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## CASE OF THE DAY: MONDAY





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## HISTORY

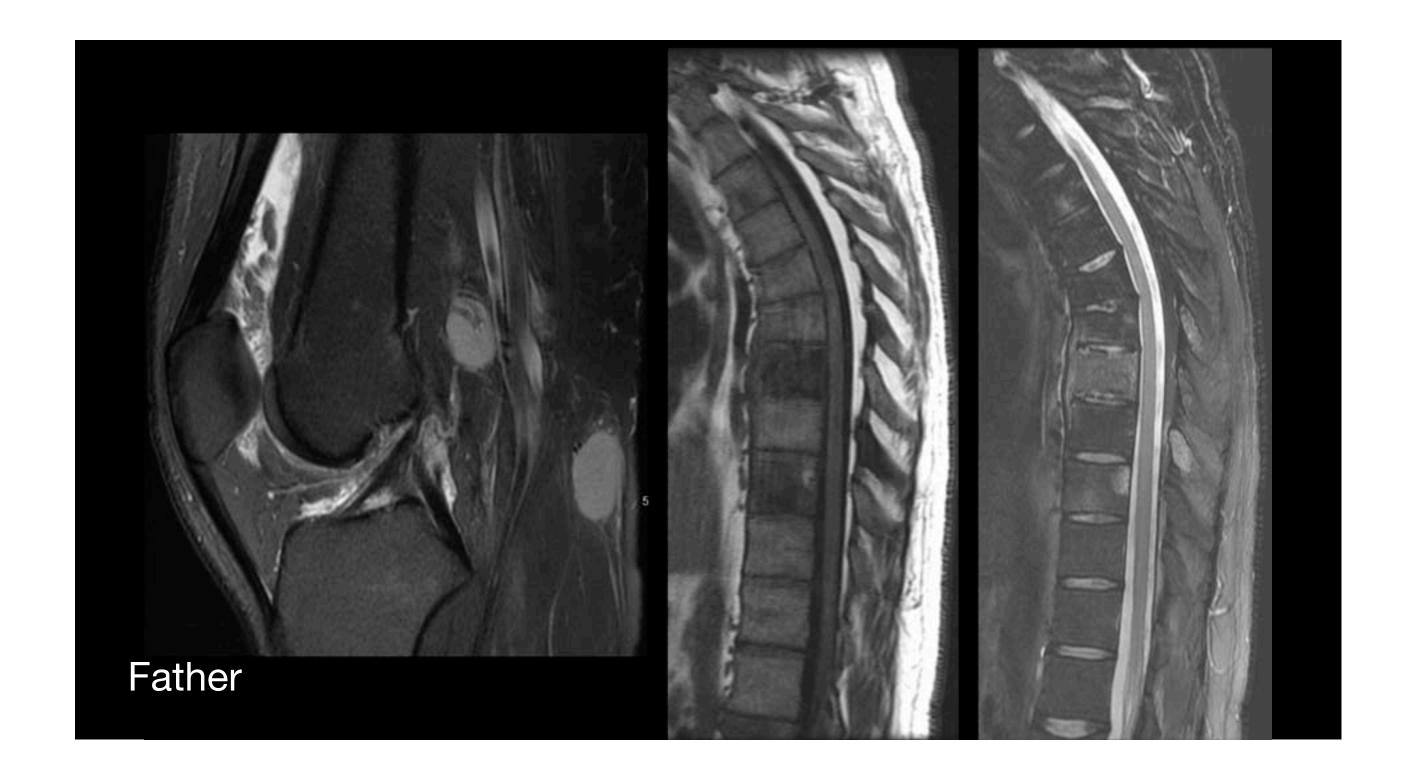
- 31-year-old father and 15-month-old son
- Father presents with 5 years of diffuse arthralgias and non-radiating back pain
- Son developed pain post-BCG vaccination



## DIAGNOSIS

IFN-GR-1 Immunodeficiency with recurrent Atypical Mycobacteral infections in father and Disseminated BCG disease in the son

- IFN-GR-1 deficiency leads to impaired immunity and, consequently, severe and recurrent infections with Bacillus Calmette-Guerin (BCG) and atypical mycobacteria
- Autosomal recessive, Very rare (< 1/1,000,000)</li>



- Caused by mutation on chromosome 6q23-q24
- Disseminated infection can involve bone, soft tissue, lungs, skin, lymph nodes
- Symptoms- Fever, weight loss, hepatosplenomegaly, lymphadenopathy, skin lesions
- Treatment- Hematopoietic stem cell transplant is the only curative Rx
- Prognosis- Poor in complete IFN-GR-1 deficiency with most patients not living past 10 years

