

What is Fibrodysplasia Ossificans Progressiva (FOP)?

FOP is one of the rarest, most disabling genetic conditions known to medicine; it causes bone to form in muscles, tendons, ligaments, and other connective tissues. Bridges of extra bone develop across joints, progressively restricting movement and forming a second skeleton that imprisons the body in bone. For more information about FOP, search Wikipedia using "fibrodysplasia ossificans progressiva".

什么是进行性肌肉骨化症(进行性骨化性纤维发育不良)?

进行性肌肉骨化症是一种非常稀有,并且在医学上面没有多少研究的一种病。这种病可以导致肌肉,肌腱,韧带和其他结缔组织出现骨化的症状。额外的骨头会在关节里形成,逐步限制运动,最后会导致第二个骨架的形成,并且会把身体囚禁在骨头里面。如果你想发现更多关于进行性肌肉骨化症的资料的话,可以去 Wikipedia 或者 Baidu 里面搜索:进行性肌肉骨化症。

What is the International FOP Association (IFOPA)?

IFOPA is a non-profit organization supporting those afflicted by the rare genetic condition Fibrodysplasia Ossificans Progressive (FOP). The IFOPA is now the umbrella organization for those with FOP throughout the globe and is the first place those with FOP reach out to for education and support. More information about IFOPA may be found at [_www.ifopa.org](http://www.ifopa.org) Wikipedia using "IFOPA".

什么是国际进化性肌肉骨化症组织(IFOPA)?

国际进化性肌肉骨化症组织(IFOPA)是一个家非盈利组织。这家组织帮助那些得到进化性肌肉骨化症的人。国际进化性肌肉骨化症组织(IFOPA)现在是所有其他进化性肌肉骨化症组织的总部,他们是国际上最大的进化性肌肉骨化症组织并且他们也是第一个发现进化性肌肉骨化症而且做出行动的人。如果你需要更多的资料关于国际进化性肌肉骨化症组织(IFOPA),请关注 www.ifopa.org 或者在维基百科里面搜索:IFOPA.