# Bilateral recession or unilateral recessionresection as surgery for infantile esotropia

Submission date	Recruitment status	<ul><li>Prospectively registered</li></ul>
20/12/2005	No longer recruiting	Protocol
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
20/12/2005	Completed	Results
Last Edited	Condition category	Individual participant data
28/01/2009	Eye Diseases	<ul><li>Record updated in last year</li></ul>

## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

## Contact information

## Type(s)

Scientific

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## Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS** number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

**NTR333** 

## Study information

#### Scientific Title

A randomised comparison of bilateral recession with unilateral recession-resection as surgery for infantile esotropia

#### **Acronym**

BR vs RR

#### **Study objectives**

Infantile esotropia is corrected in most cases by bilateral recession of the medial rectus muscles (BR) or by unilateral recession of the medial rectus muscle and resection of the lateral rectus muscle (RR). The preference of BR or RR is subject of discussion and none of the many arguments have been validated. We compared the outcome of these techniques in a study.

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

#### Ethics approval(s)

Received from the local ethics committee

### Study design

Multicentre randomised single-blind active controlled parallel group trial

#### Primary study design

Interventional

### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Study setting(s)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Treatment

## Participant information sheet

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

Infantile esotropia

#### Interventions

Bilateral recession of the medial rectus muscles (BR) and unilateral recession of the medial rectus muscle and resection of the lateral rectus muscle (RR).

## Intervention Type

Other

#### Phase

Not Applicable

#### Primary outcome measure

The variation of the latent angle of strabismus at distance at three months post-operatively between BR and RR.

## Secondary outcome measures

- 1. Reduction of convergence excess (larger angle of strabismus during near vision)
- 2. Binocular vision by means of Bagolini striated glasses

#### Overall study start date

01/01/1998

#### Completion date

31/12/2001

## **Eligibility**

#### Key inclusion criteria

Eligible were all children aged three to eight years (either sex) with a normal psychophysical development, and onset of esotropia before one year of age who visited one of the clinics during the study period.

### Participant type(s)

Patient

#### Age group

Child

### Lower age limit

3 Years

## Upper age limit

8 Years

#### Sex

Both

## Target number of participants

124

#### Key exclusion criteria

- 1. Previous strabismus surgery
- 2. An angle of strabismus larger than 24° or smaller than 10°
- 3. Any normal binocular vision
- 4. Convergence excess with angle of strabismus at near fixation 15 times larger than the angle at distance
- 5. More than 1 line Logmar acuity difference between the two eyes
- 6. Hypermetropia over 6 diopters or myopia over 3 diopters
- 7. Up or down shoot in (25°) adduction more than 8°

8. V-pattern (25° up and down gaze) over 8°

9. A-pattern (25° up and down gaze) over 5°

10. Manifest vertical strabismus over 4°

#### Date of first enrolment

01/01/1998

#### Date of final enrolment

31/12/2001

## Locations

#### Countries of recruitment

Netherlands

## Study participating centre Erasmus Medical Centre Rotterdam

Rotterdam Netherlands 3015 GD

## Sponsor information

#### Organisation

Erasmus Medical Centre (Netherlands)

### Sponsor details

Dr Molewaterplein 40/50 Rotterdam Netherlands 3000 CA

#### Sponsor type

University/education

#### Website

http://www.erasmusmc.nl/

#### ROR

https://ror.org/018906e22

## Funder(s)

## Funder type

Hospital/treatment centre

#### Funder Name

Erasmus Medical Centre (Netherlands)

#### Funder Name

General Dutch Association Preventing Blindness (Algemene Nederlandse vereniging ter voorkoming van blindheid) (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