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Foxg1 syndrome

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The FOXG1 Syndrome Patient Family Association is composed of
It consists of 31 families and 32 members

with children's Smile

What is FOXG1 syndrome?

In 2008, Rett syndrome was discovered as a gene associated with FOXG1 (Forkhead Box G1) is caused by an abnormality in a gene called This gene is located on chromosome 14 and plays an important role as a protein blueprint
The number of patients with this rare and intractable disease is about 1,200 people.
Most children have severe intellectual and physical disabilities.

What are the main symptoms?

- Severe mental retardation
- Intractable epilepsy
- Abnormal involuntary movements
- Microcephaly
- Eating disorders
- Insomnia
- Language disorders
- Visual acuity and eye movement disorders
- protruding tongue

Activities

- Support for family interaction
- Active outreach to the medical and research fields
- Information dissemination through participation in academic conferences and approaches to medical researchers
- International exchange with the FOXG1 Foundation in the U.S.

**The Patients and Families Association is working to make FOXG1 syndrome known to medical professionals and many other people.
We aim to raise awareness of FOXG1 syndrome and to register FOXG1 syndrome alone as an intractable disease.
We will continue our activities to promote research in Japan and to serve as a stepping stone to the future for fellow patients.**

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