

MOMENTUM



The international MOMENTUM study brings together partners from academia and industry to track the outcomes of combining Magnetic Resonance and Radiation Therapy to treat common types of cancer using the MR-Linac machine.

In the study, the clinical and technical data of patients treated on the MR-Linac is collected. The data is used for technical development and to facilitate evidence-based implementation of MR-guided radiotherapy.

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1000th MOMENTUM-study patient recruited



On 17 November 2020, the 1000th patient was recruited into the MOMENTUM-study. This milestone was achieved by our team from the Royal Marsden Hospital in London. Congratulations to everyone involved!

NEW START FOR SOPHIE DE MOL VAN OTTERLOO

Sophie de Mol van Otterloo, PhD student and member of the MOMENTUM Team at the UMC Utrecht. In December 2020, Sophie started working in the clinic in the department of surgery at the Jeroen Bosch Hospital in 's Hertogenbosch, the Netherlands and said goodbye to the UMC Utrecht MOMENTUM-team.

As a PhD student in the MOMENTUM team, I was highly involved in the launch of the MOMENTUM study. One of the many things I appreciate about MOMENTUM is the close contact between the participating sites.

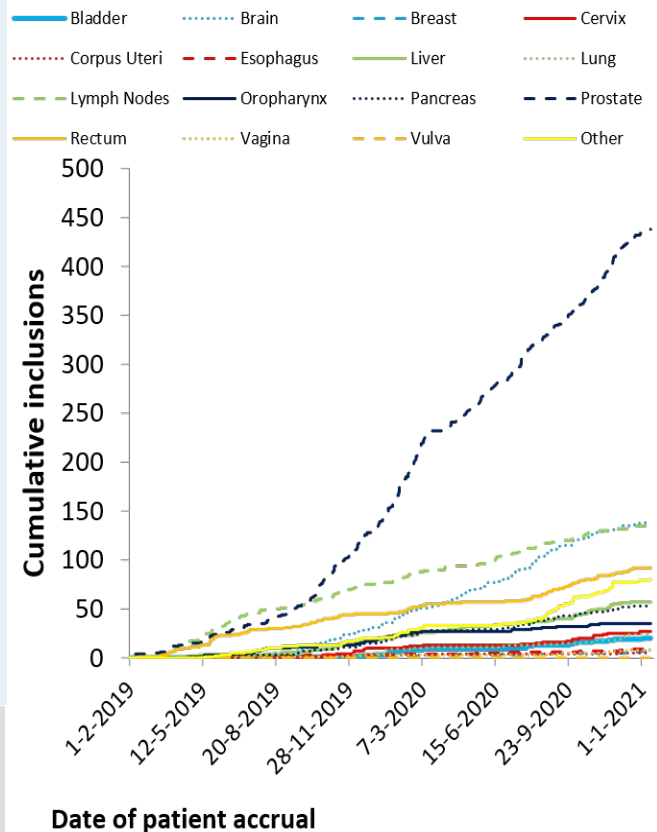
Together with the MOMENTUM clinical team, I have organized multiple kick-off meetings and visited the bi-annual consortium meetings. During these events, it was always great to see the enthusiasm of the doctors and researchers involved. But above all, it was inspiring to see the willingness of patients to participate in the study to improve treatment for future patients.

I'm grateful for the past three years and excited for my next adventure. I hope to remain involved in MOMENTUM after finishing my PhD.

Thank you Sophie, for your effort, enthusiasm and energy for this study. We wish you the best and good luck with this new step in your career!



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ODENSE JOINS OUR MISSION

On 5 November 2020, Odense Universitetshospital officially joined the MOMENTUM study.

Via an online meeting the Dutch team introduced the Danish team to the study and explained the working methods.

It was an interactive and interesting session and we can proudly announce that they already recruited 115 patients in last period.

Welcome to the MOMENTUM-team!