

# Incidence and Trend of Ectopic Pregnancy 2009-2018 - A population-based Study

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Study

Finalised

## Administrative details

### PURI

<https://redirect.ema.europa.eu/resource/46964>

### EU PAS number

EUPAS33562

### Study ID

46964

### DARWIN EU® study

No

### Study countries

☐ United States

## Study description

The overall goal of this retrospective cohort study is to assess the incidence rate of ectopic pregnancy over the last decade in a representative population of US women and assess potential risk factors associated with ectopic pregnancy. The research will utilize Kaiser Permanente electronic health records to assess whether ectopic pregnancy incidence rates have changed over the last decade overall as well as in women using prescription contraceptive methods of interest including in IUDs, OCPs and DMPA. The objectives of the study are: - To describe the incidence and temporal trends of ectopic pregnancy during the past decade in women of reproductive age and in subpopulations with selected prescriptive contraceptive use, in particular hormonal and non-hormonal IUDs. - To describe demographic and clinical risk factors associated with ectopic pregnancy and to determine the accuracy of data from electronic health records for assessing prescribed contraceptive method over time.

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## Study status

Finalised

# Research institutions and networks

## Institutions

**Bayer AG**

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**Institution**

Kaiser Permanente Northern California Oakland,  
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## Study timelines

### Date when funding contract was signed

Planned: 30/06/2018

Actual: 27/06/2018

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### Study start date

Planned: 01/12/2018

Actual: 01/12/2018

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### Date of final study report

Planned: 15/11/2021

Actual: 15/11/2021

## Sources of funding

- Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

## More details on funding

Bayer AG

## Study protocol

[Study 20257\\_Study Protocol\\_Amendment\\_Redacted\\_V2\\_10\\_28\\_2020.pdf](#)(955.04 KB)

## Regulatory

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

No

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

Not applicable

## Other study registration identification numbers and links

CT.gov: NCT03670784,Bayer number: 20257

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

### Study type list

**Study topic:**

Disease /health condition

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**Study type:**

Non-interventional study

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**Scope of the study:**

Disease epidemiology

Other

**If 'other', further details on the scope of the study**

Accuracy of electronic health data

**Data collection methods:**

Secondary use of data

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**Main study objective:**

The overall goal of this study is to assess the incidence rate of ectopic pregnancy over the last decade in a representative population of US women and potential risk factors associated with ectopic pregnancy.

## Study Design

**Non-interventional study design**

Cohort

Cross-sectional

## Study drug and medical condition

## **Medical condition to be studied**

Ectopic pregnancy

## **Population studied**

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

The study will take place within health care systems with EHR data in California. The study population will include women enrolled in the health plans of the two systems who were age 15 to 44 years from January 1, 2009 to December 31, 2018.

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### **Age groups**

Adolescents (12 to < 18 years)

Adults (18 to < 46 years)

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### **Special population of interest**

Pregnant women

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### **Estimated number of subjects**

2000000

## **Study design details**

### **Outcomes**

Number of ectopic pregnancies / Person-time at risk, Risk factors for ectopic pregnancies / Accuracy of electronic health data to identify a) the diagnosis of ectopic pregnancy, b) the contraceptive method at time of diagnosis of ectopic pregnancy, c) the contraceptive method over time and d) induced abortions /

Numbers of ectopic pregnancies managed surgically / Numbers of ectopic pregnancies managed medically

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### **Data analysis plan**

Descriptive analyses for all variables of interest will be presented overall and within each database for the study cohort. For categorical variables, frequencies and percentages will be presented for each level. Continuous variables will be summarized by the mean, standard deviation, minimum, maximum, median, and quartiles. For estimates, two-sided 95% confidence intervals will be calculated. The proportion of missing data will be captured for each variable. Demographic and clinical characteristics of patients experiencing the following outcomes will be presented: Ectopic pregnancies, Surgically treated, Medically treated, and Unknown/other (includes expectant management) Characteristics will include frequencies and percentages for each level of each outcome and by demographics and clinical characteristics of patients at the index date.

## Documents

### **Study results**

[20257\\_EU\\_PAS\\_Abstract\\_Redacted\\_V1.0\\_2022-02-23.pdf](#)(337.99 KB)

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## Data management

## ENCePP Seal

### **Conflicts of interest of investigators**

[20257\\_Study\\_Report\\_Redacted\\_V1.0\\_2022-02-23.pdf](#)(2.62 MB)

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## Data sources

## **Data sources (types)**

Administrative healthcare records (e.g., claims)

Electronic healthcare records (EHR)

# Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

## **CDM mapping**

No

# Data quality specifications

## **Check conformance**

Unknown

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## **Check completeness**

Unknown

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## **Check stability**

Unknown

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## **Check logical consistency**

Unknown

# Data characterisation

## **Data characterisation conducted**

No