

EXTRA USEFUL VOCABULARY UNIT 2 MUSCULO-SKELETAL SYSTEM

human bones: general terms /medical terms
thorax, spine, skull, extremities, muscles
division of bone, division of skeleton
hematopoiesis
tendons
ligaments
cartilage
articular/epifical end of bone
innominate bone
joint head, joint socket, joint capsule

Pathological conditions: scoliosis, fractures, osteoporosis, muscular dystrophy,
arthritis, spina bifida
to atrophy
atrophy

Procedures: X-ray, MRI, laboratory tests, flexibility tests,
arthrography, arthroscopy, EMG, CT, bone scan
imaging methods/techniques
range of motion
affected extremity/area
torn muscles, herniated discs
contrastive fluid/substance
cross-sectional image/picture
to process data

onset of disorder/illness
to curve/curve/curved/curvature
prominent
prominence
to protrude/project
protrusion/process

fit/in a good condition
surgery/operation
invasive/non-invasive method
plastic brace
posture

severely disabled
handicapped