



1. Pre-Diagnosis: Poor muscle tone; Distinct facial features
Poor sucking reflex and difficult feeding; Almost no cry.

1st Symptom: Hypotonia and difficulties in feeding;
Poor responsiveness; Sitting up and walking — later Hypotonia and difficulties in feeding;
unusually tired, respond poorly to stimulation, have a hard time waking up or have a weak cry.
Sitting up and walking later.

Ideally:
Improvement of muscle tone
Special technics for feeding and stimulating exercises
Special technics for feeding

Medical treatment and early rehabilitation intervention

2. Diagnosis
Unusual food-seeking behaviors, hypogonadism
Intellectual disability;
Delayed motor development
Speech problems
Small hands and feet

Thick saliva, dental problems caused by gastric acid reflux.
Overweight if not eating low calorie diet

Note: Medication & rehabilitation
Support for education & school integration & inclusion into community

Ideally: GH Treatment
Sex hormone treatment
Permanent rehabilitation program; Education and work
Independent life skills

3. First Treatment
Delayed in motor development
Rehabilitation program, 3 weeks every 3 months

Surgery – some cases of scoliosis

Physiotherapy
Dietician

Ideally:
Improvement in general health and reduced weight

4. Follow-Up Care...
Delayed in motor and intellectual development, behavior problems, Speech problems
A special behavior. Easily stressed. Often anxiety with changes. Autistic symptoms, social interaction difficult some develop psychiatric diseases

Overweight and sleep apnea;
Medication & rehabilitation
Support for education & school integration & inclusion into community; a proper job and qualification

Ideally:
Maintaining the weight, even reducing it
Relevant school education, individual approach.
NO one can ever live alone, need supervision of food and eating. Need much personal support to avoid behavioral problems.
Education and work. Cannot live independent, but many learn many skills
Work: must be sheltered and reduced hours: no one can work normally 8 hours per day. They do not have the strength.



Information and European support groups:
www.apwromania.ro