Supplementary Table S1- Details of the abnormality identified by the parents at the onset, that prompted them to seek medical attention.

First neurological event	Group 01	Group 02
Difficulty in climbing stairs	36/98 (37%)	10/35 (29%)
Frequent falling	27/98 (28%)	15/35 (43%)
Development delay	23/98 (23%)	3/35 (9%)
Difficulty in rising from floor	4/98 (4%)	3/35 (9%)
Calf hypertrophy	3/98 (3%)	2/35 (6%)
Toe walking	3/98 (3%)	1/35 (3%)
Calf Pain	2/98 (2%)	0