

A CALL TO ACTION

Clinical care for FSH Muscular Dystrophy is entering a new era. Three clinical trials, including a Phase 3, will be conducted this year. You have a key role in ensuring your patients have access to the best care and emerging therapies.



Use the ICD-10 codes for your muscular dystrophy patients—not just for the newly diagnosed, but retroactively. A search of 100 million U.S. individuals found only 600 FSHD patients with the ICD-10 code. This is only about 5% of the expected number and suggests patients diagnosed before October 2018, when the new codes went into effect, are not having the code added to their records. Please use the code to make sure medical data are available to improve patients' quality of care.

G71.02 is the ICD-10 code for facioscapulohumeral muscular dystrophy



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