



Metabolic Imaging with RF Antennas to predict Chemotherapy Efficacy

Fact Sheet

Project Information

MIRACLE

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Coordinated by

UNIVERSITAIR MEDISCH
CENTRUM UTRECHT



Netherlands

Project description

An imaging approach that can predict chemotherapy efficacy

Being able to predict the response of patients to chemotherapy would undoubtedly be beneficial for patient well-being, avoiding the unnecessary toxic side effects. The metabolites phosphoethanolamine (PE) and glycerophosphocholine (GPC) are involved in cell membrane metabolism, and the PE to GPC ratio goes up during malignant transformation of cells. The EU-funded MIRACLE project aims to validate this ratio as a biomarker of predicting cancer treatment response. Scientists will

assess these phospholipid biomarkers in patients in a non-invasive manner using MRI under different field strengths. The results of the study have the potential to bring the approach a step closer to regulatory clearance for clinical use.

Fields of science (EuroSciVoc)

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Programme(s)

[H2020-EU.1.2. - EXCELLENT SCIENCE - Future and Emerging Technologies \(FET\)](#)

MAIN PROGRAMME

[H2020-EU.1.2.1. - FET Open](#)

Topic(s)

[FETOPEN-03-2018-2019-2020 - FET Innovation Launchpad](#)

Call for proposal

[H2020-FETOPEN-2018-2020](#)

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Sub call

H2020-FETOPEN-2018-2019-2020-03

Funding Scheme

[CSA - Coordination and support action](#)

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UNIVERSITAIR MEDISCH CENTRUM UTRECHT

Net EU contribution

€ 18 750,00

Total cost

€ 21 250,00

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Activity type

Higher or Secondary Education Establishments

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€ 62 500,00

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Yes

Activity type

Private for-profit entities (excluding Higher or Secondary Education Establishments)

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