SKIN DISEASES

Advocating for the 84 million Americans living with a skin condition

All Skin Diseases

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH



International Alliance of Dermatology Patient Organizations

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WHO WE SERVE

GlobalSkin is a truly global alliance of not-for-profit patient organizations that serve people living with dermatological conditions or skin traumas. We represent 68 countries and 57 skin disease areas worldwide – and growing. We nurture relationships with members, partners and decisionmakers around the globe.

GlobalSkin envisions a world in which people living with dermatological diseases and skin traumas can easily access the care and treatment they need, when they need it, and can live without stigmatization, persecution or economic disadvantages due to their conditions.



GlobalSkin exists to:

- Elevate the voice of the global dermatology patient community
- Champion the common interests of people affected by dermatological conditions globally
- Unite global dermatology stakeholders to bring about transformative change for patients

How skin conditions IMPACT patients



People living with dermatological conditions face stigma, shame and other psychosocial challenges in addition to the physical symptoms of their disease. For many patients, this is a lifelong burden. And in many cultures, this can have devastating social impacts. This must change. Together, we are working to make this change happen.



HOW WE MAKE AN IMPACT

GlobalSkin works with over 250 patient association members — located in over 68 countries, representing more than 57 disease areas — to improve the lives of those affected by dermatological conditions throughout the world.

We appeal as one voice to the World Health Organization and other key influencers and decision makers to recognize the debilitating nature of dermatological disease so that more resources for research and treatment options are made readily available to those afflicted and in need of help.

The common thread through these important GlobalSkin initiatives is credible data, which we will collect in the first-ever global patient-initiated 'impact of skin disease' research project, expected to have a profound and lasting impact on key decisionmakers. By collecting data from the dermatology patient perspective to represent various real-life conditions around the world, the dermatological community will gain better awareness, making it easier to truly help patients.

Together, we are stronger.

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AT A GLANCE **HOW WE PROVIDE** SUPPORT

With more than two billion people living with over 3,000 discrete dermatological conditions globally, the need to support this very large patient constituency, which is an underrepresented voice in the medical community, is paramount.

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