Supplementary Table 3: Clinical phenotype of initial presentation and all episodes through the disease course

Clinical phenotype at initial presentation

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Clinical Phenotype	Total Cohort	Pediatric patients	Adult patients
	(n=59)	(n=33)	(n=26)
BON	19/59 (32%)	8/33 (24%)	11/26 (42%)
UON	13/59 (22%)	5/33 (15%)	8/26 (31%)
ADEM	12/59 (20%)	12/33 (36%)	0/26 (0%)
Mixed	7/59 (12%)	4/33 (12%)	3/26 (12%)
		ADEM + LETM,	UON + LETM, UON
		BON + LETM,	+ short TM +
		UON + LETM,	brainstem, UON +
		LETM + brainstem	sensory (non-
		+ cerebellar	spinal)
Short TM	2/59 (3%)	0/33 (0%)	2/26 (8%)
LETM	2/59 (3%)	1/33 (3%)	1/26 (4%)
Seizures	2/59 (3%)	2/33 (6%)	0/26 (0%)
Other	2/59 (3%)	1/33 (3%)	1/26 (4%)
		non encephalitic	sensory (non-
		acute	spinal)
		demyelinating	
		syndrome	

Clinical phenotype of all episodes through the disease course

Clinical Phenotype	Total Cohort	Pediatric patients	Adult patients
	(n=218)	(n=112)	(n=106)
UON	76/218 (35%)	32/112 (29%)	44/106 (42%)
BON	42/218 (19%)	19/112 (17%)	23/106 (22%)
Mixed	26/218 (12%)	18/112 (16%)	8/106 (8%)
		5 episodes of	3 episodes of BON
		ADEM +LETM, 2	+ LETM, 2 episodes
		episodes of ADEM	of UON + LETM, 1
		+ UON, 2 episodes	episode of each of
		of ADEM +	the following:
		cerebellar, 1	ADEM + UON, UON
		episode of each of	+ short TM +
		the following:	brainstem, UON +
		ADEM + BON,	sensory non spinal
		ADEM + LETM +	
		brainstem, ADEM	
		+ cerebellar +	
		brainstem, BON +	

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		LETM, UON +	
		LETM, UON +	
		seizures, LETM +	
		brainstem, LETM +	
		brainstem +	
		cerebellar,	
		brainstem +	
		cerebellar	
ADEM	19/218 (9%)	17/112 (15%)	2/106 (2%)
Short TM	12/218 (6%)	1/112 (1%)	11/106 (10%)
LETM	10/218 (5%)	4/112 (4%)	6/106 (6%)
Brainstem	8/218 (4%)	4/112 (4%)	4/106 (4%)
Seizures	6/218 (3%)	6/112 (5%)	0/106 (0%)
Cerebellar	4/218 (2%)	2/112 (2%)	2/106 (2%)
Other	15/218 (7%)	9/112 (8%)	6/106 (6%)
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		8 episodes of non-	4 episodes of
		encephalitic acute	sensory (non-
		demyelinating	spinal), 2 episodes
		syndromes (5 with	of cognitive
		brainstem and	impairment
		cerebellar, 1 with	1
		tremor, 1 with left	
		hemiplegia, 1 with	
		aphasia and right	
		hemiplegia), 1	
		with seizures +	
		acute	
		demyelinating	
		syndrome	
		Synaronic	

ADEM acute disseminated encephalomyelitis; BON bilateral optic neuritis; LETM longitudinally extensive transverse myelitis; TM transverse myelitis; UON unilateral optic neuritis