

# - Asbestos Exposure and Digestive Cancers

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## General

### Identification

Detailed name Asbestos Exposure and Digestive Cancers

CNIL registration number,  
number and date of CPP  
agreement, AFSSAPS (French  
Health Products Safety Agency)  
authorisation Accord CNIL

### General Aspects

Medical area Cancer research

Health determinants Geography  
Intoxication  
Occupation  
Pollution

Others (details) Cancer of the intestine, cancer of the oesophagus,  
bronchopulmonary cancer, pleural disease,  
asbestos

Keywords Peritoneal mesothelioma, inflammatory reaction,  
carcinogen, toxic effects, asbestos, exposure

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Unit Cancers et Populations

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CHU

Collaborations	
Participation in projects, networks and consortia	Yes
Funding	
Funding status	Public
Details	Inserm
Governance of the database	
Sponsor(s) or organisation(s) responsible	Institut National de Santé et Recherche Médicale
Organisation status	Public
Sponsor(s) or organisation(s) responsible	CHU Caen
Organisation status	Public
Additional contact	
Main features	
Type of database	
Type of database	Study databases
Study databases (details)	Longitudinal study (except cohorts)
Database recruitment is carried out by an intermediary	A population file
Database recruitment is carried out as part of an interventional study	No
Additional information regarding sample selection.	Individuals working in a place with high exposure to asbestos.
Database objective	
Main objective	To determine whether occupational asbestos exposure increases the risk of digestive cancers. To define the relationship between exposure to asbestos and cancer of the small intestine and oesophagus in humans.
Inclusion criteria	- Men or women - exposed to asbestos in their

place of work

## Population type

Age  
Adulthood (19 to 24 years)  
Adulthood (25 to 44 years)  
Adulthood (45 to 64 years)

Population covered  
General population

Gender  
Male  
Woman

Geography area  
Departmental

French regions covered by the database  
Normandie

Detail of the geography area  
Calvados (Normandy)

## Data collection

### Dates

Date of first collection (YYYY or MM/YYYY)  
1978

Date of last collection (YYYY or MM/YYYY)  
2004

### Size of the database

Size of the database (number of individuals)  
[1000-10 000[ individuals

Details of the number of individuals  
2024 -1604 hommes - 420 femmes

### Data

Database activity  
Data collection completed

Type of data collected  
Clinical data

Clinical data (detail)  
Medical registration

Presence of a biobank  
No

Health parameters studied  
Health event/morbidity  
Health event/mortality

### Procedures

Participant monitoring	Yes
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Links to administrative sources	No
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## Promotion and access

### Promotion

Link to the document	<a href="http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1365-2036.2009.04050.x/pdf">http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1365-2036.2009.04050.x/pdf</a>
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### Access

Terms of data access (charter for data provision, format of data, availability delay)	To be defined.
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Access to aggregated data	Access on specific project only
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Access to individual data	Access on specific project only
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