# The prediction of short-term and long-term treatment response to sertraline in panic disorder

Submission date	Recruitment status	Prospectively registered
22/11/2006	No longer recruiting	[_] Protocol
<b>Registration date</b>	Overall study status	[] Statistical analysis plan
22/11/2006	Completed	[_] Results
Last Edited	Condition category	[_] Individual participant data
04/12/2006	Mental and Behavioural Disorders	[_] Record updated in last year

## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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# Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

**IRAS number** 

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers STL-NL-96-002

# Study information

## Scientific Title

## **Study objectives**

Baseline variables such as harm avoidance and other personality, biological and electrophysiological measures will predict treatment outcome to an Selective Serotonin Reuptake Inhibitor (SSRI).

**Ethics approval required** Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)** Ethics approval received from the local medical ethics committee

**Study design** Randomised controlled trial

**Primary study design** Interventional

**Secondary study design** Randomised controlled trial

**Study setting(s)** Not specified

**Study type(s)** Treatment

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied Panic disorder

Interventions

Intervention: Treatment with Sertraline (50 mg) for a period of 57 weeks

Investigators Assessments: Hamilton Anxiety Scale Hamilton Depression Scale Clinical Global Impression

Subjects assessments: Frequency of panic attacks Fear Questionnaire Patient Global Evaluation Symptoms CheckList (SCL-90) Temperament and Character Inventory NEO-Neuroticism subscale Rand 36-item health survey Rosenberg Self-esteem list

Biochemical assessments: Plasma 3-Methoxy-4-HydroxyPhenylGlycol (MHPG) level Plasma Sertraline level

Electrophysiology: Heart Rate Variability

Intervention Type Drug

**Phase** Not Specified

**Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)** Sertraline

#### Primary outcome measure

To identify variables mentioned above (at baseline) that can predict short-term and long-term response to treatment with sertraline in Panic Disorder.

#### Secondary outcome measures

1. To establish whether Autonomous Nervous System (ANS) functioning is a state marker of illness severity.

2. To establish whether treatment with sertraline has an affect on the functioning of the ANS.

## Overall study start date

01/06/2002

**Completion date** 

31/12/2005

# Eligibility

## Key inclusion criteria

1. Panic Disorder According to Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of mental disorders (DSM-IV)

2. Two panic attacks in medication-free run-in period

3. Outpatients more than 18 years

Participant type(s) Patient

**Age group** Adult

Lower age limit

18 Years

**Sex** Not Specified

Target number of participants

57

#### Key exclusion criteria

1. Co-morbid psychotic disorder, alcohol abuse, major affective disorder or personality disorder in the last year

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- 2. Participation in other drug trial 30 days prior to selection
- 3. Serious medical illness
- 4. History of hepatitis
- 5. Risk of suicidality
- 6. History of drug allergy of hypersensitivity to SSRIs
- 7. Pregnancy, lactation or childbearing potential during the study

## Date of first enrolment

01/06/2002

Date of final enrolment 31/12/2005

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment** Netherlands

**Study participating centre University Medical Center Groningen** Rotterdam Netherlands 9700 RB

## Sponsor information

**Organisation** University Medical Center Groningen (The Netherlands)

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**Sponsor type** Hospital/treatment centre

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# Funder(s)

Funder type Industry

**Funder Name** Pfizer

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**Funding Body Type** Government organisation

**Funding Body Subtype** For-profit companies (industry)

**Location** United States of America

## **Results and Publications**

#### **Publication and dissemination plan** Not provided at time of registration

Intention to publish date

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

#### **IPD sharing plan summary** Not provided at time of registration