

### Childhood and Juvenile Movement Disorders Amr Hassan, M.D,FEBN

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## Any approach begins with . . .

A good history

A good physical exam

Keen sense of observation

A systematic differential diagnosis



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## **D**escribe the movement

- Rhythmic vs. arrhythmic
- Sustained vs. nonsustained
- Paroxysmal vs. Nonparoxysmal
- Slow vs. fast
- Amplitude
- At rest vs. Action Vs Task Specific
- Patterned vs. non-patterned
- Combination of varieties of movements
- Supressibility

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## Paroxysmal vs. Nonparoxysmal

#### **Paroxysmal**

- Tics
- PKD
- PNKD
- Sterotypies
- Akathic movements
- Moving toes
- Myorhythmia

#### Continous

- Abdominal dyskinesias
- Athetosis
- Tremors
- Dystonic postures
- Myoclonus (rhythmic)
- Tardive sterotypy
- Myokymia
- Tic status

# Differentiating from other MD



### *Fernandez alvarez, 2005* 684 patient< 18 years

- Tics 43%
- Dystonia- 23%
- Tremor- 16%
- Myoclonus 6%
- Mixea- 4%
- Chorea- 3%
- Hypokinetic 3%



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#### **Genetics of PD**



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Farrer Nature Reviews Genetics 7, 306-318 (April 2006) | doi:10.1038/nrg1831



#### **Genetics of PD**

Locations of the 7 Parkinson's disease genes in the human genome



The 1 - 22 numbered chromosomes plus the X & Y sex chromosomes

Symbol	Gene locus	Disorder	Inheritance	Gene
PARK1	4q21-22	EOPD	AD	SNCA
PARK2	6q25.2–q27	EOPD	AR	Parkin
PARK3	2p13	<b>Classical PD</b>	AD	Unknown
PARK4	4q21–q23	EOPD	AD	SNCA
PARK5	4p13	<b>Classical PD</b>	AD	UCHL1
PARK6	1p35–p36	EOPD	AR	PINK1
PARK7	1p36	EOPD	AR	DJ-1
PARK8	12q12	<b>Classical PD</b>	AD	LRRK2

Symbol	Gene locus	Disorder	Inheritance	Gene
PARK9	1p36	Kufor-Rakeb syndrome	AR	ATP13A2
PARK10	1p32	Classical PD	<b>Risk factor</b>	Unknown
PARK11	2q36-27	Late-onset PD	AD	Unknown
PARK12	Xq21–q25	Classical PD	Risk factor	Unknown
PARK13	2p12	Classical PD	AD or risk factor	HTRA2
PARK14	22q13.1	EOP + Dystonia	AR	PLA2G6

Symbol	Gene locus	Disorder	Inheritance	Gene
PARK15	22q12–q13	EOP + $\Delta$	AR	FBX07
PARK16	1q32	Classical PD	Risk factor	Unknown
PARK17	16q11.2	Classical PD	AD	VPS35
PARK18	3q27.1	Classical PD	AD	EIF4G1

PARK	Gene	Inheritance	Phenotype
1	α-Synuclein	Dominant	Complex mix of Parkinsonism and dementia
2	Parkin	Recessive	Juvenile onset Parkinsonism
6	PINK1	Recessive	Juvenile onset Parkinsonism
7	DJ1	Recessive	Juvenile onset Parkinsonism
9	ATP13A2	Recessive	Juvenile onset Parkinsonism
14	PLA2G6	Recessive	Juvenile onset Parkinsonism dystonia
15	FBXO7	Recessive	Juvenile onset Parkinsonism





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## What is a tic?

A "tic" is a sudden, rapid, recurrent, nonrhythmic, stereotyped motor movement or vocalization

May appear as exaggerated fragments of ordinary motor or phonic behaviors that occur out of context

## **Classification of tics**





# Motor Tics (Simple)

- Generally lasting less than several hundred milliseconds
- Examples include:
  - eye blinking
  - nose wrinkling
  - neck jerking
  - shoulder shrugging
  - facial grimacing
  - abdominal tensing





# Motor Tics (Complex)

- Longer in duration than simple tics; usually lasting seconds or longer
- Examples include:
  - hand gestures
  - jumping, touching, pressing, or stomping
  - facial contortions
  - repeatedly smelling an object
  - squatting and/or deep knee bends
  - retracing steps and/or twirling when walking
  - assuming and holding unusual positions (including "dystonic" tics, such as holding the neck in a particular tensed position)




### Tics

- Predominate in the face, upper arms and neck.
- <u>Motor</u>: eye blinking, shoulder shrug..
- <u>Vocal</u>: squeaking, cough, sniffing...
- <u>Sensory</u>: sensation 'clothes not right'..
- Can be supressed; relief when expressed again

- Aggravated by stress / anxiety.
- Family history tics / OCD.
- Recurrent movements stereotyped.
- Tics are preceded by rising discomfort or urge (sensory tic) that is relieved by the movement (itch and scratch).
- Can persist in sleep.

### Tics: D.D.

- Chorea
- Myoclonus
- Stereotypies
- Compulsions
- Pseudotics
- Secondary ass Strep infection "PANDAS"



- Tics are often less prominent in the clinical examination room.
  - Videotaping the patient.



- CAUTION: Dystonic tic:
  - The movement or posture might be slow or prolonged rather than jerky.

Transient	Chronic	Tourette's
Single/multiple motor AND/OR vocal	Single/multiple motor OR vocal	Multiple motor AND single/multiple vocal
< 1 year =/> 4 weeks	> 1 year Not tic free > 3 months	> 1 year Not tic free > 3 months

## **Tourettes Syndrome: Associated disorders**

- Obsessions and compulsions OCD
- ADHD

50 – 60% of TS precedes tics by 2-3 years

- Sleep disorders
- Learning problems **5X** more special ed
- Behavioural problems
- Mood disorders

### **Tourettes Syndrome**



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## **Tremors: classification**

#### **Table 1** | Classification of tremors according to moment of occurrence

Moment of occurrence	Features	Example of underlying disorder
A. At rest	Best judged in a body part that is fully supported against gravity	Parkinson disease
B. With action		
Postural	Occurs in body part that assumes a posture against gravity	Physiological; enhanced physiological (stress, endocrine disorders or intoxications); essential tremor
Kinetic		
Simple	Occurs during entire movement trajectory	Essential tremor
Intention	Progressively increases towards intended target	Cerebellar ataxia
Task specific	Occurs only during specific activities	Dystonic writing tremor
Isometric	Occurs during voluntary muscle contractions against a stationary resistance	Physiological; associated with other types of tremor
C. Combinations	Various	Severe essential tremor; atypical parkinsonism; dystonic tremor; rubral (Holmes) tremor

The above classification was proposed by a Consensus Statement of the Movement Disorder Society.<sup>17</sup>

## **Tremors: classification**

REST TREMORS	ACTION TREMORS	CTION TREMORS			
REST TREMORSACTION TREMORS• Parkinsonian • ET variants • Midbrain lesions • MyorhythmiaPOSTURALN• Physiologic • Enhanced physiologic (stress, drugs, endocrine) • ET • Orthostatic • PD (reemergent)N	KINETIC • Cerebellar lesions as in MS, stroke, wilson disease • Midbrain • Task specific	MISCELLANEOUS <ul> <li>Idiopathic</li> <li>Psychogenic</li> <li>Other</li> <li>involuntary</li> <li>movements like</li> <li>Myoclonus,</li> <li>Fasciculations,</li> </ul>			
	<ul><li>Dystonic</li><li>Cerebellar</li><li>Neuropathic</li></ul>		Asterixis, Clonus		

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# Choreo athetosis



# Chorea

- Infectious:
  - Rheumatic fever / Sydenham chorea
  - Herpes encephalitis
  - HIV
  - Cysticercosis
  - Toxoplasmosis
  - Diphtheria
  - Scarlet fever
- Systemic diseases:

– SLE

- Vascular:
  - Cyanotic heart disease
- Intoxication:
  - CO
  - Methyl alcohol
- Primary genetic:
  - Benign hereditary
  - Huntington`s disease
  - Ataxia telangiectasia
- Metabolic:
  - Wilson`s disease
  - Galactosaemia

# Chorea

- Metabolic or toxic encephalopathies-
  - Hypo/ hypernatremia
  - Hypocalcemia
  - Hyperthyroidism
  - Hypoparathyroidism
  - Hepatic/ Renal failure
  - Carbon monoxide, Manganese, mercury, OP poisoning

- Drug induced chorea-
  - Dopamine receptor blocking agents-
    - Phenothiazines
  - Antiparkinsonian drugs-
    - L-dopa
    - Dopamine agonists
    - Anticholinergics
  - Antiepileptic drugs-
    - Phenytoin
    - Carbamazepine

# Sydenham Chorea

- Described in 1686
- Major feature of Rheumatic Fever
- In older than 10 year group: > in girls



- Progressive starts with behaviour problems, clumsiness, difficulty writing, restlessness then after weeks chorea becomes evident
- Present weeks to months; usually good outcome

- From childhood to the 80s.
- The important point is that HD should be considered in all cases of chorea.
- AD (But anticipation)
- A child may present before the parent is symptomatic.
- A parent could have died before becoming symptomatic, or may have been misdiagnosed.



### CAG

10-26 Normal

27-35 Intermediate

### 36-39 Reduced penetrance 40+ Full penetrance **HD**

Neurological	Psychiatric	Cognition	Non- neurological
Chorea	Depression	Speech difficulty	Muscle and testicular atrophy
Dystonia	Mania	Executive dysfunction	Weight loss
Rigidity	Psychosis	Short term memory loss	Osteoporosis
Gait abnormality	Anxiety	Poor attention	Impaired glucose tolerance test
Eye movement abnormality	Suicidal tendency	Poor calculation	Heart failure



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#### GEN News Highlights

April 4, 2017

#### FDA Approves Teva's AUSTEDO for Treating Huntington's Disease

The FDA approved Teva Pharmaceutical's AUSTEDO™ (deutetrabenazine; SD-809) for treating chorea associated with Huntington's disease (HD). The drug is an oral, small-molecule inhibitor of vesicular monoamine 2 transporter (VMAT2).

FDA approval was based on data from a 90-patient, placebo-controlled Phase III FIRST-HD trial, which showed that patients treated using AUSTEDO achieved a 4.4 unit improvement from baseline in their Total Maximal Chorea Score, compared with an approximately 1.9 unit change in the placebo group

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# Classification of dystonia

#### **Clinical Aspects**

	Age at Onset					
	Infancy					
	Childhood					
	Adolescence					
	Early Adulthood					
	Late Adulthood					
	Body distribution					
	Focal					
	Segmental					
	Mutifocal					
Generalized						
	Hemidystonia					
	T 15					
	Temporal Pattern					
	Course	Variability				
	Static	Persistent				
	Progressive	Action Specific				
		Diurnal				
	1	Paroxysmal				
	Other movement disorder					
_	Isolated	Isolated				
Combined						
3	combined					
	Other manife	estations				

# Classification of dystonia





**Isolated dystonia** (1ry dystonia)

Focal:

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Combined dystonia (Dystoniaplus, Degenerative, 2ry)

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- Distinguished phenomenon Sensory tricks Overflow mirroring

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Isolated: dystonia is the only motor feature Adult-onset task-specific

Adult-onset non-taskspecific limb dystonia

- Writer's cramp
- Musician's dystonia
- Runner's dystonia
- · Idiopathic

Isolated: dystonia is the only motor feature	Adult-onset task-specific	<ul><li>Writer's cramp</li><li>Musician's dystonia</li><li>Runner's dystonia</li></ul>
	Adult-onset non-task- specific limb dystonia	Idiopathic
Combined: dystonia is combined with other movement disorders	Adult-onset non-task- specific limb dystonia	<ul> <li>Parkinson disease</li> <li>Atypical parkinsonian disorder (i.e., corticobasal degeneration)</li> <li>Posttraumatic or complex regional pain syndrome</li> <li>Psychogenic</li> </ul>
	Dystonia-plus syndromes	<ul> <li>Dopa-responsive dystonia</li> <li>Rapid-onset dystonia parkinsonism</li> <li>Myoclonus-dystonia syndrome</li> </ul>
	Paroxysmal dyskinesia and dystonia	<ul> <li>Paroxysmal kinesigenic dystonia</li> <li>Paroxysmal non-kinesigenic dystonia</li> <li>Paroxysmal exercise-induced dystonia</li> </ul>
	Heredodegenerative dystonia	<ul><li>Wilson's disease</li><li>Huntington's disease</li><li>Neuroferritinopathy</li></ul>
	Structural lesions	<ul><li>Stroke</li><li>Tumor</li></ul>

# **Mixed movement disorders**

Combinations	Possible etiology
Tremor and akinesia	Parkinson disease or atypical parkinsonism
Parkinsonism, ataxia, autonomic dysfunction, spasticity, myoclonus	Multiple system atrophy
Vertical supranuclear gaze palsy and falls, symmetrical parkinsonism	Progressive supranuclear palsy
Akinesia, rigidity, myoclonus, dystonia and apraxia, asymmetrical clinical phenotype	Corticobasal degeneration
Chorea, dystonia and bradykinesia	Huntington disease
Dystonia plus tremor	Primary dystonia
Tremor (rest and postural), dystonia, akinetic-rigid syndrome	Wilson disease
Ataxia and myoclonus (Ramsay Hunt syndrome, 'progressive myoclonic ataxia')	Mitochondrial disease; celiac disease; Unverricht–Lundborg disease

# Distribution of dystonia

FOCAL DYSTONIAS



# Cervical dystonia


# Writer cramp



# Segmental dystonia



# Trunkal dystonia



# Athetoid CP



## **Dyskinetic CP**

- 2 groups : Choreoathetotic and dystonic
- Often severe hypoxia in term baby; previously kernicterus
- History of insult + UMN signs



• Incidence of MR 30%

# Generalized dystonia



# Hallervorden–Spatz syndrome













## **Dopa-responsive dystonia**

- AD
- Mutation of the enzyme GTP cyclohydrolase, which is the ratelimiting step in the production of tetrahydrobiopterin, a cofactor in the metabolism of dopamine.
- Limb dystonia that typically affects walking.



## **Dopa-responsive dystonia**

- Diurnal fluctuation.
- Spastic gait, parkinsonism, or cerebral palsy.
- Focal dystonia or parkinsonism in adults.
- Patients respond to low dosages:
  300 mg per day.



## **Paroxysmal Dystonia**

Disorder	Age of Onset	Reported Triggers	Duration of Episode	Treatment	Causative Gene	Allelic Disorders
Paroxysmal kinesogenic	Infancy to fourth decade	Sudden movement	Short: seconds to minutes	Carbamazepine, phenytoin	PRRT2	Infantile convulsions choreoathetosis, familial
dyskinesia						Benign paroxysmal torticollis of infancy
						Familial migraine
Paroxysmal nonkinesogenic dyskinesia	Infancy to fourth decade	Caffeine, alcohol, stress/anxiety, sleep deprivation	Longer: minutes to hours	Benzodiazepines	MR1	None known
Paroxysmal exercise-induced dyskinesia	Infancy to adulthood	Exercise, stress, fasting	Longer: minutes to hours	Ketogenic diet	SLC2A1	Glucose transporter deficiency phenotypes like absence epilepsy, myoclonic-atonic epilepsy, generalized epilepsy, early infantile epileptic encephalopathy

# Overflow

• Commonly found in dystonia.

 Unintentional muscle contraction which accompanies, but is anatomically distinct from the primary dystonic movement.

• It commonly occurs at the peak of dystonic movements.

# Mirror dystonia

• Mirror dystonia is a unilateral posture or movement that is the same or similar in character to a dystonic feature that can be elicited, usually in the more severely affected side, when contralateral movements or actions are performed.

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## Ataxia: causes

#### Acute

- Infections
  - Cerebellar abscess
  - Viral cerebellitis
  - Bacterial
- Metabolic:
  - Organic acidurias
  - Leigh's encephalopaties
  - Hypoglycaemia
  - Hyperammonaemia
- Toxins
  - Alcohol
  - Phenytoin
  - Phenobarbitone,
  - Lead
  - Glue
  - Vit A
- Posterior fossa tumour
- Vascular
  - Haemorrhage
  - Embolism
  - AVM
- Pseudo-ataxia

### **Chronic non progressive**

#### Perinatal insults

- Birth asphyxia
- Metabolic
- Intra ventricular haemorrhage
- Meningitis

#### - Congenital malformations

- Primary cerebellar hypoplasia
- Hydrocephalus
- Foetal alcohol syndrome
- Joubert syndrome
- Postnatal acquired
  - Hypoxia
  - Hypoglycaemia
  - Chronic phenytoin
  - Thiamine deficiency
  - Trauma

## Ataxia: causes

- Chronic or Progressive Ataxia-
  - Brain tumors
  - Congenital malformations-
    - Cerebellar aplasias
    - Dandy- Walker malformation
    - Chiari malformation
  - Hereditary ataxias



Condition	Inheritance	Gene(s)	Age of Presentation	Movement Symptomatology
Friedreich ataxia	Autosomal recessive	FXN	Childhood: 2–15 years	Ataxia

# Ataxia telangiectasia





## Ataxia telangiectasia

- Slowly progressive cerebellar ataxia
- Telangiectasis of skin and congunctivae
- Frequent pulmonary infections
- Chorea-athetosis
- Malignancies lymphoreticular
- Sensitivity to ionizing radiation
- Ocularmotor apraxia
- Elevated alpha feto protein



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### **Myoclonus like disorders**

Phenotype	<b>Most Common Etiologies</b>
Myokymia	Postparalytic facial palsy
	Peripheral nerve hyperexcitability (eg, metabolic, autoimmune, or paraneoplastic disorders)
Fasciculations	Benign fasciculations
	Cramp-fasciculation syndrome
	Motor neuron disease
Tics	Tourette syndrome
	Secondary tourettism
	Dystonic tics
Chorea ("chorea minor")	Sydenham disease
	Benign hereditary chorea
Ballism (severe chorea)	Subthalamic outflow strokes
	Nonketotic diabetic ketoacidosis
Tremor ("jerky tremor")	Enhanced physiologic tremor
	Dystonic tremor

# Non progressive myoclonus

#### Epileptic

- Benign rolandic epilepsy<sup>a</sup>
- Juvenile myclonic epilepsy<sup>a</sup>
- Angelman syndrome

#### Secondary

- Posthypoxic myoclonus (Lance-Adams syndrome)
- latrogenic (valproate, lamotrigine, meperidine, amantadine, levodopa)
- Metabolic (hypematremia, hypercalcemia, hyperthyroidism, hypomagnesemia, nonketotic hyperglycemia, biotin deficiency, metabolic alkalosis)

#### With dystonia

• Myodonus-dystonia (DYT11, DYT15)

#### With ataxia

- Heroin toxicity (acute)
- Ataxia-telangiectasia
- Myoclonic epilepsy with ragged red fibers<sup>a</sup> (MERRF)
- Mitochondrial encephalomyopathy, lactic acidosis, and strokelike episodes (MELAS)
- Opsoclonus-mrclonus ataxia

## **Progressive myoclonus**

#### With ataxia

- Autosomal dominant spinocerebellar ataxias with myoctonus (SCA2, SCA3, SCA14, SCA19)
- Dentatorubral-pallidoluysian atrophy
- Friedreich ataxia
- Ataxia-telangiectasia
- Orthostatic myoclonus

#### Severe/rapidly progressive

- Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease
- Progressive myodonic encephalopathies
- Subacute sclerosing panencephalitis
- Infectious encephalitis (herpes simplex virus, arbovirirs, human T-cell tymphotropic virus 1, HIV)
- Postinfectious encephalitis
- Hashimoto encephalopathy
- Celiac disease
- N-methyl-o-aspartate (NMDA) receptor antibody encephalitis
- latrogienic (bismuth encephalopathy)

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### **Benign Neonatal Sleep Myoclonus**



## **Benign Neonatal Sleep Myoclonus**

- Rapid, random, bilateral/asynchronous
- jerking, may be forceful and rhythmic
- Seconds-minutes or even hours in sleep
- All stages of sleep (Quiet sleep/NREM)
- Differential: Seizures and Jitteriness
- Disappear when infant is woken up
- Not seen during alert wakefulness
- Does not stop on passive flexion (jitter stops)
- EEG: Normal baseline and during events
- Mostly disappear by late infancy

### **Juvenile movement disorders**



### Tics → Tourette syndrome



## Tics Vs Myoclonus

	Myoclonus	Tics
Onset	Any	School age
Pattern	Patterned, predictable, identical	Variable, wax and wane
Movements	Jerky, shock like, sudden	Blink, grimace, shrug
Rhythm	Maybe Rhythmic	Rapid, sudden , random
Duration	Brief, intermittent	Brief, intermittent
Premonitory	No	Yes
Trigger	No, action, stimulus sensitive	Excitement, stress
Suppression	No	Brief (causes inner tension).
Family History	May be positive	Frequently positive
Treatment	AED	Neuroleptics

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# Wilson Disease



### Wilson disease

- AR, chromosome 13.
- Mutations to the gene coding for ATPase copper transporting beta polypeptide (ATP7B), which is located on.
- ATP7B is a relatively large gene at around 80 kb, and it contains 21 exons.




#### TEST

Urinary Copper	24 hour copper excretion >100 $\mu$ g in 65% of WD patients
Urinary copper penicillamine challenge with two dosages of 500mg 12 hours apart and measure urine copper	24 hour copper excretion > 1600 $\mu g$ in patients with active liver disease
Serum Copper	Serum copper may be low in asymptomatic cases (because caeruloplasmin is low) or high in cases with active liver disease (because free copper is raised)
Serum "free" copper Calculated on the basis that caeruloplasmin contains 0.3% copper	Free Copper >25µg/dl
Serum Caeruloplasmin	< 20 mg/dl (in 95% of WD patients)
KF rings	Identification in most patients requires an experienced observer
Liver Copper	>250 µg/gm of dry weight liver
Coombs negative haemolytic anaemia	
Biochemical indices MRI scan	Abnormal liver function tests Abnormal
Molecular diagnosis	Over 200 mutations are known

COMMENTS

#### Wilson disease



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Table 5. Scoring system developed at the 8th International Meeting on Wilson's disease, Leipzig 2001 [44].

Typical clinical symptoms and signs			Other tests	
KF rings			Liver copper (in the absence of cholestasis)	
Present		2	>5x ULN (>4 µmol/g)	2
Absent		0	0.8-4 µmol/g	1
Neurologic symptoms**			Normal (<0.8 μmol/g)	-1
Severe		2	Rhodanine-positive granules*	1
Mild		1	Urinary copper (in the absence of acute hepatitis)	
Absent		0	Normal	0
Serum ceruloplasmin			1-2x ULN	1
Normal (>0.2 g/L)		0	>2x ULN	2
0.1-0.2 g/L		1	Normal, but >5x ULN after D-penicillamine	2
<0.1 g/L		2	Mutation analysis	
Coombs-negative hemolytic anemia			On both chromosomes detected	4
Present		1	On 1 chromosome detected	1
Absent		0	No mutations detected	0
TOTAL SCORE	Evaluation:			
4 or more	Diagnosis established			
3	Diagnosis possible, more tests needed			
2 or less	Diagnosis very unlikely			

\*If no quantitative liver copper available, \*\*or typical abnormalities at brain magnetic resonance imaging. KF, Kayser-Fleischer; ULN, upper limit of normal.

## **Mitochondrial disorders**

#### Symptoms/Clinical Features:

- Mitochondrial Myopathy (proximal weakness
- CPEO



- retinal degeneration (pigmentary retinopathy)
- Cardiac conduction defects (heart block)
- Ataxia/cerebellar syndrome
- Other symptoms include small stature, deafness, dementia, delayed puberty, and endocrine dysfunction

## **Mitochondrial disorders**

- Laboratory: Increased CSF protein and lactate
- MRI- bilateral subcortical white matter T2 hyperintensities involving basal ganglia, thalamus, and brainstem
- Pathology: ragged red fibers



#### **Rhythmic Movement Disorder**



## **Rhythmic Movement Disorder**

- Body rocking
- Head rolling
- Other less common muscle movements include:
- Body rolling
- Leg rolling
- Leg banging
- A combination of the aforementioned symptoms
- Head banging





## **Childhood and Juvenile movement disorders**

Parkinsonism	
Tics	
Tremors	SERPENTINE
Chorea	
Dystonias	
Ataxia	
Myoclonus	
Mixed	



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