# Phase II trial of combination therapy with oxaliplatin and capecitabine in patients with advanced oesophageal cancer

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# Plain English summary of protocol

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Scientific

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# Additional identifiers

## Protocol serial number

EMC 03-048, Trial NL448 (NTR488)

# Study information

## Scientific Title

Phase II trial of combination therapy with oxaliplatin and capecitabine in patients with advanced oesophageal cancer

## Acronym

Xelox

## **Study objectives**

For patients with metastatic or local-regional unresectable oesophageal carcinoma there is no alternative treatment. In this trial it is studied whether combination chemotherapy with oxaliplatin and capecitabine prolongs survival and improves quality of life.

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Approval received by the Medical Ethics Board of our hospital (Erasmus MC) on the 27th March 2003 (ref: EMC 03-048).

## Study design

Phase II, non-randomised, non-controlled, clinical trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

# Study type(s)

Treatment

# Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Oesophageal cancer

### **Interventions**

Oxaliplatin 130 mg/m<sup>2</sup> Intravenous (IV) day one and capecitabine 1000 mg/m<sup>2</sup> twice daily orally days one to 14 (28 doses) repeated every three weeks.

## Intervention Type

Drug

### Phase

Phase II

# Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Oxaliplatin and capecitabine

## Primary outcome(s)

- 1. To evaluate the efficacy as measured by response rate and time to progression of the combination of oxaliplatin and capecitabine to patients with metastatic or local-regional unresectable carcinoma of the oesophagus, oesophagogastric junction and cardia
- 2. To evaluate the safety of this combination therapy in such a group of patients
- 3. To evaluate and assess quality of life during treatment

## Key secondary outcome(s))

No secondary outcome measures

## Completion date

01/10/2005

# Eligibility

## Key inclusion criteria

- 1. Metastatic or local-regional unresectable adenocarcinoma or squamous cell carcinoma oesophagus or gastric junction
- 2. At least one unidimensional measurable lesion greater than 20 mm (conventional), or greater than 10 mm (spiral)
- 3. World Health Organisation (WHO) grade zero to two
- 4. Adequate haematological, renal and hepatic functions

## Participant type(s)

Patient

## Healthy volunteers allowed

No

## Age group

**Not Specified** 

#### Sex

**Not Specified** 

## Total final enrolment

51

## Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Prior treatment with oxaliplatin or capecitabine; prior (neo)-adjuvant treatment for metastatic disease is allowed if completed at least six months prior to study start
- 2. Malabsorption syndrome or inability to take oral medication
- 3. Pre-existing motor or sensory neurotoxicity greater than grade one
- 4. Active infection

## Date of first enrolment

01/04/2003

## Date of final enrolment

01/10/2005

# Locations

## Countries of recruitment

Netherlands

## Study participating centre Erasmus Medical Centre Rotterdam Netherlands

# Sponsor information

## Organisation

3000 CA

Erasmus Medical Centre (The Netherlands)

## **ROR**

https://ror.org/018906e22

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Hospital/treatment centre

## **Funder Name**

Erasmus Medical Centre (The Netherlands)

# **Results and Publications**

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

## IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

## **Study outputs**

Output typeDetailsDate createdDate addedPeer reviewed?Patient-facing?Results article17/04/200726/08/2021YesNo