

# Follow-up after surgery for colorectal cancer: the FUTURE-primary implementation study

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<b>Ethische beoordeling</b>	Positief advies
<b>Status</b>	Werving gestart
<b>Type aandoening</b>	-
<b>Onderzoekstype</b>	Observationeel onderzoek, zonder invasieve metingen

## Samenvatting

### ID

NL-OMON27170

### Bron

NTR

### Verkorte titel

FUTURE-primary

### Aandoening

Colorectal cancer

Quality of life

Shared decision making

Follow-up

Cost-effectiveness

### Ondersteuning

**Primaire sponsor:** Dr. D.J. Grünhagen, Erasmus MC Cancer Institute

**Overige ondersteuning:** Funding for the study has been provided by the Dutch Cancer Society (KWF)

# Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie

## Uitkomstmaten

### Primaire uitkomstmaten

The primary objective of this study is to implement a patient-led home-based follow-up approach in patients treated surgically for CRC. A successful implementation of the patient-led aspect is defined as 75% or less of optional follow-up moments (i.e. CEA measurements) utilized.

## Toelichting onderzoek

### Achtergrond van het onderzoek

The FUTURE-primary study is a multicentre prospective regional implementation study of a patient-led home-based follow-up approach after curative treatment for colorectal cancer treatment. Follow-up will be carried out for up to five years after surgery. Follow-up will be performed in accordance with the current Dutch national guidelines. Blood sampling will in principle be performed at home, while the actual CEA measurements will be centralized and interpretation of the results will be done by the treating physician in the participating centre (the centre where the initial treatment was performed). Blood sampling is planned every six months during the first two years after inclusion and yearly thereafter. One year after surgery medical imaging (according to local practices) and clinical evaluation will be scheduled. In hospital evaluation will only be performed in case of abnormal CEA values or if desired by the patient (in case of normal CEA levels). Subsequent use of medical imaging is used according to national guidelines and local practices. The frequency of patient-initiated CEA measurements and in-hospital evaluations cannot exceed the maximum amount of the current Dutch national guidelines unless clinically indicated (e.g. CEA increase or symptoms). The Dutch national guidelines advise CEA measurements every three months during the first two years and every six months thereafter. The desired frequency can be changed by the patient at any time.

### Doel van het onderzoek

We hypothesize that a patient-led home-based follow-up can be implemented successfully. In addition, we hypothesize that such an approach improves quality of life outcomes and

reduces anxiety and fear of cancer recurrence when compared with the contemporary in-hospital approach.

## Onderzoeksopzet

All of the retrospective questionnaires, with the exception of the ASC-CW, will be completed at baseline and every 6 months thereafter in the first three years, in the last 2 years the questionnaires will be completed annually or when patients leave the study due to disease recurrence. The ASC-CW scale will be completed once at 12 months following inclusion and in case of no disease recurrence. The ecological momentary assessment of momentary quality of life will be performed for the entire duration of the study, regardless of disease recurrence.

## Contactpersonen

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## Deelname eisen

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

- Age  $\geq$  18 years
- Histologically confirmed colorectal adenocarcinoma without distant metastasis and treated with curative intent surgical resection less than 6 months ago
- Scheduled or currently undergoing postoperative surveillance according to national guidelines
- Written informed consent by the patient

## Belangrijkste redenen om niet deel te kunnen nemen (Exclusiecriteria)

- Patients with a severely complicated postoperative course, needing in hospital follow-up longer than 6 months postoperatively
- Patients enrolled in other studies that require strict adherence to any specific follow-up practice with regular imaging – yearly or more frequent – of the abdomen and/or thorax
- Patients with comorbidity or other malignancy that requires imaging of the abdomen and/or thorax every year or more frequent
- Inability to complete the questionnaires due to illiteracy and/or insufficient proficiency of the Dutch language

## Onderzoeksopzet

### Opzet

Type:	Observationeel onderzoek, zonder invasieve metingen
Onderzoeksmodel:	Anders
Toewijzing:	N.v.t. / één studie arm
Blinding:	Open / niet geblindeerd
Controle:	N.v.t. / onbekend

### Deelname

Nederland	
Status:	Werving gestart
(Verwachte) startdatum:	23-08-2021
Aantal proefpersonen:	200
Type:	Verwachte startdatum

## Voornemen beschikbaar stellen Individuele Patiënten Data (IPD)

**Wordt de data na het onderzoek gedeeld:** Nog niet bepaald

## Ethische beoordeling

Positief advies	
Datum:	28-10-2021

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	NL9836
Ander register	METC Erasmus MC : MEC20210499

## Resultaten