

DISEASE:
ABetaL34V amyloidosis

NAME:	ABetaL34V amyloidosis
DESCRIPTION:	A form of hereditary cerebral hemorrhage with amyloidosis characterized by an age of onset between 50-70 years of age, recurrent lobar intracerebral hemorrhages and cognitive decline. This subtype is due to a mutation in the APP gene (21q21.2), encoding the beta-amyloid precursor protein. This mutation causes an increased accumulation of amyloid-beta protein in the walls of the arteries and capillaries of the meninges, cerebellar cortex and cerebral cortex, leading to the weakening and eventual rupture of these vessels.
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SYNONYMS:	ABeta amyloidosis, Piedmont type ABetaL34V-related amyloidosis HCHWA, Piedmont type Hereditary cerebral hemorrhage with amyloidosis, Piedmont type
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