

Dermatomyositis

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Dermatomyositis is connective-tissue disease that is characterized by inflammation of the muscles and the skin. Its cause is unknown, but it may result from either a viral infection or an autoimmune reaction. Up to 50% of the cases may be a paraneoplastic phenomenon, indicating the presence of cancer. X-ray findings include dystrophic calcifications in the muscles. There is a form of this disorder that strikes children, known as juvenile dermatomyositis. "Gottron's papules", pink patches on the knuckles, and priapism, are associated with this disorder. ([From the Wikipedia article Dermatomyositis](#).)

Recent Publications on Dermatomyositis:



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Objectives: To investigate the prevalence of anti-ribosomal P protein... 20th November, 2009
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OBJECTIVE: To retrospectively evaluate the association of idiopathic... 18th November, 2009
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OBJECTIVE: alpha-Enolase is a target antigen of IgM-type anti-endothelial... 17th November, 2009
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- [\[A man with erythrodermia, muscle weakness and weight loss\]](#)
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Objectives: Only few data are available about the risk of myopathy... 7th November, 2009
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 - [\[Aggressive immunotherapy in Susac's syndrome.\]](#)
Susac's syndrome is a rare but important differential diagnosis of aseptic... 6th November, 2009
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Abstract Background: The inflammatory myopathies are a group of acquired... 6th November, 2009
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 - [Magnetic resonance imaging diagnosis of panniculitis in dermatomyositis.](#)
Abstract Background: The inflammatory myopathies are a group of acquired... 3rd November, 2009
Division of Neurology, Department of Internal Medicine, Kawasaki Medical- Muscle Nerve. 2009 Oct 30. ([DOI Direct Link](#))
 - [Vaccines as a trigger for myopathies.](#)
Vaccines are considered to be among the greatest medical discoveries,... 3rd November, 2009
Department of Medicine B, Wolfson Medical Center, Holon, Israel.- Lupus. 2009 Nov;18(13):1213-6. ([DOI Direct Link](#))
 - [Juvenile dermatomyositis: advances in pathogenesis, evaluation, and treatment.](#)
Juvenile dermatomyositis (JDM) is a rare, presumably autoimmune illness... 3rd November, 2009
IWK Health Centre and Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada.- Paediatr Drugs. 2009;11(6):361-74. doi: 10.2165/11310550-000000000-00000. ([DOI Direct Link](#))
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OBJECTIVE: We undertook this study to validate the Myositis Damage Index... 31st October, 2009
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OBJECTIVE: Up-regulation of whole blood type I interferon (IFN)-driven... 31st October, 2009
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- 7598247- [Immunomodulating heterocyclic compounds](#)
- 7598248- [Certain 1H-imidazo\[4,5-b\]pyrazin-2\(3H\)-ones and 1H-imidazo\[4,5-b\]pyrazin-2-ols, compositions thereof, and methods for their use](#)
- 7598280- [Heterocyclic compounds, compositions comprising them and methods of their use](#)
- 7598289- [Ketones and reduced ketones as therapeutic agents for the treatment of bone conditions](#)
- 7598412- [Modulators of ATP-binding cassette transporters](#)
- 7601335- [Pretreatment of a biological sample from an autoimmune disease subject](#)
- 7601514- [Nucleic acid encoding PRO10268 polypeptides](#)

- 7601692- [MCP-1 splice variants and methods of using same](#)
- 7601707- [Method for instantly relieving tissue inflammation](#)
- 7601713- [Kinase inhibitors and their uses](#)
- 7598243- [Heterocyclic cyclopentyl tetrahydroisoquinoline and tetrahydropyridopyridine modulators of chemokine receptor activity](#)
- 7598242- [Compounds for the treatment of inflammatory disorders](#)
- 7598231- [Tricyclic compound, compositions, and methods](#)
- 7592349- [Diarylamine-containing compounds and compositions, and their use as modulators of c-kit receptors](#)
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- 7592450- [Piperazinyl-, piperidinyl- and morpholinyl-derivatives as inhibitors of histone deacetylase](#)
- 7592461- [Indane modulators of glucocorticoid receptor, AP-1, and/or NF- \$\kappa\$ B activity and use thereof](#)
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- 7601736- [Pyridine derivatives, a process for their preparation and a pharmaceutical composition containing the same](#)
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- 7615552- [Fused heterocyclic compounds](#)
- 7615553- [Inhibitors of histone deacetylase](#)
- 7615556- [Piperazinyl derivatives as modulators of chemokine receptor activity](#)
- 7615562- [2-aminopyrimidine derivatives and their medical use](#)
- 7618628- [CD16A binding proteins and use for the treatment of immune disorders](#)
- 7611879- [27877, 18080, 14081, 32140, 50352, 16658, 14223, 16002, 50566, 65552 and 65577 molecules and uses therefor](#)
- 7608704- [Secreted proteins](#)
- 7608683- [Stress proteins and peptides and methods of use thereof](#)
- 7601836- [Pyrido\[2,3-D\]pyrimidine inhibitors of phosphodiesterase \(PDE\) 7](#)
- 7601844- [Piperidinyl derivatives as modulators of chemokine receptor activity](#)
- 7604797- [Compositions and methods for treating burns](#)
- 7604822- [Injectable solution with anti-inflammatory effect and process for manufacturing the same](#)
- 7605171- [\(3,4-disubstituted\)propanoic carboxylates as S1P \(Edg\) receptor agonists](#)
- 7605229- [PRO87299 polypeptides](#)
- 7605236- [Antibodies that immunospecifically bind to B lymphocyte stimulator protein](#)
- 7605264- [Heterocyclic modulators of the glucocorticoid receptor, AP-1, and/or NF- \$\kappa\$ B activity and use thereof](#)
- 7608267- [Multifunctional cytokines](#)
- 7608392- [Diagnostic assay for measuring a cell mediated immune response](#)
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