

# Subconjunctival steroid depot after cataract extraction

<b>Submission date</b> 28/12/2006	<b>Recruitment status</b> No longer recruiting	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prospectively registered <input type="checkbox"/> Protocol
<b>Registration date</b> 28/12/2006	<b>Overall study status</b> Completed	<input type="checkbox"/> Statistical analysis plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Results
<b>Last Edited</b> 05/01/2021	<b>Condition category</b> Eye Diseases	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual participant data

**Plain English summary of protocol**  
Not provided at time of registration

## Contact information

**Type(s)**  
Scientific

**Contact name**  
Dr P W Y de Waard

**Contact details**  
Oogziekenhuis Rotterdam  
Schiedamsevest 180  
Rotterdam  
Netherlands  
3011 BH  
+31(0)10 401 7777  
deWaard@oogziekenhuis.nl

## Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS number**

**IRAS number**

**ClinicalTrials.gov number**

**Secondary identifying numbers**  
OZR-2006-01, NL768, NTR779

# Study information

## Scientific Title

Subconjunctival steroid depot after cataract extraction

## Study objectives

A single subconjunctival Celestone chronodose injection immediately following cataract extraction reduces the incidence of post-operative ocular inflammation when compared with conventional post-operative eye drops therapy.

Post-op administration of eserine does not reduce the incidence of dislocation of the intraocular lens implant any further.

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Ethics approval received from the local medical ethics committee

## Study design

Randomised, controlled, parallel group 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

Cataract

## Interventions

Group 1: subconjunctival steroid injection.

Group 2: topical steroids (three times per day during three weeks).

Group 3: as group two plus Eserine.

Group 4: as group one plus Eserine.

## Intervention Type

Drug

## Phase

Not Specified

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

Steroids, Celestone chronodose and Eserine

**Primary outcome measure**

1. Laser flarecount, examined by laser flarecounter, before operation and on day 21.
2. Thickness of the macula, examined by Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT), before operation and on day 21.

**Secondary outcome measures**

1. Number of extra visits due to complaints of post-op irritation.
2. Number of patients with macular edema, examined by OCT, on day 21.
3. Intraocular pressure on day one and 21.
4. Number of extra visits due to complaints of reduced visual acuity (miotic wearing off).
5. Pain (scaling one to ten) on day one.
6. Incidence of anterior synechiae (gonioscopic evaluation) on day 21.
7. Best Corrected Visual Acuity (BCVA) using the Early Treatment Diabetic Retinopathy Study (ETDRS) chart on day 21.

**Overall study start date**

01/01/2007

**Completion date**

30/06/2008

## **Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Cataract extraction indication
2. Aged over 18 years
3. Caucasian - informed consent
4. Post-op follow-up must be feasible

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 Years

**Sex**

Not Specified

**Target number of participants**

400

**Total final enrolment**

400

## **Key exclusion criteria**

1. Subcapsular posterior cataract (very soft, short phaco time)
2. Brunescens or mature cataract (hard, long phaco time)
3. Diabetes mellitus
4. Age-related macula degeneration
5. History of uveitis
6. Glaucoma
7. History of steroid response
8. Per-operative iris manipulation (e.g. miosis or posterior synechiae)
9. Pre-operative synechiae anterior
10. Systemic steroid medication
11. Chemotherapy
12. Peroperative contact with vitreous
13. Sick cell anemia
14. Corneal complications
15. Atopy
16. Herpes Simplex Virus (HSV)

## **Date of first enrolment**

01/01/2007

## **Date of final enrolment**

30/06/2008

## **Locations**

### **Countries of recruitment**

Netherlands

### **Study participating centre**

**Oogziekenhuis Rotterdam**

Rotterdam

Netherlands

3011 BH

## **Sponsor information**

### **Organisation**

The Rotterdam Eye Hospital (Oogziekenhuis Rotterdam) (OZR) (The Netherlands)

### **Sponsor details**

P.O. Box 70030

Rotterdam

Netherlands

3000 LM Rotterdam

+31 (0)10 401 7777  
info@oogziekenhuis.nl

**Sponsor type**

Hospital/treatment centre

**Website**

<http://www.oogziekenhuis.nl/>

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/02hjc7j46>

## Funder(s)

**Funder type**

Research organisation

**Funder Name**

Stichting Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek het Oogziekenhuis (The Netherlands)

## 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

**Study outputs**

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/04/2012	05/01/2021	Yes	No