

Adult and Juvenile Myositis

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Status	RECRUITING
Sponsor	National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS)
Enrollment	1,200 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (25)

- ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:
- Patients with Myositis:
- All patients should have age range 2-100 years.
- All Patients admitted to the study must satisfy at least one of the following criteria among item 1 (A or B or C) OR item 2 (A or B or C) AND item 3:
- Patient has documented evidence that he/she meets criteria for an idiopathic inflammatory myopathy
- ... and 20 more (see full listing online)

Exclusion (27)

- Patients <2 years or >100 years will be excluded.
- Any conditions in which the drawing of the amount of blood required or undergoing procedures needed for the study is not deemed medically appropriate by the treating physician or the principal investigator.
- For females of childbearing potential who are pregnant, they will be permitted to enroll, but would be excluded from radiographic procedures involving radiation or greater than minimal risk procedures, including obtaining biopsies.
- Relatives of Patients with Myositis:
- For patients with at least one first-degree relative affected with IIM, all available first-degree relatives (affected and unaffected) are eligible to participate in the genetics portion of the protocol. For patients in which two or more first degree relatives are affected with myositis, any available close relatives (affected or unaffected parents, siblings or children, as well as grandparents and grandchildren, or other close relatives, when available) are eligible to participate in the genetics portion of the protocol.
- ... and 22 more (see full listing online)

Locations (4 total)

Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, United States
National Institutes of Health Clinical Center, Bethesda, Maryland, United States
NIEHS Clinical Research Unit (CRU), Research Triangle Park, North Carolina, United States
... and 1 more locations