

# ACCESS template protocols for effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccines (ACCESS-effectiveness)

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Study

Finalised

## Administrative details

### PURI

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### EU PAS number

EUPAS39289

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### Study ID

39316

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### DARWIN EU® study

No

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### Study countries

Belgium

Denmark

France

Italy

Netherlands

Spain

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### Study description

This registration comprises 2 template protocols from the ACCESS project to monitor COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness. They differ as regards the methods and the data collection. These template protocols can be adapted to the local situation 1. Test negative case control design based on primary data collection (written by Fisabio) 2. Retrospective cohort study to monitor effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccine (written by RTI-HS)

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## Study status

Finalised

## Research institution and networks

### Institutions

#### University Medical Center Utrecht (UMCU)

Netherlands

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Institution

Hospital/Clinic/Other health care facility

Educational Institution

ENCePP partner

### Networks

#### Vaccine monitoring Collaboration for Europe (VAC4EU)

Belgium

Denmark

Finland

France

Germany

Italy

Netherlands

Norway

Spain

United Kingdom

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Network

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#### EU Pharmacoepidemiology and Pharmacovigilance (PE&PV) Research Network

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Primary lead investigator

## Study timelines

### Date when funding contract was signed

Planned:

21/05/2020

Actual:

21/05/2020

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### Study start date

Planned:

22/05/2020

Actual:

22/05/2020

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### Date of final study report

Planned:

15/12/2020

Actual:

15/12/2020

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## Sources of funding

- EMA

## Study protocol

[3e. Protocol\\_ACCESS Effectiveness TND Protocol.pdf\(1.12 MB\)](#)

[3f. Protocol\\_ACCESS\\_COVID-19 EHR Vaccine Effectiveness Protocol Template.pdf\(1.5 MB\)](#)

## Regulatory

**Was the study required by a regulatory body?**

Yes

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**Is the study required by a Risk Management Plan (RMP)?**

Not applicable

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

#### Study type list

**Study topic:**

Disease /health condition  
Human medicinal product

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**Study type:**

Non-interventional study

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**Scope of the study:**

Effectiveness study (incl. comparative)

**Data collection methods:**

Combined primary and secondary data collection

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**Main study objective:**

To assess COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness

## Study Design

## **Non-interventional study design**

Case-control

Cohort

Other

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## **Non-interventional study design, other**

Sentinel sites

# Study drug and medical condition

## **Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical (ATC) code**

(J07X) OTHER VACCINES

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## **Medical condition to be studied**

SARS-CoV-2 test positive

# Population studied

## **Short description of the study population**

Cohort study: This study should be conducted in populations where COVID-19 vaccine product is approved and recommended for use.

Case-control: All-ages patients admitted to the hospital, through the Emergency Department or transferred from other hospitals or health facilities, fulfilling the ECDC case definition for COVID-19 disease.

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## **Age groups**

Preterm newborn infants (0 – 27 days)

Term newborn infants (0 – 27 days)

Infants and toddlers (28 days – 23 months)

Children (2 to < 12 years)

Adolescents (12 to < 18 years)

Adults (18 to < 46 years)

Adults (46 to < 65 years)

Adults (65 to < 75 years)

Adults (75 to < 85 years)

Adults (85 years and over)

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## **Special population of interest**

Hepatic impaired

Immunocompromised

Pregnant women

Renal impaired

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**Estimated number of subjects**

100

## Study design details

**Data analysis plan**

Estimation of vaccine effectiveness

## Data management

### Data sources

**Data sources (types)**

Administrative data (e.g. claims)

Drug registry

Electronic healthcare records (EHR)

Other

**Data sources (types), other**

Prospective patient-based data collection, Case-control surveillance database

### Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

**CDM mapping**

No

### Data quality specifications

**Check conformance**

Unknown

**Check completeness**

Unknown

**Check stability**

Unknown

**Check logical consistency**

Unknown

## Data characterisation

**Data characterisation conducted**

No