

# Hormonal changes induced by changing amounts of protein and phosphorus in the diet of healthy volunteers

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**  
2008/155

## Study information

**Scientific Title**  
Effects of changes in dietary phosphorus intake on fibroblast growth factor 23 (FGF23) levels in healthy volunteers: a controlled crossover trial

## **Study objectives**

### **Background:**

This study is related to patients with kidney disease. Kidney disease, as defined by a decline in estimated Glomerular Filtration Rate (GFR), as even in early stages related to disturbances in the metabolism of minerals, especially calcium and phosphorus, and Fibroblast growth factor 23 (FGF23). The latter is related to clinical endpoints and mortality.

### **Hypothesis**

Changes in phosphate intake lead to parallel changes in levels of FGF23, even in healthy volunteers. These changes in FGF23 in turn lead to increases in phosphaturia and changes in levels of 1,25 dihydroxyvitamin D, both independent from possible changes in PTH or serum phosphate levels.

## **Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

## **Ethics approval(s)**

The local medical ethics committee (Medisch Ethische Toetsingscommissie) of Vrije University Medical Centre (VUMC) approved on the 11th of August 2008 (ref: 2008/155)

## **Study design**

Non-randomised controlled crossover group trial

## **Primary study design**

Interventional

## **Study type(s)**

Other

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

Kidney disease

## **Interventions**

Subjects are switched from regular diet to phosphate-restricted diet for two days, and the back to regular diet for ten days. After that they are switched from regular diet to phosphate-enriched diet and the back again. No other interventions are made.

Both the primary and secondary endpoint were determined during the interventional periods, because changes induced by the intervention are almost immediate.

## **Intervention Type**

Other

## **Phase**

Not Applicable

## **Primary outcome(s)**

Changes in FGF23 levels, determined using sandwich ELISA for both C-terminal FGF23 (provided by Immutopics, San Clemente, USA) and Intact FGF23 (provided by Kainos, Japan).

## **Key secondary outcome(s)**

1. Changes in phosphaturia
  2. Changes in levels of metabolites of vitamin D (1,25 dihydroxyvitamin D)
- Outcomes analysed by standard laboratory techniques and radio-immuno assay (IDS, Tyne and Wear, UK) respectively

**Completion date**

31/12/2008

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Male or female
2. Non-smoking subjects
3. Normal renal function, as defined by estimated Glomerular Filtration Rate (GFR) above 80 ml /min.
4. Females should have a negative test for pregnancy at baseline

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Abnormal kidney function
2. Substantial comorbidity

**Date of first enrolment**

01/08/2008

**Date of final enrolment**

31/12/2008

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

Netherlands

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## Sponsor information

### Organisation

Vrije University Medical Centre (VUMC) (Netherlands)

### ROR

<https://ror.org/00q6h8f30>

## Funder(s)

### Funder type

Hospital/treatment centre

### Funder Name

Vrije University Medical Centre (VUMC) (Netherlands) - Departments of nephrology and biochemistry

## Results and Publications

### Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

### IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

### Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Participant information sheet</a>	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes