## **Multicenter Prospective Stroke Cohort in Korea**

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## **Summary**

Country	Korea
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Key publication/reference	Yu et al. Stroke 2013;44:786-788
Years in which study conducted	2007-2008
Sample	
Size	620 (n=353 for detailed 3m assessment)
Population: Hospital/community	Hospital
Selection: consecutive/random	Consecutive
Admit with previous stroke?	Yes
Admit with TIA?	No
Age range	12-93
Number of centres	12
Control group: number, population, selection	None
Assessment	
Initial: Time and data collected/tests administered	Within 2 weeks: VRF, MRI, function
Detailed	3m: 60-minute K-VCIHS-NP, IQCODE, function

Subsequent (follow-ups)	None beyond the 3m assessment
Stroke-related data	NIHSS
Functional tests/data	Korean IADL Scale, Rankin
Other medical tests/data	None
Neuropsychological tests	Test battery (K-VCIHS-NP), MMSE
MRI scans, when and how many	Within 7 days of symptoms
PET scans	No
Psychiatric exams/diagnoses	Dementia (DSM-IV)
Intervention trialled?	No

CT=computed tomography scan, MedHx=medical history, VRF=vascular risk factors (hypertension, diabetes, atrial fibrillation, obesity, smoking etc.), N $\Psi$ =neuropsychological, TIA=transient ischemic attack, m=month, y=year

