

CHARGE SYNDROME REPORTING FORM

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REPORTING INFORMATION

(To be completed by Dr. Kim Blake)

Unique identifier: _____

Month of reporting: _____

Reporting Province: _____

Today's date: _____

**Please complete the following sections for the case identified above.
Confidentiality of information will be assured.**

CASE DEFINITION FOR CHARGE ASSOCIATION/SYNDROME

- Infant/child/adult with **all four major criteria**.
- Infant/child/adult with **three major and three minor criteria**.
- **Previously diagnosed** child with CHARGE that does not fit major or minor criteria, but has a combination of the above plus some occasional findings; renal, hand, spine/limb, abdominal anomalies.

Major inclusion criteria

1. Coloboma – of iris, retina, choroid, disc; microphthalmia
2. Choanal atresia – unilateral/bilateral, membranous/bony, stenosis/atresia
3. Characteristic ear abnormalities – external ear (lop or cup-shaped), middle ear (ossicular malformations, chronic serous otitis), mixed deafness, cochlear defects
4. Cranial nerve dysfunction – facial palsy (unilateral or bilateral), sensorineural deafness and/or swallowing problems

Minor inclusion criteria

1. Genital hypoplasia – males: micropenis, cryptorchidism; females: hypoplastic labia; both males and females: delayed, incomplete pubertal development
2. Developmental delay – delayed motor milestones, language delay, mental retardation
3. Cardiovascular malformations – all types, especially conotruncal defects (e.g., tetralogy of Fallot), AV canal defects, and aortic arch anomalies
4. Growth deficiencies – short stature, growth hormone deficiency
5. Orofacial cleft – cleft lip and/or palate
6. Tracheoesophageal-fistula – tracheoesophageal defects of all types
7. Characteristic face – sloping forehead, flattened tip of nose

Exclusion criteria

Exclude other conditions such as velocardiofacial syndrome (VCS) and DiGeorge Sequence (DGS) using FISH test (Fluorescent In Situ Hybridisation) to exclude 22q 11 deletion.

SECTION 1 – DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

1.1 Unique identifier: _____

1.2 Date of birth: ____ / ____ / ____
DD MM YYYY

1.3 Sex: Male ___ Female ___

SECTION 2 – DIAGNOSTIC INVESTIGATION RESULTS

2.1 Karyotype: Normal ___ Abnormal ___ Unknown ___

2.2 Fluorescent in situ hybridisation (FISH): Normal (neg) ___ Abnormal (22q 11 deletion) ___ Unknown ___

2.2.1 Gene testing for CHARGE (i.e., CHD7) Yes ___ No ___ Describe results _____

2.2.2 Subtelomeric FISH studies done: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe results _____

2.3 Maternal date of birth: ____ / ____ / ____ 2.4 Paternal date of birth: ____ / ____ / ____
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2.5 Mother's place of birth: _____ 2.6 Father's place of birth: _____

- 4.4 **Cranial nerve anomalies:** Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
 (if "no" or not available [NA], proceed to section 5)
- 4.4.1 Weak chewing/sucking: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 4.4.1.1 Problems with sense of smell Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 4.4.2 Facial palsy: Right: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Left: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 4.4.3 Sensory neuro deafness: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 4.4.4 Balance/vestibular problems: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 4.4.5 Swallowing problems: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

SECTION 5 – PHYSICAL FINDINGS (MINOR CRITERIA) (NOTE: NA = NOT AVAILABLE)

Male

- 5.1 Micro penis: Yes ___ No ___ Not applicable ___ 5.2 Cryptorchidism: Yes ___ No ___ Not applicable ___

Female

- 5.3 Hypoplastic labia: Yes ___ No ___ Not applicable ___

Heart Anomalies

- 5.4 Minor cardiovascular malformations (e.g., PDA, PFO, small ASD or small VSD (no repair needed))
- 5.4.1 Patent Ductus Arteriosus (PDA) Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.4.2 Patent Foramen Ovale (PFO) Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.4.3 small ASD Yes (primum defect) ___ Yes (secundum defect) ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.4.4 small VSD Yes (membranous) ___ Yes (muscular) ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.4.5 other minor (e.g., vascular ring) describe:

- 5.5 Major cardiovascular malformations: (e.g., Tetralogy of Fallot, AV canal, aortic arch anomaly, large repaired ASD, large repaired VSD)
- 5.5.1 Tetralogy of Fallot Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.5.2 AV canal Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.5.3 Aortic arch anomaly Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.5.4 ASD – large repaired Yes (primum defect) ___ Yes (secundum defect) ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.5.5 VSD – large repaired Yes (membranous) ___ Yes (muscular) ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.5.6 other major (describe):

- 5.7 Cleft lip: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.8 Cleft palate: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.9 Tracheoesophageal fistula: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 5.10 Distinctive face of CHARGE: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

SECTION 6 – PHYSICAL FINDINGS (OCCASIONAL)

- 6.1 Renal anomalies: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
 Describe: _____
- 6.2 Hand/foot anomalies (e.g., polydactyly, thumb hypoplasia): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
 Describe: _____
- 6.3 Spine anomalies (e.g., hemivertebrae): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 6.31 Scoliosis Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____
- 6.32 Osteoporosis Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

6.33 Describe DEXA scan results and treatment for osteoporosis:

6.4 Abdominal defects (e.g., hernia): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

6.5 Neck anomalies (sloping shoulders/webbing/short): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

6.6 Teeth anomalies: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

6.7 Immune function anomalies: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ If yes, specify: _____

6.8 Other findings not listed above: _____

SECTION 6A – IMAGING FINDINGS (E.G., XRAY, CT, MRI)

6A.1 Temporal bone abnormality Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____

6A.2 Semicircular canals anomaly: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____

6A.3 Mondini defect (i.e., decreased cochlear turns): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____

6A.4 Olfactory bulb anomaly: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____

6A.5 Other MRI findings (e.g., atrophy, brainstem anomalies, etc.) Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
Describe: _____

SECTION 7 – FAMILY HISTORY

7.1 Similarly affected relatives (with any features of CHARGE, even if mild): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe: _____

7.2 Other significant family history (e.g., genetic disorders, hearing impairments, developmental disability/learning, etc.)

7.2.1 Maternal: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____

7.2.2 Paternal: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____

7.3 Ethnicity (mother): Caucasian ___ Asian ___ Afro-Canadian ___ South Asian ___ Native Canadian ___
Other _____

7.4 Ethnicity (father): Caucasian ___ Asian ___ Afro-Canadian ___ South Asian ___ Native Canadian ___
Other _____

SECTION 8 – GASTROINTESTINAL

8.1 Gastroesophageal reflux: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

8.2 Feeding problems: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe: _____

8.3 Required a G or J tube for feeding? Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe (how long): _____

Describe current method(s) of feeding: _____

SECTION 9 – BEHAVIOURAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL

9.1 Hyperactivity/inattention (applicable for age 3 yrs or older): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

9.2 Major sleep problems: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

9.3 Repetitive/obsessive/compulsive (talk or movement; applicable for age 3 yrs or older): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

9.4 Medications for behaviour: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe: _____

SECTION 10 – ENDOCRINE

- 10.1 Short stature (<5th centile): Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 10.2 Growth hormone deficiency: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 10.3 Delayed puberty: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 10.4 Medication/HRT for endocrine disorder: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe: _____

SECTION 11 – NEUROLOGY

- 11.1 Seizures: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 11.3 Migraine: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 11.4 Brain CT/MRI scan abnormal: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ If abnormal, describe: _____

SECTION 12 – SURGERY/ANAESTHESIA

- 12.1 Tracheostomy: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___
- 12.2 T tube insertion number: 1-2 ___ 3-4 ___ 5-6 ___ 7+ ___ Zero ___
- 12.3 Surgical procedures: 1-3 ___ 4-6 ___ 7-10 ___ 11-14 ___ 15+ ___
- 12.4 Anaesthesia: 1-3 ___ 4-6 ___ 7-10 ___ 11-14 ___ 15+ ___
- 12.5 Anaesthetic complications: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe: _____

- 12.6 Sedation complications: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe: _____

SECTION 13 – PATIENT INFORMATION

- 13.1 Father's occupation (before pregnancy): _____

During pregnancy

- 13.2 Mother's occupation: _____

- 13.3 Use of alcohol: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe (when and how much): _____

- 13.4 Smoking: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe (when and how much): _____

- 13.5 Medications used: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe (types of medications, when, quantity and reason): _____

- 13.6 Fever/Infection: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe (when, what, and duration): _____

- 13.7 Bleeding: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe (when, amount, duration): _____

- 13.8 X-rays: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe (when, type and why): _____

- 13.9 Use of hair treatments: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___ Describe (when and what type): _____

- 13.10 Contact with pesticides: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe (when, duration, type): _____

- 13.11 Contact with dry-cleaning substances: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe (when and frequency): _____

- 13.12 Any other concerns about exposures: Yes ___ No ___ NA ___

Describe (when and what type): _____

SECTION 14 – REPORTING PHYSICIAN

First name _____ Surname _____
Address _____
City _____ Province _____ Postal code _____
Telephone number _____ Fax number _____
E-mail _____ Date completed _____

Thank you for completing this form.

(CHARGE Blake/July 2005)