# Recombinant tissue Plasminogen Activator administration by retinal branch vein route for Central Retinal Vein Occlusion: a randomised conventional therapy controlled trial

Recruitment status	Prospectively registered
No longer recruiting	Protocol
Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
Completed	Results
Condition category	Individual participant data
<b>Last Edited Condition category</b> 23/09/2021 Eye Diseases	Record updated in last year
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#### **Plain English Summary**

Not provided at time of registration

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# Type(s)

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# Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS** number

**IRAS** number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

#### Secondary identifying numbers

OZR-2005-14, NL646 (NTR707)

# Study information

#### Scientific Title

Recombinant tissue Plasminogen Activator administration by retinal branch vein route for Central Retinal Vein Occlusion: a randomised conventional therapy controlled trial

#### Acronym

**CRVO** study

#### Study hypothesis

Recombinant tissue Plasminogen Activator (rt-PA) administration by retinal branch vein way in Central Retinal Vein Occlusion (CRVO) patients improves final Best Corrected Visual Acuity (BCVA).

#### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

#### Ethics approval(s)

Ethics approval received from the local medical ethics committee

#### Study design

Randomised conventional therapy controlled trial

#### Primary study design

Interventional

# Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

# Study setting(s)

Not specified

# Study type(s)

Treatment

#### Participant information sheet

#### Condition

Central Retinal Vein Occlusion (CRVO)

#### **Interventions**

Injection of rt-PA (0.2 mg/ml, 4 ml) in retinal branch vein.

#### Intervention Type

Drug

#### Phase

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

Recombinant tissue Plasminogen Activator (rt-PA)

#### Primary outcome measure

BCVA on Early Treatment Diabetic Retinopathy Study (ETDRS) chart.

#### Secondary outcome measures

Reduction in:

- 1. Neovascular changes
- 2. Neovascular glaucoma
- 3. Rates of development of macular oedema

#### Overall study start date

01/07/2006

#### Overall study end date

30/06/2008

# **Eligibility**

#### Participant inclusion criteria

- 1. Informed consent
- 2. Over 18 years of age
- 3. Adequate birth control (if not post-menopausal or sterilised) during a two week pre- and six week post-operative period if assigned to vitreoretinal surgery
- 4. Subjective decrease in visual acuity starting within four weeks prior to study start, due to CRVO, clinically evident by fundoscopy
- 5. Non-perfused or perfused CRVO with a visual acuity of less than 20/200

Note: Pseudophakic patients are allowed to participate in this study.

#### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

#### Age group

Adult

#### Lower age limit

18 Years

#### Sex

Both

#### Target number of participants

48

#### Participant exclusion criteria

- 1. Inability to visualize fundus due to corneal or important lenticular opacities
- 2. Inability to obtain photographs of CRVO due to allergy to fluorescein or lack of veinous access
- 3. As visual acuity prognosis is better and risk for neovascularisation is reduced in perfused CRVO, patients with a visual acuity of more than 20/200 will not be included
- 4. Presence of iris neovascularisation (more than grade one) or anterior chamber angle (more than grade one) at the moment of presentation
- 5. Other retinal or ophthalmic disorders that could influence the macular area
- 6. Disorders that could be complicated by iris or retinal neovascularisation
- 7. Disorders that could be complicated by any form of secondary glaucoma
- 8. Prescription of acetazolamide or high dose systemic steroid (more than 10 mg prednisone daily) or other anti-inflammatory medication (eg. Methotrexate (MTX), Imuran, Endoxan, Humira, Kineret, Infliximab, Thalidomide) except Non Steriodal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs)
- 9. Participation in another clinical ophthalmic trial
- 10. Any surgery of the orbit, ocular adnexae or eye scheduled during the period the study (except for cataract surgery, developed after inclusion to a degree as outlined by the protocol)
- 11. Monophthalmia or other known ophthalmic disorder in the fellow eye that could be complicated by blindness
- 12. Previous retinal surgery
- 13. High myopia (-8 D spherical equivalent or more)
- 14. Macula affecting drugs

# Recruitment start date 01/07/2006

Recruitment end date 30/06/2008

# Locations

# **Countries of recruitment**Netherlands

Study participating centre Oogziekenhuis Rotterdam Rotterdam Netherlands 3011 BH

# Sponsor information

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#### Sponsor type

Hospital/treatment centre

#### **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