## Marleen van Oosten

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## Bio

Marleen van Oosten, MD, PhD, finished her training as clinical microbiologist in 2017 in the University Medical Center Groningen. During her training she finished her thesis on the topic of visualisation of tumors and infections, in a collaborative effort between surgery and microbiology. She defended her thesis in 2014 with a cum laude result. After her trainig, she has worked as clinical microbiologist in the Universitary Medical Center Groningen, with specific expertise in surgical infections. She has implented a multidisciplinary patient consultation with the vascular surgeons and ID specialists in the UMCG, implemented novel diagnostic improvements in the laboratory, - both strategies scientifically published - and participated in the direct outpatient care concerning patients with fracture related infections, in collaboration with the traumasurgeons. She also continued her research on the visualisation of infections in a surgical setting, and has set up a research group on this topic. Currently, she works as clinical microbiologist at CERTE, in the peripheral hospitals in the northern region of the Netherlands.