

Resource Summary Report

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PhenoTips

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Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: <http://phenotips.cs.toronto.edu/>

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Description: A software tool providing a Web interface and a database back-end for collecting clinical symptoms and physical findings observed in patients with genetic disorders. The main goals of this software are * To allow for collecting patient data in standard formats, enabling effortless data exchange and automated search in annotated gene and disease databases, and * To provide advanced functionalities and a friendly user interface that help reduce the clinician's workload, permitting seamless use of this application within the clinician's routine. PhenoTips uses the Human Phenotype Ontology (HPO) to express clinical phenotypes, and provides a friendly interface with error-tolerant, predictive search of phenotypic descriptions. PhenoTips closely mirrors clinician workflows: observations can be recorded directly during the patient encounter, and the interface is compatible with any device that runs a modern Web browser. The clinician can record demographic information, family history, medical history, various standard measurements, phenotypic abnormalities detected in the patient, pertinent indications that were not observed and that can be helpful for differential diagnosis, relevant images depicting manifestations of the patient's disorders, and additional notes for each of these categories. The software automatically plots growth curves, selects phenotypes reflecting abnormal measurements, instantly finds OMIM disorders matching the phenotypic description and suggests other symptoms to investigate in order to reach a more accurate diagnosis.

Abbreviations: PhenoTips

Synonyms: PhenoTips: phenotyping made easy

Resource Type: software resource, software application

Keywords: clinical symptom, physical finding, clinical, phenotype, demographic information, family history, medical history, standard measurement, indication, image, note, growth curve

Related Condition: Genetic disorder

Availability: Free

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for PhenoTips.

No alerts have been found for PhenoTips.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 24 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [SPARC SAWG](#) .

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