

**DISEASE:**  
**Juvenile amyotrophic lateral sclerosis**

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| <b>NAME:</b>        | Juvenile amyotrophic lateral sclerosis                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>DESCRIPTION:</b> | Juvenile amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (JALS) is a very rare severe motor neuron disease characterized by progressive upper and lower motor neuron degeneration causing facial spasticity, dysarthria, and gait disorders with onset before 25 years of age. |
| <b>ORPHACODE:</b>   | 300605                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>SYNONYMS:</b>    | JALS<br>Juvenile Charcot disease<br>Juvenile Lou Gehrig disease                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>XREF(S):</b>     | <u>Orphanet</u><br><u>OMIM</u><br><u>OMIM</u><br><u>OMIM</u><br><u>ICD-10</u>                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>ANALYTE(S):</b>  | <u>ALS2</u><br><u>SPG11</u><br><u>FUS</u><br><u>SIGMAR1</u><br><u>SPTLC1</u>                                                                                                                                                                                 |

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