

**Trial Description****Title**

**Prospective, randomized and multicenter study for investigation of validity of the sentinel lymph node concept in patients with cervical cancer  $\leq 2$  cm**

**Trial Acronym**

**SENCER**

**URL of the trial**

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**Brief Summary in Lay Language**

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**Brief Summary in Scientific Language**

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**We plan to randomize 1200 patients with histologically confirmed cervical cancer stage FIGO 1a1 L1 V0, FIGO 1a2 L0 or L1 V0, FIGO1b1 L0 or L1 V0  $\leq 2$  cm. In group A exclusively sentinel lymphadenectomy is performed, in group B radical systematic pelvic lymphadenectomy is done. All the patients from both groups with tumor free lymph nodes either radical hysterectomy or, in women seeking parenthood, radical trachelectomy is performed. In all patients, if lymph nodes are tumor-involved systematic pelvic and paraaortic lymphadenectomy followed by primary chemoradiation is recommended. Primary end point is overall survival which should be equal for both groups. Secondary end point is periand postoperative morbidity including quality of life, where a benefit for women with sentinellymphadenectomy should be evident.**

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### Description IPD sharing plan

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## Organizational Data

- DRKS-ID: **DRKS00003164**
- Date of Registration in DRKS: **2011/07/05**
- Date of Registration in Partner Registry or other Primary Registry: [---]\*
- Investigator Sponsored/Initiated Trial (IST/IIT): **yes**
- Ethics Approval/Approval of the Ethics Committee: **Approved**
- (leading) Ethics Committee Nr.: **EA1/207/09 , Ethik-Kommission der Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin-**

## Secondary IDs

## Health condition or Problem studied

- Free text: **cervical cancer**
- ICD10: **C53.9 - Malignant neoplasm: Cervix uteri, unspecified**

## Interventions/Observational Groups

- Arm 1: **sentinel lymphadenectomy**
- Arm 2: **radical pelvic lymphadenectomy**

## Characteristics

- Study Type: **Interventional**
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- Allocation: **Randomized controlled trial**
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- Control: **Active control**
- Purpose: **Treatment**
- Assignment: **Parallel**
- Phase: **N/A**
- Off-label use (Zulassungsüberschreitende Anwendung eines Arzneimittels): [---]\*

### Primary Outcome

**Overall survival**

### Secondary Outcome

**Peri- and postoperative morbidity**  
**Quality of life judged through questionnaire EORTC QLQ C-30 (3 months after operation, then yearly till 4 year follow-up)**  
**Recurrence-free survival**

### Countries of recruitment

- **DE Germany**
- **PL Poland**

### Locations of Recruitment

### Recruitment

- Planned/Actual: **Planned**
- (Anticipated or Actual) Date of First Enrollment: **2011/09/01**
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National/International: **International**

### Inclusion Criteria

- Gender: **Female**
- Minimum Age: **18 Years**
- Maximum Age: **80 Years**

### Additional Inclusion Criteria

- **Karnofsky-Index =/> 70,**
- **18-80 year of age**
- **Cervical cancer diagnosed histologically**
- **FIGO 1a1 L1 V0, FIGO 1a2 L0 or L1 V0 FIGO 1b1 L0 or L1 V0 ≤ 2cm**
- **Signed informed consent form**
- **Patient's willing to cooperate**

### Exclusion criteria

- **Neuroendocrine tumours or tumours of mixed type with neuroendocrine component**
- **Invasion of tumour cells in vascular system (V1)**
- **Pregnancy, breast feeding**
- **Distant metastases**
- **Previous malignant diseases**
- **History of pelvic radiotherapy**
- **Severe medical disorders**
- **Psychiatric diseases, that can interfere with participation and follow-up**
- **HIV infection or AIDS**
- **Drugs addiction**
- **Existing motoric or sensoric polyneuropathy > CTC Grad 1**
- **impossibility to perform anesthesia**

### Addresses

- **Primary Sponsor**  
**Charité Campus Charité Mitte**  
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## Status

- Recruitment Status: **Recruiting planned**
- Study Closing (LPLV): [---]\*

## Trial Publications, Results and other documents

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