



IN PARTNERSHIP WITH

 scarring alopecia.org  
SCARRING ALOPECIA FOUNDATION

## WHO WE SERVE

We serve patients affected with all types of scarring alopecia and the medical professionals who treat and study this permanent inflammatory hair loss disease.



## OUR VISION

Our vision is to help identify the cause of scarring alopecia, encourage the development of targeted therapeutics to treat and halt progression, and provide hope that one day this medical and emotional hair loss disease will be eradicated.



## OUR MISSION

Our mission is to provide education and patient support, raise public awareness and advance and promote research.

## How skin conditions IMPACT patients



There are countless patients suffering medically and emotionally from this permanent, inflammatory hair loss disease with limited clinical options for treatment. There is not a single approved treatment. It is not well-known by physicians, difficult to correctly identify, and manage. Treatments vary by physician and disease state. Along with the destruction of the hair follicle, patients typically experience significant pain, burning, and itching on the scalp.

# OUR STORY

SAF was formed in 2005 and has grown from a small group to over 7,000 patients and medical professionals on record. SAF is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors and guided by a Medical and Scientific Advisory Board of world-renowned researchers and clinicians specializing in hair disorders.



## HOW WE MAKE AN IMPACT

SAF recognizes that scarring alopecia patients face unique challenges that can interfere with their daily lives. We understand this diagnosis is not only a medical issue but also impacts a patient's emotional well-being. We believe these challenges can be overcome with proper management, encouragement, resources, and research. We believe that patients can lead happy, rich, and fulfilling lives.

SAF is in a unique position to align the resources necessary to provide hope for today and a cure for tomorrow. We support vital medical research towards finding better treatments and facilitate patient and physician education for better management of the disease. We know that sharing stories helps patients understand and cope with this disease, and we provide community-building and supportive resources. We believe in spreading awareness of the disease and dispelling myths.

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## AT A GLANCE HOW WE PROVIDE SUPPORT

SAF is the only patient advocacy organization in the world who is driving and promoting research, education, and support for scarring alopecia.

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