What is Rheumatoid Disease?
also known as Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA)

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RA is a progressive, destructive disease frequently leading to disability. It affects 1.5 to 2 M in U.S.

Immune cells attack joints & organs including heart & lungs.

Symptoms like fatigue, joint pain, stiffness, swelling, & fever may be constant or flaring.

Almost 2/3 of patients have a 20% response or less to treatments. No cure is known.

U.S. spends less on RA research than is spent on rarer diseases with similar mortality rates.

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