# Transfusion induced complications = transfusion associated complications? study

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20/12/2005		☐ Protocol		
Registration date 20/12/2005	Overall study status Completed	Statistical analysis plan		
		[X] Results		
Last Edited	Condition category	[] Individual participant data		
04/12/2007	Signs and Symptoms			

### Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

## Contact information

### Type(s)

Scientific

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# Additional identifiers

## Protocol serial number

n/a

# Study information

### Scientific Title

The effects of leukocyte filtered versus buffy coat depleted erythocyte transfusions in major surgery patients

### Acronym

**TACTICS** 

### **Study objectives**

Does removal of allogeneic white blood cells by filtration reduce postoperative complications?

### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

### Ethics approval(s)

Ethics approval received from the local medical ethics committee

### Study design

Multicentre, randomised, double blinded, active controlled, parallel group trial

### Primary study design

Interventional

### Study type(s)

Treatment

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

Blood transfusions complications

#### **Interventions**

Transfusions of filtered red blood cell concentrates versus transfusion of stored buffy coat depleted red blood cell concentrates.

### **Intervention Type**

Other

#### Phase

**Not Specified** 

### Primary outcome(s)

Postoperative:

- 1. In-hospital mortality
- 2. Duration of intensive care stay

### Key secondary outcome(s))

- 1. Postoperative multi organ failure
- 2. Postoperative infections
- 3. Length of hospital stay
- 4. Costs/benefits of universal leukocyte depletion for the Dutch health care
- 5. Role of perioperative medication

#### Follow up:

- 1. Long term survival
- 2. Cancer recurrence in GI patients
- 3. Predictive role of cytokines and related genes

### Completion date

31/12/2001

# Eligibility

### Key inclusion criteria

Acute aneurysm-, elective aneurysm-, orthopaedic- and large gastro-intestinal surgery patients.

### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

### Healthy volunteers allowed

No

### Age group

Adult

### Sex

All

### Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Under 18 years of age
- 2. Transfusions received within 3 months prior to inclusion
- 3. Pre existing medical indication for filtered red blood cell transfusions

#### Date of first enrolment

23/03/2000

### Date of final enrolment

31/12/2001

# Locations

### Countries of recruitment

Netherlands

### Study participating centre Sanquin Blood Supply Foundation

Leiden Netherlands 2310 CD

# Sponsor information

Leiden University Medical Centre (LUMC) (Netherlands)

### **ROR**

https://ror.org/027bh9e22

# Funder(s)

### Funder type

Research organisation

### Funder Name

The Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development (ZonMw) (The Netherlands)

### **Funder Name**

Sanquin Bloodbank Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

# **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?
Results article	Results	29/05/2004		Yes	No