

UCLA Research Study

Sudden Cardiac Death in Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy: Incidence and Prevention Patient Registry



This patient registry will determine the rate at which children suffer from sudden cardiac death and whether therapy with internal cardiac defibrillators is beneficial. This is an international, multisite research study.

Qualified participants must be at least 10 years old and have Duchenne muscular dystrophy and a weak heart (ejection fraction less than or equal to 35%) or have a heart device (pacemaker, ICD).

There is no cost to participate in the registry and no payment provided. Participation is voluntary.

This study is sponsored by Nationwide Children's Hospital.

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