

Movement Disorders in Body and Trunk



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Most involuntary movements involved limbs and craniocervical musculature. Abnormal involuntary movements in body and trunk are not uncommon and sometimes give us important clues for the correct diagnosis. In this category, dystonia, myoclonus, muscle stiffness, dyskinesia may manifest as axial involvements of trunk. For example, abdominal dyskinesia called belly dancer's dyskinesia, propriospinal or segmental myoclonus of trunk, camptocromia or PISA syndrome, tetanus or stiff person syndrome are well known movement disorders involving truncal muscle. In this review, we summarized the various involuntary movements in body and trunk with video presentation.

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