DISEASE:
Pituitary gigantism

NAME:	Pituitary gigantism
DESCRIPTION:	A rare endocrine disease characterized by excessively tall stature and rapid growth velocity due to growth hormone excess from a pituitary adenoma/hyperplasia occurring before closure of the epiphyseal growth plates. Additional features may include pubertal delay, visual defects, headache, excessive appetite, hyperhidrosis, menstrual irregularity, prognathism, coarse facial features and large hands/feet.
ORPHACODE:	99725
SYNONYMS:	Hypophyseal gigantism Infantile and juvenile forms of acromegaly
XREF(S):	Orphanet MeSH MedDRA ICD-10 OMIM
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