

**ACUTE ILLNESS PROTOCOL  
FATTY ACID OXIDATION DISORDERS  
SHORT CHAIN Acyl-CoA DEHYDROGENASE (SCAD) DEFICIENCY**

**INTRODUCTION**

Short Chain Acyl-CoA Dehydrogenase Deficiency (SCADD) is caused by an intramitochondrial defect in the  $\beta$ -oxidation of fatty acids. It can produce severe hypoglycemia and can be fatal.