

# acromegaly *(ac-ro-meg-a-ly)*

## Definition

n. a disease in which there is enlargement of the bones of the head and hands and feet; due to excessive secretion of growth hormone by the pituitary gland

## Example Sentence

**Acromegaly** occurs in about 6 of every 100000 adults.

## Synonyms

gigantism; acromegalia; metabolic disorder

## Antonyms

normal size bones

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