

# Chorea: Involuntary Movements and Taking Back Control

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Chorea is an abnormal involuntary movement disorder described as sudden irregular movement of the limbs that is comparable to dancing. There are several causes of chorea, with the most notable being Huntington's disease, medication-induced tardive dyskinesia, and other acquired conditions. Chorea has functional consequences such as impaired physical function and self-injury among older adults. This presentation will review the diagnoses that can cause chorea, their impact, and potential pharmacological interventions.

## Following this presentation, the participant will be able to:

1. Define and recognize chorea.
2. Understand the presentation of Huntington's disease.
3. Identify symptoms of tardive dyskinesia and other acquired conditions that can cause chorea.
4. Describe some pharmacological treatments for chorea.

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