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23rd Wealth Creation Study panel discussion with Mr. Raamdeo Agrawal Mr. Ramesh Damani, Mr. Akash Prakash moderated by Latha Venkatesh on CNBC TV

Half of these have delayed testicular descent, with the testis in the scrotum by weeks after term. Beyond this spontaneous descent is rare. Current treatment recommendations are that UDT beyond 3 months need surgery between months of age. Some children have scrotal testes in infancy but develop UDT later in childhood because the spermatic cord does not elongate with age, leaving the testis behind as the scrotum moves further from the groin. Many authors recommend surgery once the testis no longer resides spontaneously in the scrotum, but some groups recommend conservative treatment. Insulin-like hormone 3 INSL3 from developing Leydig cells stimulates the genito-inguinal ligament, or gubernaculum, to enlarge. This holds the testis near the inguinal canal as the fetal abdomen enlarges. Androgens guide this complex process, both directly and indirectly via a neurotransmitter, calcitonin gene-related peptide CGRP, released from the genitofemoral nerve. After migration is complete the proximal processus vaginalis closes preventing inguinal hernia and then disappears, allowing the spermatic cord to elongate with age, to keep the testis scrotal. Anomalies of the complex inguinoscrotal phase account for most UDT seen clinically. The maldescended testis suffers heat stress when not at the lower scrotal temperature 33 degrees Celsius, interfering with testicular physiology and development of germ cells into spermatogonia. UDT interrupts transformation of neonatal gonocytes into type-A spermatogonia, the putative spermatogenic stem cells at months of age. Recent evidence suggests orchidopexy between months improves germ cell development, with early reports of improved fertility, but no evidence yet for changes in malignancy prognosis. If this process is disrupted hypospadias occurs, with a variable proximal urethral meatus, failed ventral preputial development producing a dorsal hood, and discrepancy in the ventral versus dorsal penile length, causing a ventral bend in the penis, known as chordee. Surgery to correct hypospadias is recommended between months, as technical advances now allow operation to be done before long-term memory of the surgery. For complete coverage of this and related aspects of Endocrinology, please visit our FREE web-book, www.embryology.com. Not only is it prevalent, but also there remain unresolved questions about prognosis in adult life. However, current treatment is based on the assumption that early surgery will prevent germ cell degeneration during childhood, leading to improved fertility and fewer tumors 5, 6. Our understanding of the embryology has advanced rapidly in recent years, with new theories and experimental evidence supporting a complex anatomical process controlled directly and indirectly by hormones 7, 8. The classification of cryptorchidism also is changing, with the recent recognition of acquired anomalies 9. With so much change in the way we view and treat cryptorchidism, endocrinologists will need to keep checking on the evolving controversies described in this chapter.

EMBRYOLOGY The testes descend prenatally from their initial intra-abdominal location on the urogenital ridge into the low-temperature environment of the scrotum via a complex multi-stage mechanism. Prior to weeks of development, the gonadal position is similar in both sexes. During the initial transabdominal phase of descent, regression of the cranial ligament and thickening of the gubernaculum allows the testis to be held near the inguinal region. By contrast, in the female the cranial ligament persists while the gubernaculum remains thin and elongates, which together hold the ovary higher on the posterior abdominal wall as the fetal abdomen enlarges. The inguinal canal forms by the abdominal wall muscles developing around the caudal, gelatinous end of the gubernaculum, which initially ends at the future external inguinal ring. By 15 weeks the testis is attached by a short, stout and gelatinous gubernaculum to the future internal inguinal ring, while the ovary is higher in the pelvis. In mid gestation a diverticulum of the peritoneal membrane, known as the processus vaginalis, begins to elongate within the gubernaculum, which retains a central connection known as the gubernacular cord with the epididymal tail and the lower pole of the testis. The caudal end of the gubernaculum grows out of the abdominal wall and elongates towards the scrotum, extending the processus vaginalis eventually to the scrotum. After the testis reaches the scrotum, two further anatomical events complete the inguinoscrotal phase, the first of which is obliteration of the proximal processus vaginalis. The second event is involution of the

gelatinous gubernacular bulb and its anchoring to the inside of the scrotum. The former process prevents inguinal hernia or hydrocele and the latter process prevents extravaginal or perinatal torsion of the testis 6. The embryological stages of testicular descent and the postnatal growth required to keep the testis in the scrotum. The two main phases of descent appear to be controlled independently by hormones. INSL3 is the major factor controlling gubernacular enlargement and androgen, particularly DHT, and AMH appear to play minor roles in this "swelling reaction" of the gubernaculum Under the influence of the hormones mentioned above, the caudal end of the gubernaculum, where it attaches to the inguinal abdominal wall, enlarges by proliferation of the embryonic mesenchyme and deposition of extracellular matrix. Androgens also are responsible for regression of the cranial suspensory ligament, but they are not sufficient alone for transabdominal descent. The phase of gubernacular migration is controlled both directly and indirectly by androgens, with the aid of the genitofemoral nerve GFN releasing calcitonin gene-related peptide CGRP 23 , Androgens act during a critical time window to regulate gubernacular development Recent evidence suggests that the androgen receptors controlling this masculinization of the GFN may not be in the nerve itself, but in the target organ, the inguinoscrotal fat pad in the mammary line The number of sensory neurons and the amount of CGRP in the genitofemoral nerve of rats are significantly less after exposure to the anti-androgen, flutamide, consistent with androgens stimulating structural and functional changes in the nerve. The nerve is proposed to orient the direction of gubernacular migration, while the physical force needed for elongation of the processus vaginalis is probably provided by intra-abdominal pressure CGRP released from the nerve stimulates mitosis and cremaster muscle development in the gubernacular tip, enabling elongation to the scrotum Estrogens have a minor inhibitory role in normal gubernacular development, but estrogenic endocrine disruptors may be responsible in larger doses for cryptorchidism secondary to suppression of the "swelling reaction" by inhibition of INSL3. The trigger that initiates active migration of the caudal tip of the gubernaculum may come from the inguinoscrotal fat pad in the mammary line 28 , as the androgen receptors are present in the mammary line mesenchyme but not in the adjacent gubernaculum during the critical window of androgenic programming in rodents 25 , The gubernaculum has a surprisingly close link with the embryonic breast in normal marsupials as well as in eutherian animal models, such as the rat and mouse, especially after they have been exposed to the antiandrogen, flutamide 30 , The primitive mammary line is in continuity with the apical ectodermal ridges of the upper and lower limb buds, and hence is likely to contain similar activated signaling systems as seen in limb bud development These signals are likely to initiate outgrowth of the gubernaculum from the abdominal wall, so that it can migrate to the scrotum. Hormonal defects in INSL3, AMH or androgenic action are identified only rarely, suggesting that mechanical anomalies may be more common. Those patients with hormonal defects may present with rare disorders of sexual development DSD with cryptorchidism as part of the complex genital anomaly. As the gubernacular swelling reaction holds the testis close to the inguinal canal while other structures grow further away, the transabdominal phase is only relative movement of the testis and hence less likely to be abnormal. By contrast, the inguinoscrotal migration phase requires very significant mechanical and anatomical re-arrangements, and consequently, anomalies are common: Transient deficiency of androgen production in utero, perhaps related to deficiency of gonadotropin production by the fetal pituitary or the placenta 34 , may account for some, particularly where there is intra-uterine growth retardation. Anomalies of the genitofemoral nerve also may cause undescended testes. For example, perineal testes may be caused by an anomalous location of the genitofemoral nerve Inherited syndromes frequently are associated with cryptorchidism. Hypothalamic dysfunction, connective tissue disorders, neurogenic e. Cryptorchidism is also common in infants with abdominal wall defects, such as exomphalos or omphalocele, gastroschisis and exstrophy of the bladder There is much current interest in the potential adverse effects of environmental estrogenic endocrine disruptors on the incidence of both cryptorchidism and hypospadias In addition, there are data on the effect of diethylstilbestrol DES on cryptorchidism in male offspring of exposed mothers In the latter case there is supporting evidence from animal models 42 , although in the former, the cause-and-effect relationship is more tenuous, because the level of exposure is less clear, and the epidemiology may not have allowed for changes in diagnostic criteria over recent decades. More work is needed before we can ascertain a proven cause-and-effect link with synthetic

molecules in the environment. The body of the epididymis is hypoplastic and frequently is not tightly adherent to the cryptorchid testis. This is more common in high intra-abdominal testes and probably indicates significantly decreased androgen production. Whether epididymal-testicular separation is the cause or the result of cryptorchidism is not known. In addition, its effect on fertility is uncertain, even though the rete testis is nearly always still connected to the head of the epididymis. Recent studies show a strong link between maternal smoking and cryptorchidism in male offspring 45. Beyond 12 weeks, spontaneous testicular descent is rare. An undescended testis is best defined as a testis that cannot be manipulated into the bottom of the scrotum without excess tension on the spermatic cord by 12 weeks of age. A few cryptorchid testes are within the inguinal canal, making them impalpable unless they can be squeezed out of the external inguinal ring by compression. Ten percent of testes are intra-abdominal or absent presumed to be secondary to prenatal torsion. Whether this is a sign of primary endocrinopathy or secondary dysfunction of the testis, caused by heat stress when the gonad is not in the low temperature environment of the scrotum, is unknown. Postnatal increase in testosterone production is also diminished in premature infants, perhaps secondary to inadequate stimulation by chorionic gonadotropin in utero. HCG is low compared with early pregnancy and may be of functional significance. Despite lower than normal androgen levels between 1 and 4 months of age, there is no apparent anomaly in androgen receptors from gonadal or skin biopsies collected at orchidopexy. The postnatal secretion of both AMH and inhibin-B in cryptorchid infants is also deranged. Production of AMH from Sertoli cells normally increases between months, but this surge is blunted in undescended testes 55. Inhibin-B normally increases at minipuberty and remains elevated into the second year of life, but levels in infants with cryptorchidism are lower. This process is perturbed in cryptorchid testes, with failure of transformation of gonocytes into type-A spermatogonia between months. These observations suggest that germ cell deficiency may be at least partly secondary to early postnatal dysfunction, rather than being congenital, as proposed by some authors 61. Lack of germ cell transformation has been proposed to be secondary to postnatal androgen deficiency 60, 63 or low AMH levels. Recent studies, however, suggest that transformation is normal in both infants and mice with complete androgen insensitivity syndrome CAIS, and may be mediated by activin or another TGF-family factor. Abnormal postnatal maturation of gonocytes could lead to both infertility and malignancy 65, although some authors propose that there may be congenital carcinoma in-situ-cells in the cryptorchid testis 61, 66. There is now a consensus that type-A spermatogonia are likely to be the stem cells for future spermatogenesis, and that their appearance between 3 and 12 months of age, as neonatal gonocytes transform, is the key step in postnatal germ cell development 68. Should this be confirmed, it implies that early surgical intervention should lead to an excellent prognosis, as long as the subsequent germ cell deficiency is secondary to postnatal heat stress of the maldescended testis, and therefore reversible. Failure of the totipotential gonocytes to transform into unipotential spermatogenic stem cells may leave some persisting gonocytes in the undescended testis, which is speculated to be the origin of subsequent tumors.

DIAGNOSIS
The aim of clinical examination is to locate the gonad, if palpable, and determine its lowest position without causing painful traction on the spermatic cord which probably corresponds to the caudal limit of the tunica vaginalis. In infants, the diagnosis is straightforward because the scrotum is thin and pendulous. Hypoplasia of the hemiscrotum indicates it does not contain a testis. The inguinal testis is within its tunica vaginalis which gives it significant mobility. Ultrasonography has become more frequently used for diagnosis of the impalpable testis, but generally is not contributory for true intra-abdominal testes. This is because absence of the testis secondary to possible perinatal torsion is common, and also because intra-abdominal testes are often concealed by the bowel and other viscera. In addition, the mobility of the undescended testis within its tunica vaginalis may make location by ultrasonography difficult. An ultrasound scan can be justified in bilateral impalpable testes, to confirm the presence of a testis. In addition AMH and inhibin-B should be measured to confirm the presence of functioning Sertoli cells. A simple and reliable approach is to use laparoscopy, which readily locates the testis itself or blind-ending gonadal vessels, and allows orchidopexy in experienced hands.

TREATMENT
Newborn and Infant Hormone therapy has become extremely controversial 73, 74 as it was based on the two assumptions that cryptorchidism is not only secondary to a deficiency of the hypothalamic-pituitary-gonadal axis, but also the mechanical processes were simple. Randomized,

double-blind, placebo-controlled studies have not shown more than marginal benefit with either hCG or GnRH. Despite proven endocrine control of descent, the mechanical factors appear to be too complex for this simple approach to be successful except for acquired undescended testes.

Chapter 2 : WhenDisasterStrikesPt1

During the discussion, each panelist will read their poetry or prose or display their art. Book signing will follow with all contributors participating. About the editors: Wade Hudson is an author and president and CEO of Just Us Books, Inc., an independent publisher of books for children and young adults.

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Chapter 3 : Cryptorchidism and Hypospadias - Endotext - NCBI Bookshelf

Editor's Discussion Panel: When Disaster Strikes in the Editing Room! October 13, - PART 1. The Editors' Lounge Discussion Panel held on Friday the 13th of October , tackled the thorny problem of dealing with the setbacks that can occur in the editing suite and strategies to overcome them.

Hereditary neuropathies can manifest as a combination of sensory and motor neuropathy, isolated motor neuropathy or isolated sensory neuropathy sometimes with autonomic neuropathy. Charcot-Marie-Tooth disease Charcot-Marie-Tooth CMT disease is a group of hereditary neuropathies characterized by progressive muscle weakness and sensory loss in the arms and legs. Individuals in the early stages of the disease often present with clumsiness due to numbness in the feet. As the disease progresses, the lack of nerve conduction to the extremities can also result in depressed tendon reflexes, muscle atrophy—especially at the ankles and hands, and foot deformities such as high, arched feet or hammertoes. Symptoms are caused by the impairment of the ability of peripheral nerves to conduct signals throughout the body, which results in reduced motor control and sensation in the arms and legs, especially at the ankles and wrists. Different subtypes of CMT are caused by different types of peripheral nerve abnormalities: Nerve conduction studies can be used in combination with inheritance pattern to determine the type of CMT CMT1, 2, 4, X, or dominant intermediate , but genetic testing is needed to identify the specific subtype e. Hereditary motor neuropathies Hereditary motor neuropathies HMNs , in some cases referred to as spinal muscular atrophies SMAs , are a clinically and genetically heterogeneous group of disorders characterized by loss of motor neurons within the spinal cord, resulting in weakness and muscle wasting. Typical clinical findings include slowly progressive muscle weakness and wasting. Onset of symptoms varies from the prenatal period to adulthood. Some forms of HMN also have minor involvement of the sensory neurons. Other features are variable depending on the causative gene, and may include vocal cord paralysis, facial weakness, pyramidal signs, and arthrogyriposis. Many genes associated with HMN can also cause other forms of neuropathy with overlapping symptoms, such as Charcot-Marie-Tooth disease. Hereditary sensory and autonomic neuropathies Hereditary sensory and autonomic neuropathies HSAN are a clinically heterogeneous group of disorders that predominantly affect the sensory neurons of the peripheral nervous system, with or without autonomic neuron involvement. Loss of sensory neuron function can lead to complications including frequent injuries, ulcerations, bone infections and amputation. Possible autonomic features include anhidrosis, hyperhidrosis, abnormal blood pressure fluctuations, and gastrointestinal issues. Sensory abnormalities are often more significant than autonomic abnormalities. Motor neuron involvement may also occur in some individuals. Depending on the causative gene, other findings may also be present, such as hearing loss, gait impairment, decreased tendon reflexes, hypotonia, delayed development, and congenital insensitivity to pain. Age of onset varies from infancy to adulthood. Small fiber neuropathy Small fiber neuropathy SFNP is characterized by neuropathic burning or stabbing pain that typically occurs in the distal lower extremities and presents between adolescence and adulthood. Affected individuals typically experience heightened sensitivity to pain in general, but cannot feel pain concentrated in very small areas, such as a pinprick. Individuals may also have other sensory issues, such as the reduced ability to differentiate between hot and cold temperatures. Symptoms of this painful neuropathy may worsen over time and extend to include other parts of the body in addition to the hands and feet. The principal nerve biopsy finding consists of decreased small nerve fiber diameter. Riboflavin transporter deficiency neuropathy Riboflavin transporter deficiency neuropathy is a neurodegenerative disorder characterized by progressive axonal sensorimotor neuropathy. Clinical features of this disorder include bulbar palsy facial weakness, drooping eyelids, difficulty speaking and swallowing , weakness and distal muscle atrophy in the limbs typically more severe in the upper than lower limbs , respiratory distress due to diaphragmatic weakness, and gait ataxia. Sensorineural hearing loss occurs in many individuals and may be the presenting symptom. Historically, the clinical subtype of riboflavin transporter deficiency neuropathy that includes hearing loss has been called Brown-Vialetto-Van Laere syndrome, and the clinical subtype that does not include hearing loss has been called Fazio-Londe disease. Onset of symptoms typically occurs in

early childhood; however, genetically confirmed early-adult onset cases have been reported. Since the discovery of the underlying molecular defect in this disorder, high-dose riboflavin supplementation has been reported to be an effective treatment. Familial amyloid polyneuropathy (FAP), or transthyretin amyloidosis, is characterized by amyloidosis, the buildup of abnormal amyloid protein deposits in the body. FAP can present with progressive axonal sensory autonomic and motor neuropathy and infiltrative cardiomyopathy. Additional features may include conduction block, nephropathy, vitreous opacities, or neurological symptoms related to CNS amyloidosis. Transthyretin amyloidosis can also be an acquired condition, due to age-related deposition of TTR, referred to as senile systemic amyloidosis. Spinal muscular atrophy (SMA) is a neuromuscular disorder caused by the loss of motor neurons within the spinal cord, which results in progressive muscle weakness and atrophy. Other features of SMA may include muscle fasciculations, tremor, poor weight gain, sleeping difficulties, pneumonia, scoliosis, joint contractures, and congenital heart disease. Four clinical SMA subtypes have been distinguished: For each condition, the table below shows the percentage of clinical cases in which a pathogenic variant is expected through analysis of the genes on this panel.

Chapter 4 : DigitalEd Panel: The Value Of Attention: Metrics, Methods and Outcomes

The safety symposium will feature a panel discussion including the editors from the 3 most prominent and respected safety publications in the country: The editors are David Johnson of ISHN, Dave Blanchard of EHS Today and Jerry Laws of Occupational Health & Safety.

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Chapter 5 : Pulmonary Rehabilitation

Abstract Panelists: Peter Adams, Physical Review B Irwin Oppenheim, Physical Review E & Massachusetts Institute of Technology Jack Sandweiss, Physical Review Letters & Yale University Reinhardt Schuhmann, Physical Review Letters The panel will include Editors from Physical Review Letters, Physical Review B, and Physical Review E.

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Chapter 6 : Doomsday Clock #7, Annotated, Part 1 – The Multiverse, The Legion & The Jokermobile

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Chapter 7 : Homepage | College of American Pathologists

The panel discussion looked at three real-world examples of MCDA application and how MCDA can be applied and what lessons beta-testing has taught us: The first example examines the application of MCDA to health technology assessment (HTA).

Chapter 8 : Test | Invitae Comprehensive Neuropathies Panel

A candid panel discussion on ET ALIEN disclosure with prominent UFO researchers: Richard Dolan, Stanton Friedman, Linda Moulton Howe, Grant Cameron and Victor Viggiani.

Chapter 9 : "Library Discussion Panel Part I" by Lowell Walters, Carl Merat et al.

This panel discussion will feature experienced local editors sharing their insights on the freelance editor www.nxgvision.com will discuss topics such as finding clients, setting rates and business matters such as marketing.