-group and after the intervention is introduced, the intervention group is included. For both groups an inclusionperiod of 3 months will be used.

Our primary outcome measures are:

1. Loss of functioning;
2. (Unnecessary) hospital complications;
3. Length of stay.

Doele van het onderzoek

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Onderzoeksopzet

1. Within the first 72 hours of hospitalization;
2. 3 months after hospitalization.

Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie

Geriatric consultation team will visit the elderly people in the intervention group. The geriatric consultation team identifies problems and possible complications and initiates actions that are aimed to prevent loss of functioning and (unnecessary) hospital complications.

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Deelname eisen

Belangrijkste voorwaarden om deel te mogen nemen (Inclusiecriteria)

1. Age 70 and older;
2. GFI 4 or higher.

Belangrijkste redenen om niet deel te kunnen nemen (Exclusiecriteria)

1. No informed consent;
2. Terminal illness.

Onderzoeksopzet

Opzet

Type:	Interventie onderzoek
Onderzoeksmodel:	Cross-over
Toewijzing:	Niet-gerandomiseerd
Blinding:	Open / niet geblindeerd
Controle:	Geneesmiddel

Deelname

Nederland	
Status:	Werving nog niet gestart
(Verwachte) startdatum:	01-10-2010
Aantal proefpersonen:	242
Type:	Verwachte startdatum

Ethische beoordeling

Positief advies	
Datum:	23-09-2010
Soort:	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	ID
NTR-new	NL2437
NTR-old	NTR2546
Ander register	METC Orbis Medisch Centrum : 10-N-74
ISRCTN	ISRCTN wordt niet meer aangevraagd.

Resultaten

Samenvatting resultaten

N/A