

Plantar reflex

Lesions producing a PR need not be structural but may be functional and reversible.

Possible etiologies

- spinal cord injury
- cervical spinal myelopathy
- lesions in the motor strip or internal capsule (stroke, tumor, contusion...)
- subdural hematoma or epidural hematoma
- hydranencephaly
- toxic-metabolic coma
- seizures
- trauma
- TIAs
- hemiplegic migraine
- motor neuron disease (ALS)

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