

CHASE BANK LOANS

C- Café-au-lait spots

B- Bony abnormalities (sphenoid wing dysplasia, pseudoarthrosis, sphenoid dysplasia, scoliosis)

L- Lisch nodules (iris hamartomas)

O-Optic glioma

A- Axillary/inguinal freckling (Crowe's sign)

N- >1 Neurofibroma or 1 plexiform neurofibroma

S- "Sister" aka 1st degree relative with NF1

This mnemonic refers to the major diagnostic criteria for neurofibromatosis type I. Two major diagnostic criteria are needed. The major diagnostic criteria include: 6 or more café au lait macules, axillary or inguinal freckling (Crowe's sign), 2 or more neurofibromas or 1 plexiform neurofibroma, 2 or more Lisch nodules (iris hamartomas), optic glioma, bony lesions (pseudoarthrosis osseous lesions, sphenoid dysplasia, scoliosis), 1st-degree relative with NF-1.