

* Syndromes & Diseases.

1] Griscelli Syndrome (Gs)

- Rare Genetic

- Cause: Problem with transport (Melanosome transport & Fusion)

- MYO5A, RAB27A, MLPH.

~ Symptoms:-

1) Pigmentary dilution of skin.

2) Melanin clumps with hair shaft.

3) Silver-Grey hair.

2] Lysosomal storage diseases.

- Cause: Defective lysosomal enzymes.

1- Glycolipidoses.

2- Oligosaccharidoses.

3- Mucopolysaccharidoses (GAGs: heparan, keratan and dermatan sulfate, chondroitin sulfate.)

~ Symptoms:-

Chronic progressively Debilitating Disorders, leading to:

1) psychomotor retardation.

2) Premature death.

3] I-Cell disease.

- Mucopolipidoses IIA or Mucopolipidoses II alpha/B (ML - II α/β)

- Cause: Defective targeting of lysosomal enzymes (Deficiency in tagging enzyme (phosphorylates Mannose))

~ Symptoms:-

1) Severe psychomotor retardation.

↓ Progressing

2) Death (5-8 y.o)

4] Mitochondrial diseases.

Diseases

Genetic

1- MERRF (Myoclonic epilepsy and ragged Red fiber)

Cause: Mutation in one mt (tRNA) genes.

2- MELAS

3- LHON.

Leber's hereditary optic Neuropathy.

Males (50%) vs. Females (10%)

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They transfer it.

~ Symptoms:-

1) Blindness :: degeneration of optic nerve

2) ↓ efficiency of OxPhos & ATP Generation

→ vision loss occurs between (15-35).

4- NARP.

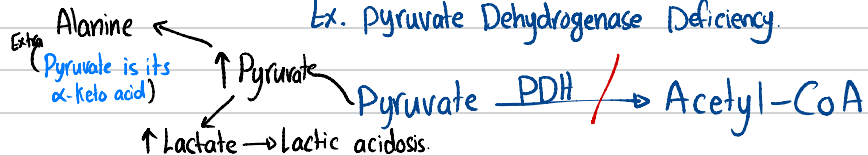
nDNA → All areas of mt metabolism will be affected.

Biochemical

1- Deficiency of Transport (into mt) - Rare

2- Deficiency of Substrate Utilization.

Ex. pyruvate Dehydrogenase Deficiency.



- Males are more affected.

~ Symptoms of PDH deficiency:-

1) Metabolic acidosis.

2) ↑ Lactate in blood or CSF.

3) ↑ [Alanine] & [Pyruvate]

3- Defect in Krebs cycle.

Ex. Fumarase Deficiency. (Fumarate) ↓ (Malate)

- reported in mt encephalopathy.

~ Symptoms:-

- ↑ [Fumarate] in urine (Large amounts)

- ↑ [Succinate] in urine (lesser extent when compared with Fumarate.)

4- Defect of Respiratory chain.

5- Defect of oxphos.

Ex. Luft's disease (non-thyroidal hyper-metabolism.)

↑ Rate of Respiration (No ADP)

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No ATP Production

↓
Energy lost as Heat

↓
causing

↓
hypermetabolism hyperthermia

mitochondrial DNA

5] Peroxisomal Diseases.

1- Single peroxisomal enzyme deficiencies. (Specific peroxisomal enzymes)

2- Peroxisomal biogenesis disorders. (Multiple peroxisomal enzymes; Mutations of PEX genes)

Ex. Zellweger syndrome (at least 10 genes)

- lethal

3- X-Linked adrenoleukodystrophy. (XALD) (Defective VLCFA transport.)

- Accumulation of FAs in cells.

6] Nuclear Lamina Diseases (Laminopathies.)

1- Emery-Dreifuss muscular dystrophy)

Causes:- mutations in emerin gene or Lamin A.



*Other Lamin A diseases.

2- Marie-charcot-tooth disease Type 2B1

3- Hutchinson-Gilford progeria

4- Dunnigan-type partial lipodystrophy.

6] Dystrophin Deficiency.

-(x-linked)

- Inherited

- Progressive muscle diseases.

1- Duchenne muscular dystrophy. (Absent, Severe) - frameshift mutation.

2- Becker muscular dystrophy. (Defective, less severe)

7] kinesines mutations.

- Cause: Mutations in kinesines reducing the ability to move ^{of neurons} essential organelles from body to axon)

~ Symptoms:-

1) Neurodegeneration.

Ex.

1- amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) → loss of muscle control

2- Alzheimer's disease (dementia)

3- Marie-charcot-Tooth disease. (lateral neuropathy)

8) Intermediate filaments diseases.

- 1- Skin abnormalities in mice.
- 2- Human epidermolysis bullosa simplex (mutation in keratin gene)
- 3- amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) - (Lou Gehrig's disease)

~ Symptoms:-

- 1) Accumulation of neurofilaments.
- 2) abnormal assembly of neurofilaments.

9) collagen related diseases.

1- lysyl oxidase mutation.

- collagens are weak (Reduce strength)
- Structures tend to tear.

2- Osteogenesis imperfecta [O.I.]

- Brittle bone disease.
 - genetic
 - 4 Types (I; mildest, II most severe, III & IV milder)
- death after birth
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severe crippling disease

*→ Mutations in COL1A1 & COL1A2
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abnormal assembly of type I collagen

3- chondrodysplasias.

Causes: mutations affecting type II collagen.

~ Symptoms:-

Abnormal cartilage → bone and joint deformities.

4- Ehlers-danlos Syndrome.

- mild - life-threatening.

Cause:- mutations in types I, III or V OR collagen processing enzymes)

Procollagen N-peptidase lysyl hydroxylase

~ symptoms:-

1) skin fragility

Type 3 EDS:- (BVs are most affected)

2) Hyperextensibility

Type 3 collagen

3) joint hypermobility.

Symptoms are:- fragile blood vessels, stretchy skin and hypermobile joints
↑
major

10] GAP Junctions mutations

Cause: Defective (mutated) Connexins.

1- Marie-Charcot-Tooth Disease

2- Cataracts

3- Deafness (can be heredity)

4- Skin disorders.

11] Marfan's Syndrome.

Cause: mutated fibrillin

Symptoms:-

- Stretching too much of elastin causing Rupture (Ex. Aorta)

12] Ataxia-telangiectasia.

- loss of balance & large BV
- Defective ATM
- Defective nervous system & immune system.
- ↑ frequency of cancer.

* Ras is a Proto-oncogene (associated with colorectal cancer)

* Retinoblastoma → ^{associated with.} Uncommon eye cancer, affecting children under 5 (can affect any age also)