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# Mitochondrial myopathy with reversible cytochrome C oxidase deficiency

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A rare, genetic, mitochondrial oxidative phosphorylation disorder characterized by a potentially life-threatening, severe myopathy manifesting in the neonatal to early infantile period, followed by marked, spontaneous improvement of muscular function by early childhood. Associated biochemical findings include lactic acidosis and a transient, marked decrease in respiratory chain activity.