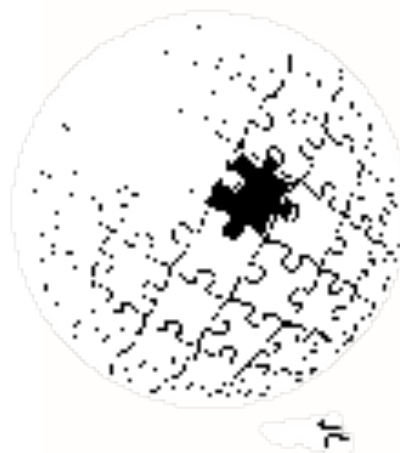


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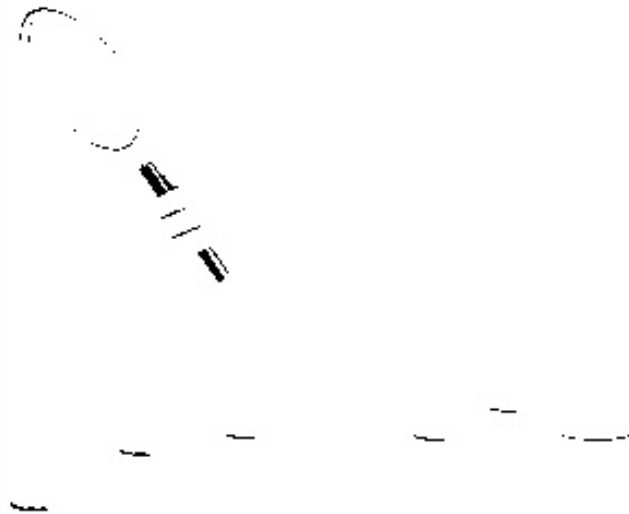


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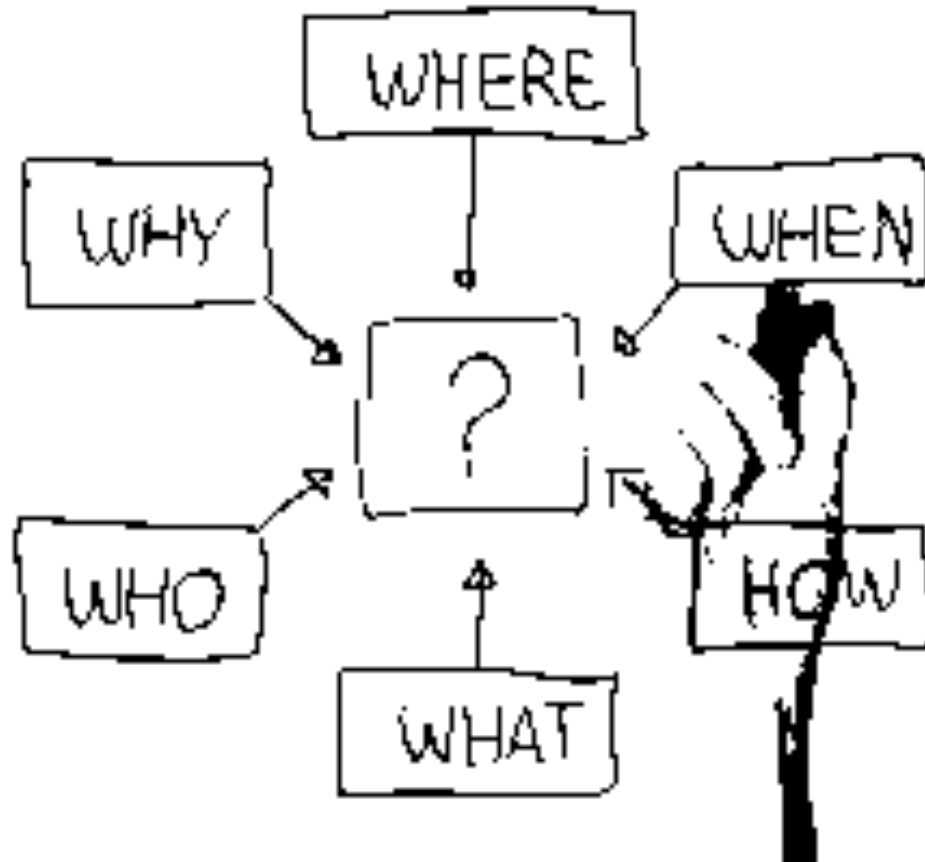
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Inmaculada Calvo-Muñoz<sup>1\*</sup>, Antonia Gómez-Conesa<sup>2</sup> and Julio Sánchez-Meca<sup>3</sup>

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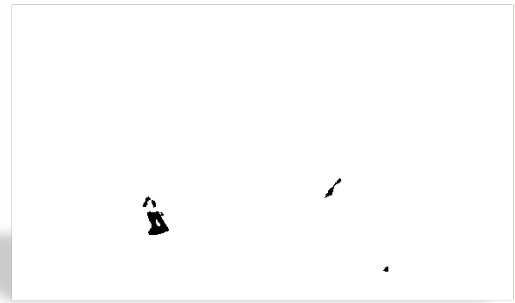


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- Scoliosi
- Sforzi muscolari
- Spondilolisi
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- Ernia del disco
- Scheuermann
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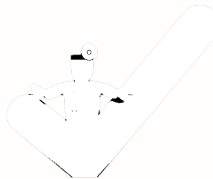
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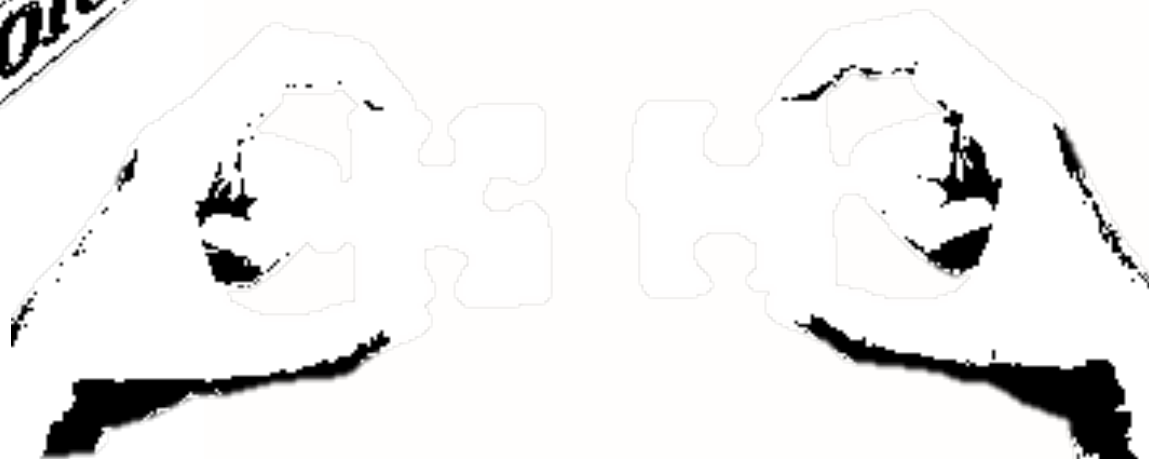


**ANAMNESI**

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# ANAMNESI: ASCOLTARE



## DA QUANTO TEMPO?

ACUTO, CRONICO

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SI ACUISCE CON I MOVIMENTI

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# SINTOMI ASSOCIATI

**Table 1. Differential Diagnosis of Back Pain in Children and Adolescents**

<i>Presentation</i>	<i>Possible diagnoses</i>	<i>Associated symptoms</i>
Nighttime pain	Tumor, infection	Fever, malaise, weight loss
Pain with fever or other generalized symptoms	Tumor, infection	Nighttime pain
Acute pain	Herniated disk, slipped apophysis, spondylolysis Vertebral fracture Muscle strain	Radicular pain, positive straight leg raising test result Other injuries, neurologic loss Muscle tenderness without radiation
Chronic pain	Scheuermann's kyphosis Inflammatory spondyloarthropathies Psychological problems	Rigid kyphosis Morning stiffness, sacroiliac joint tenderness —
Pain with spinal forward flexion	Herniated disk, slipped apophysis	Radicular pain, positive straight leg raising test result
Pain with spinal extension	Spondylolysis, spondylolisthesis, lesion or injury in the pedicle or lamina (posterior arch)	Hamstring tightness
Pain with recent-onset scoliosis	Tumor, infection, herniated disk, syrinx	Fever, malaise, weight loss, positive straight leg raising test result



# CAPIRE

**ADOLESCENZA, CARATTERE, ABITUDINI**

**RAPPORTO CON IL GENITORE  
CHE LO ACCOMPAGNA...**



# CERVICOBRACHIALGIA DA CONVERSIONE

Adolescent Neck and Shoulder Pain—The Association With Depression, Physical Activity, Screen-Based Activities, and Use of Health Care Services

Solbjørg Makalani Myrtveit<sup>a,b,\*</sup>, Børge Sivertsen, Ph.D.<sup>b,c,d</sup>, Jens Christoffer Skogen, Ph.D.<sup>b,e</sup>, Lisbeth Frostholt, Ph.D.<sup>f</sup>, Kjell Morten Stormark, Ph.D.<sup>g</sup>, and Mari Hysing, Ph.D.<sup>g</sup>



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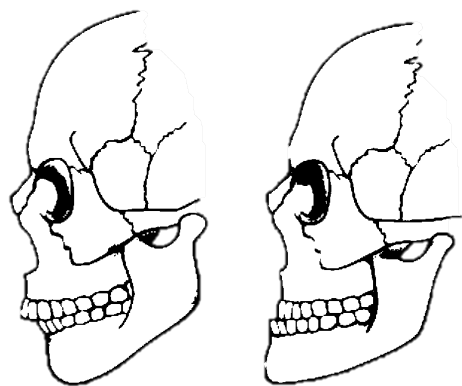


# OSSERVARE



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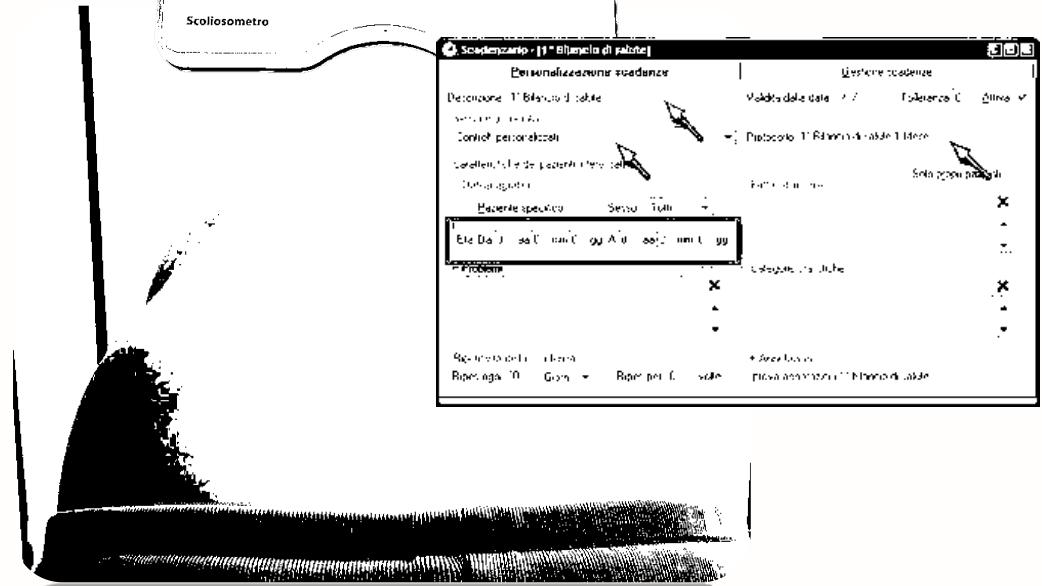
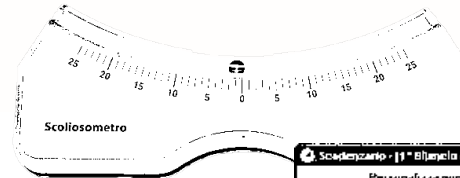
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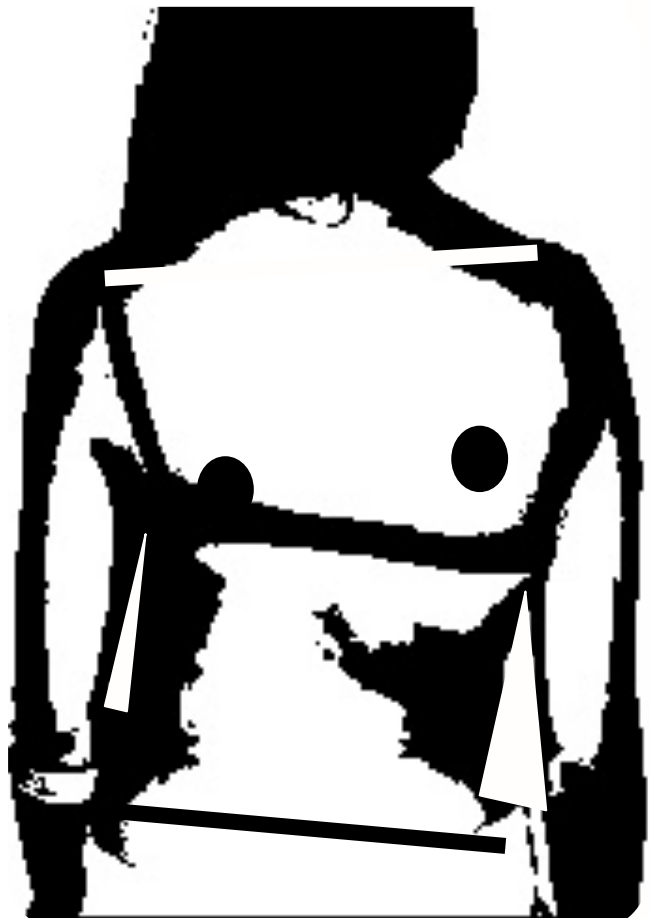
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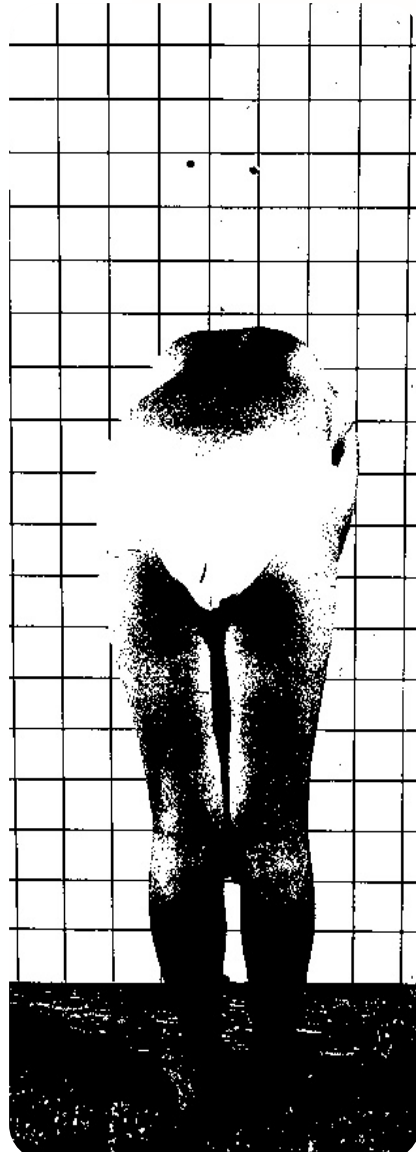
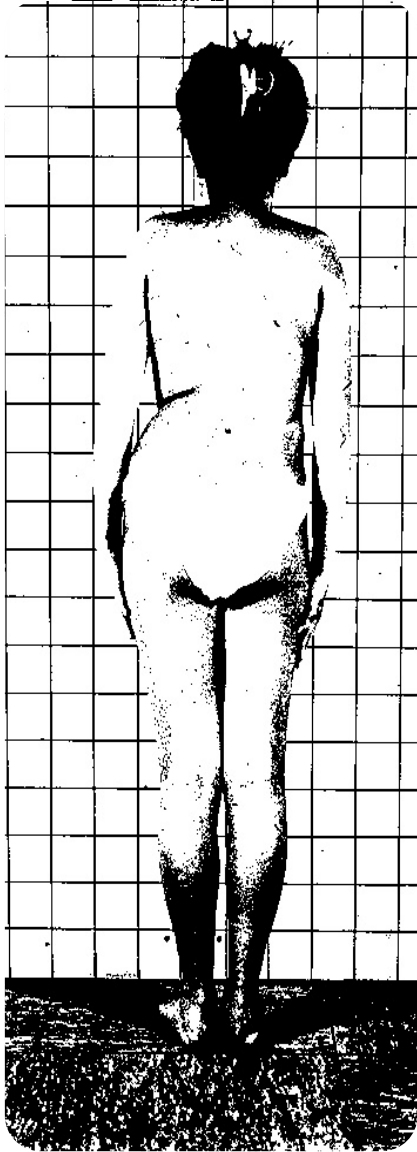


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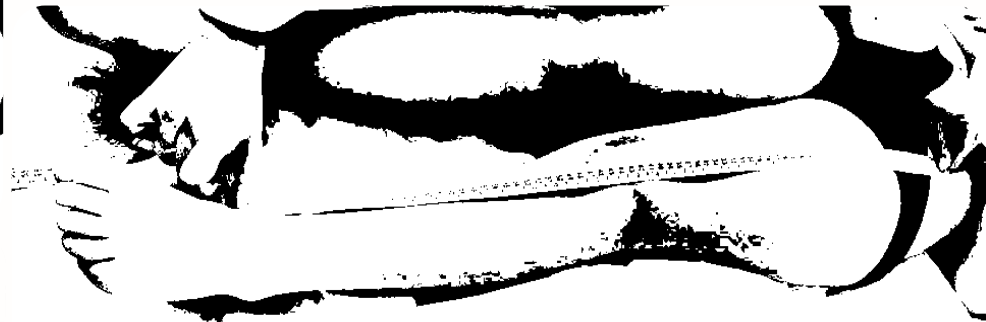


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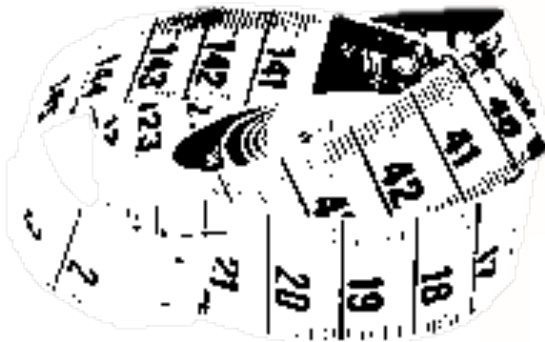
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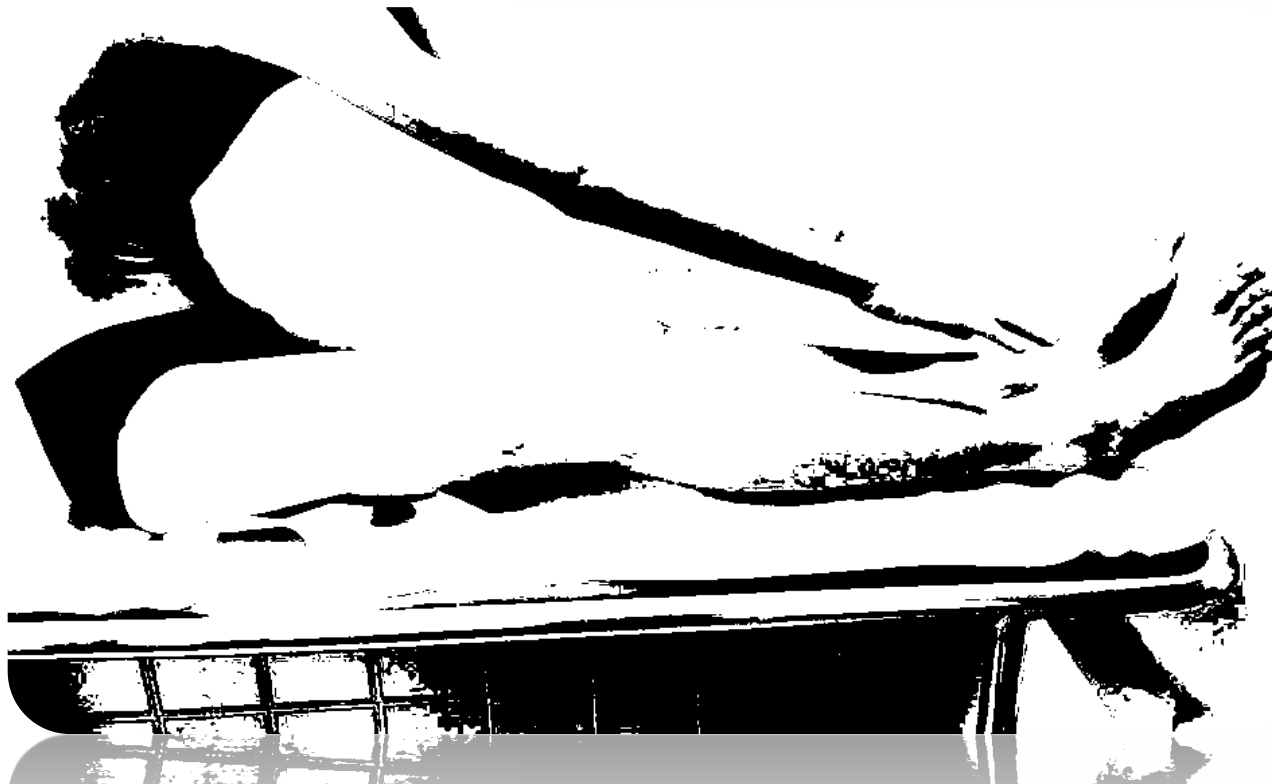
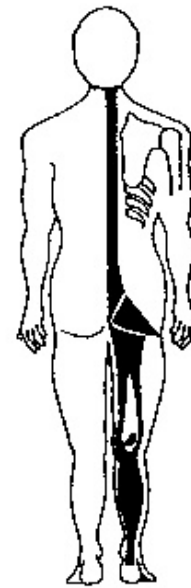
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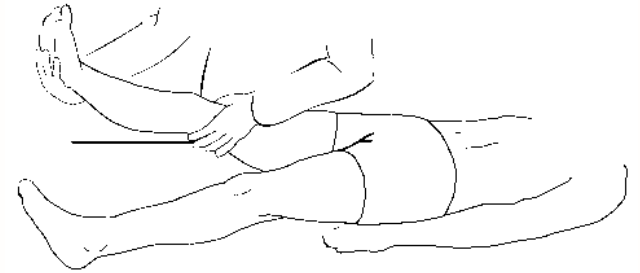
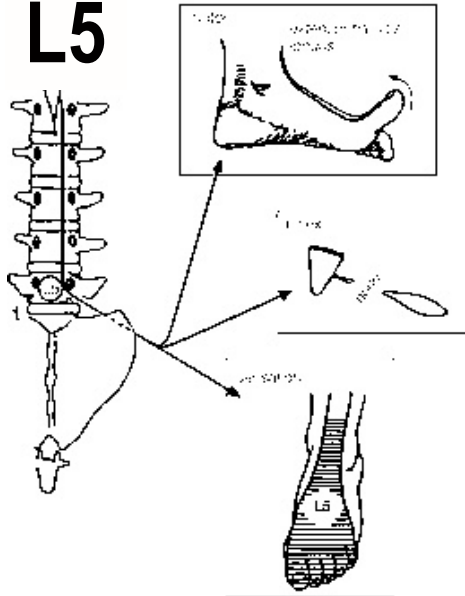
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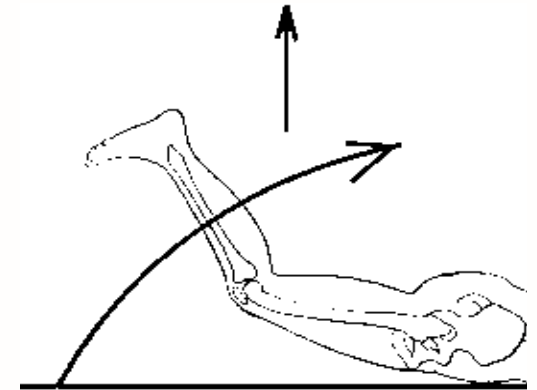
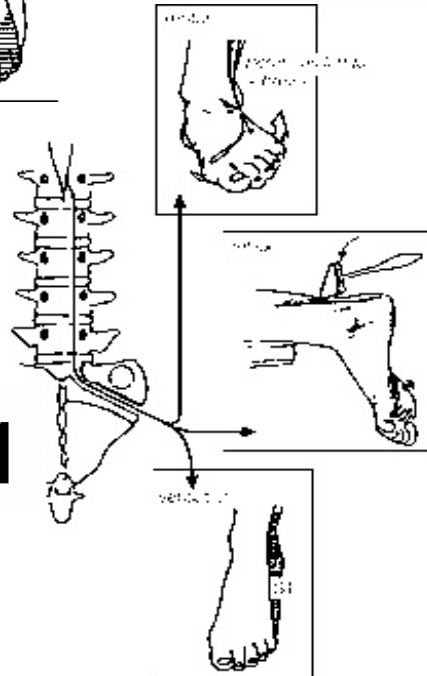
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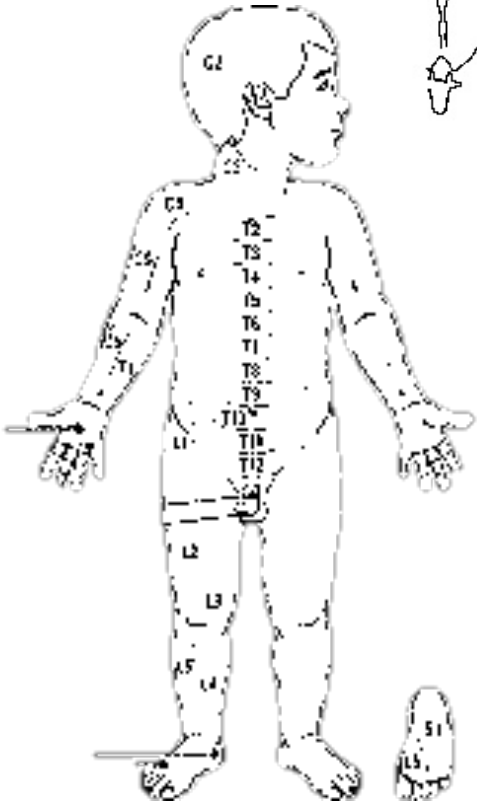


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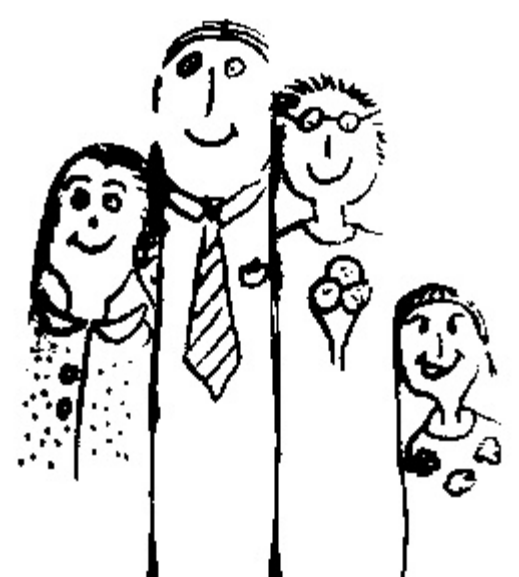
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## FATTORI MECCANICI

- BMI
- Peso zaino scolastico
- Lavoro part time (adolescenti)
- Attività sportiva

## FATTORI PSICOLOGICI

- Carattere
  - Negativo – Difficoltà relazionale
  - Positivo – Socievole

39 SCUOLE



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# FATTORI MECCANICI vs LBP

~~BMI~~

~~Peso zainò~~

Sport

~~Attività sedentaria~~

**Table 1** Risk of LBP in relation to mechanical factors in quintiles using univariate analysis (n=1376)\*

Mechanical factors	Total	No. with LBP	% LBP	Odds ratio*	(95% CI)
Body mass index					
12.2 to 17.1	263	52	19.7	1.0	(referent)
17.2 to 18.6	263	56	21.3	1.0	(0.7 to 1.6)
18.7 to 20.2	268	57	21.3	0.9	(0.6 to 1.4)
20.3 to 22.4	267	69	21.8	1.2	(0.8 to 1.8)
22.5 to 34.7	262	76	29.0	1.4	(0.9 to 2.1)
Average (5 day) load					
1.2 to 3.4 kg	216	48	22.2	1.0	(referent)
3.5 to 4.2 kg	217	52	23.9	1.2	(0.7 to 1.9)
4.3 to 5.0 kg	220	58	26.9	1.5	(0.9 to 2.3)
5.1 to 6.3 kg	210	47	22.4	1.1	(0.7 to 1.7)
6.4 to 18.0 kg	217	46	21.2	0.9	(0.6 to 1.4)
% body weight carried					
2.2 to 6.6%	214	58	27.1	1.0	(referent)
6.7 to 8.8%	211	54	25.6	1.0	(0.7 to 1.6)
8.9 to 10.5%	204	45	22.1	0.9	(0.5 to 1.4)
10.6 to 13.5%	209	46	22.0	0.9	(0.6 to 1.4)
13.6 to 32.1%	210	35	16.7	0.6	(0.4 to 1.0)

\*ORs adjusted for age and gender in a logistic regression model.

**Table 2** Risk of low back pain by total time spent participating in sports† (n=1376)

Time (min)	Total	No. with LBP	% LBP	Odds ratio*	(95% CI)
≤121	456	109	23.9	1.0	referent
121-240	451	102	22.6	1.1	(0.7 to 1.4)
>240	469	119	25.4	1.4	(1.02 to 1.9)

\*ORs adjusted for age and gender in a logistic regression model.  
 †Sports included: football, cricket, basketball, swimming, hockey, tennis, badminton, squash, field sports, dancing, cross country running, rounders, gymnastics, rugby, horse riding, roller blading, mountain biking.

**Table 3** Prevalence of LBP by time spent in minutes in sedentary activities during the past day (n=1376)\*

Sedentary activities (min)	Total	No. with LBP	% with LBP	Odds ratio	(95% CI)
15 to 140	150	34	22.7	1.0	(referent)
141 to 210	167	38	23.8	1.0	(0.6 to 1.8)
211 to 330	152	39	25.7	1.2	(0.7 to 2.1)
>330	137	32	23.4	1.3	(0.7 to 2.3)

\*ORs adjusted for age and gender (missing = 770) in a logistic regression model.

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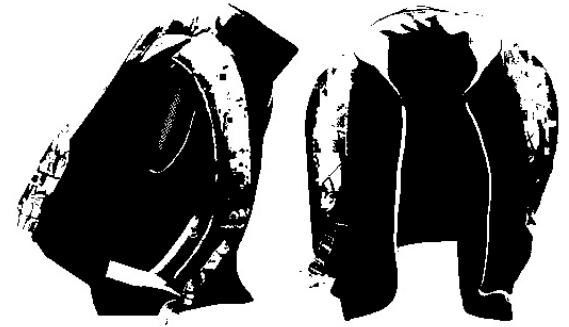
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# FATTORI PSICOLOGICI vs LBP

**Carattere  
negativo**

~~**Carattere  
positivo**~~

**Sintomi  
somatici**

**(mal di testa, mal di pancia,  
stanchezza diurna, raffreddori)**

**Table 4** Risk of LBP in relation to psychosocial factors (SDQ) using univariate analysis (n=1376)\*

SDQ dimension	Total	No. with LBP	% LBP	Odds ratio*	(95% CI)
<i>Difficulties</i>					
Hyperactivity/inattention					
Low	549	109	19.9	1.0	(referent)
Medium	450	113	25.1	1.3	(1.0 to 1.7)
High	376	108	28.7	1.6	(1.2 to 2.2)
Conduct problems					
Low	462	67	14.5	1.0	(referent)
Medium	582	150	25.8	2.2	(1.6 to 3.0)
High	331	113	34.1	3.5	(2.4 to 4.9)
Emotional problems					
Low	618	100	16.2	1.0	(referent)
Medium	400	91	22.8	1.5	(1.1 to 2.1)
High	357	139	38.9	3.1	(2.3 to 4.3)
Peer problems					
Low	734	156	21.3	1.0	(referent)
Medium	286	78	27.3	1.4	(1.0 to 1.9)
High	355	96	27.0	1.5	(1.1 to 2.0)
<i>Strengths</i>					
Prosocial behaviour					
High	346	89	25.7	1.0	(referent)
Medium	508	134	26.8	1.1	(0.8 to 1.5)
Low	521	107	20.5	0.8	(0.6 to 1.2)

\*ORs adjusted for age and gender in a logistic regression model (missing = 1).

**Table 5** Risk of LBP in relation to reporting other common childhood complaints using univariate analysis (n=1376)\*

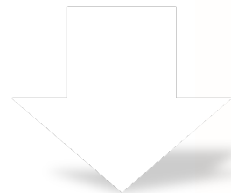
Common childhood complaints reported (in past month)†	Total	No. with LBP	% LBP	Odds ratio*	(95% CI)
<b>Headache</b>					
No days	471	67	19.9	1.0	(referent)
1-2 days	520	118	25.1	1.7	(1.2 to 2.4)
More than 3 days	366	142	28.7	3.5	(2.5 to 5.0)
(missing = 19)					
<b>Abdominal pain</b>					
No days	640	105	14.5	1.0	(referent)
1-2 days	576	167	28.2	1.9	(1.4 to 2.5)
More than 3 days	136	53	34.1	3.1	(2.1 to 4.7)
(missing = 24)					
<b>Sore throats</b>					
No days	511	79	16.2	1.0	(referent)
1-2 days	470	123	22.8	1.8	(1.3 to 2.5)
More than 3 days	376	127	38.9	2.7	(1.9 to 3.7)
(missing = 19)					
<b>Day time tiredness</b>					
Low	550	80	21.3	1.0	(referent)
Medium	374	87	27.3	1.7	(1.2 to 2.4)
High	436	156	27.0	3.1	(2.3 to 4.2)
(missing = 16)					

\*ORs adjusted for age and gender in a logistic regression model.

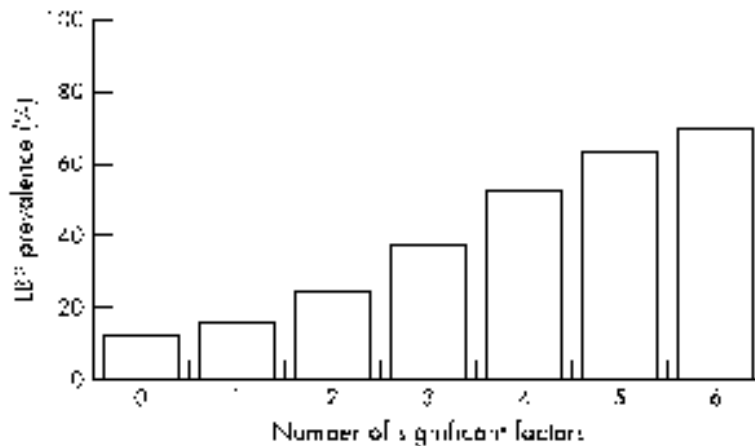
†Daytime tiredness measured using VAS.



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## AUMENTO ESPONENZIALE CORRELAZIONE CON MAL DI SCHIENA



**Table 6** Risk of low back pain in relation to positive associations (univariate) using a multivariate model

Positive factors an univariate analysis	Odds ratio	(95% CI)*
<b>Hyperactivity/inattention</b>		
Low	21.0	(referent)
Medium	0.8	(0.6 to 1.2)
High	0.8	(0.5 to 1.2)
<b>Conduct problems</b>		
Low	1.0	(referent)
Medium	1.9	(1.3 to 2.7)
High	2.4	(1.6 to 3.8)
<b>Emotional problems</b>		
Low	1.0	(referent)
Medium	1.1	(0.8 to 1.6)
High	2.0	(1.4 to 2.9)
<b>Peer problems</b>		
Low	1.0	(referent)
Medium	1.2	(0.8 to 1.7)
High	1.0	(0.7 to 1.4)
<b>Headache</b>		
No days	1.0	(referent)
1-2 days	1.3	(0.9 to 1.8)
More than 3 days	1.8	(1.2 to 2.7)
<b>Abdominal pain</b>		
No days	1.0	(referent)
1-2 days	1.2	(0.9 to 1.7)
More than 3 days	1.4	(0.9 to 2.4)
<b>Sore throats</b>		
No days	1.0	(referent)
1-2 days	1.4	(0.96 to 2.0)
More than 3 days	1.7	(1.2 to 2.5)
<b>Daytime tiredness</b>		
No days	1.0	(referent)
1-2 days	1.5	(1.02 to 2.2)
More than 3 days	1.6	(1.1 to 2.3)
<b>Part time job</b>		
No	1.0	(referent)
Yes	1.4	(1.01 to 1.9)

\*ORs adjusted for age and gender in a logistic regression model

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**REALE INCIDENZA DIFFICILE DA DETERMINARE**

**I BAMBINI PIÙ PICCOLI SONO LE VITTIME PIÙ FREQUENTI**

**LA “RECIDIVA” È STIMATA TRA IL 30% ED IL 45%**





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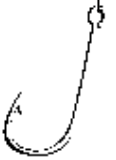
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“...HA DOLORE PERCHE' HA LA SCOLIOSI...”

**FACTS**

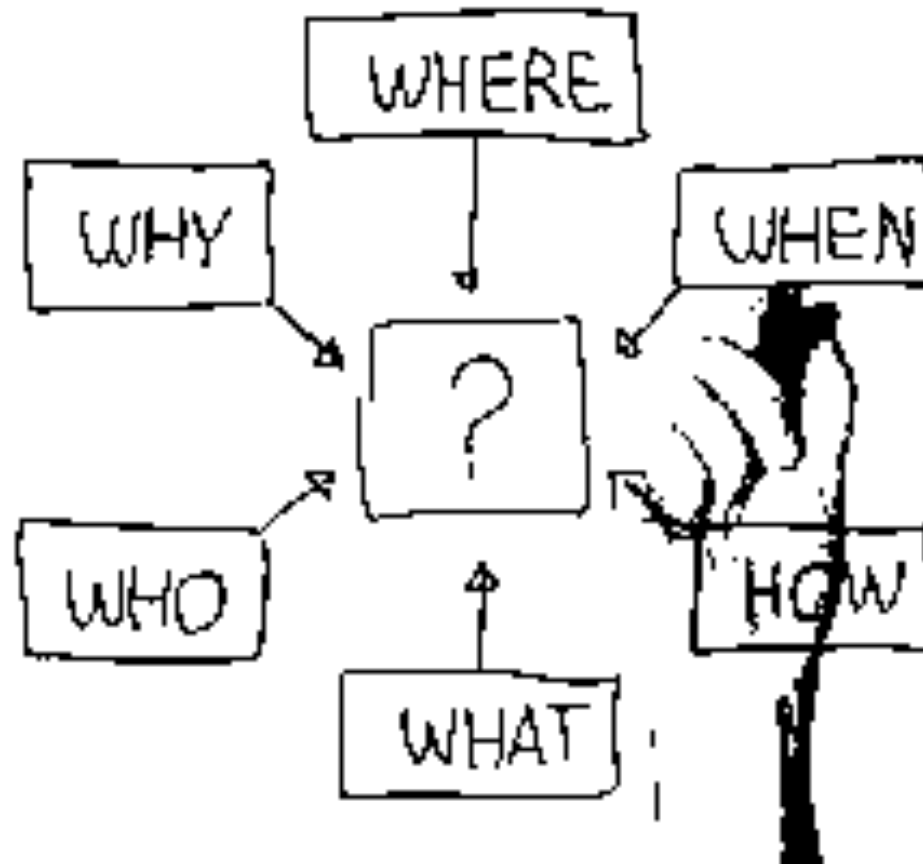
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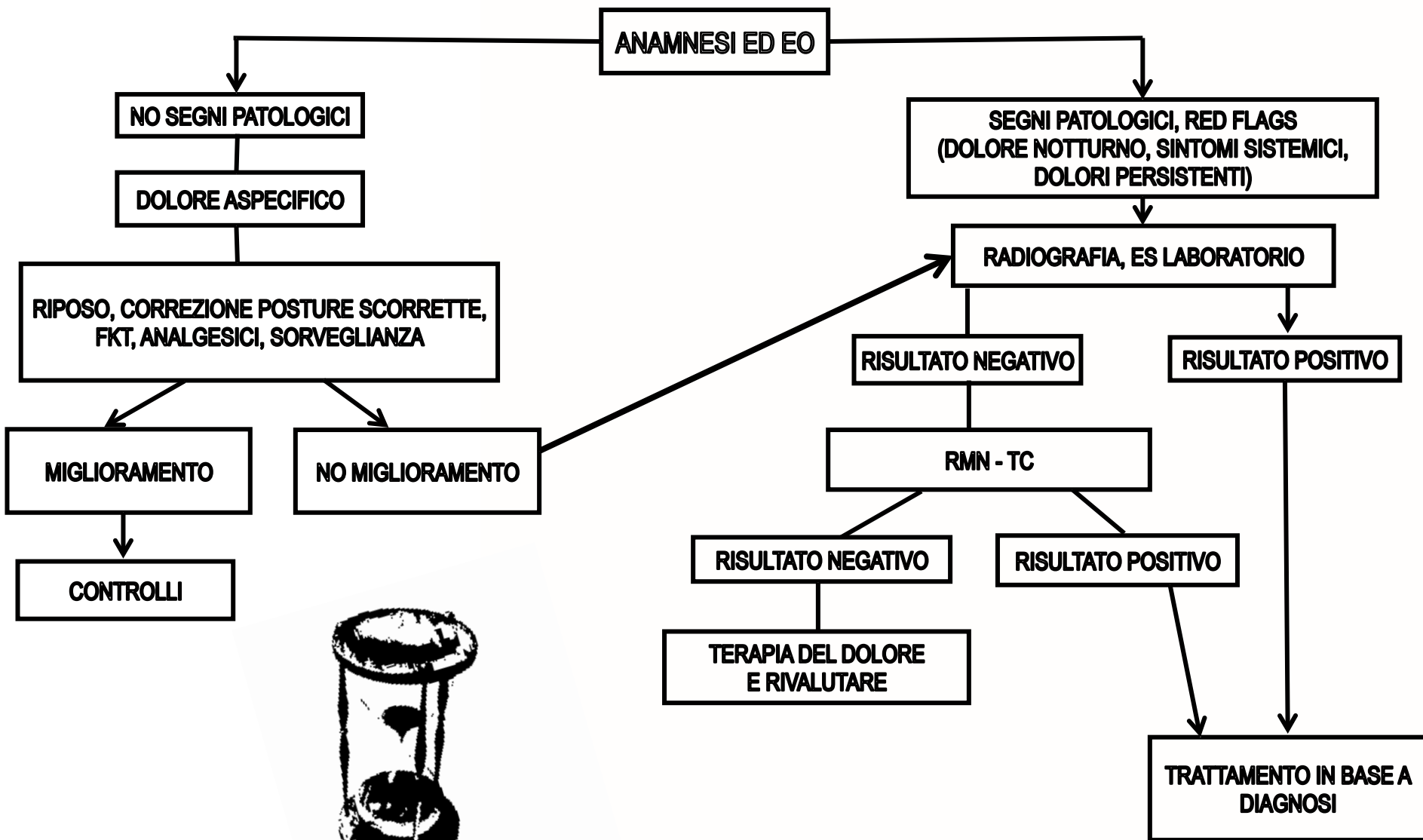


# QUANDO PREOCCUPARSI ?



<b>Paziente pre-pubere in particolare &lt; 5anni</b>	<b>Febbre, tachicardia perdita di peso ecchimosi linfadenopatia o massa addominale</b>
<b>Disabilità funzionale</b>	<b>Alterata Forma o mobilità della colonna vertebrale</b>
<b>Durata &gt;4 settimane o dolore ricorrente o peggioramento del dolore</b>	<b>Rigidità della colonna</b>
<b>Rigidità mattutina</b>	<b>Zoppia o andatura alterata</b>
<b>Dolore notturno</b>	<b>Sintomi neurologici</b>
	<b>Disfunzioni vescicali o intestinali</b>

# COME COMPORTARSI ?



**RISPOSTE**

**APPROCCIO**



**INTERDISCIPLINARE**



# PRIMO FILTRO



POSNA

The Pediatric Orthopaedic Society of North America

**“...You should examine your child's spine regularly, starting in infancy, and talk to a health care professional about any concerns.**

**Regular pediatric examinations also can identify cases of low back pain...”**

# CONCLUSIONI

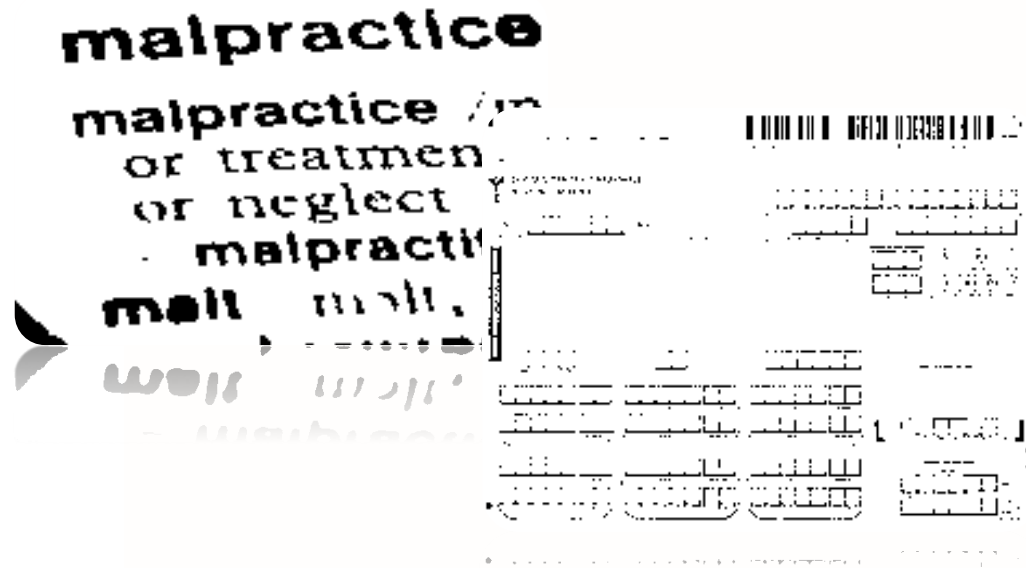


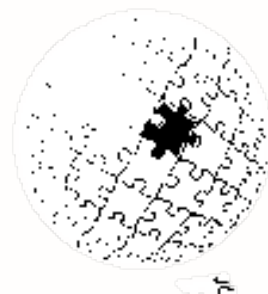
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