

## OSTEOGENESIS IMPERFECTA

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### Objectives

1. Be able to discuss in general terms the causes of O.I.
2. Be able to describe several physical characteristics of O.I.
3. Be able to discuss the implications of this diagnosis to EMS care and transport

Narrative description: The diagnosis and genetic components of the disease will be presented to the audience. As well, the 7 different types that are known. The prehospital care and implications in this regard will be heavily stressed.