



Expert reviewers for Orphanet in 2016

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METHODOLOGY

This document provides the list of Orphanet expert reviewers having contributed to the update of scientific information contained in the Orphanet database of Rare Diseases in 2016. Experts were identified through their publications, and their activity related to the given disease/group of diseases (research projects, clinical trials, expert centres and dedicated networks): more information on the expert selection procedure will be available soon on www.orpha.net. Once identified, experts receive an invitation to examine a form containing the scientific information related to a given disease:

- Its nomenclature: preferred term and synonyms
- Related genes and the type of relationship between the gene and the diseases, namely: Genes are annotated as causative, modifiers (both from germline or somatic mutations), major susceptibility factors or playing a role in the phenotype (for chromosomal anomalies). When the causative mutations are of germline origin, the functional consequences of the mutations could be documented as a loss or a gain of protein function
- Epidemiological data: point prevalence, annual incidence, prevalence at birth, lifetime prevalence, number of cases and families reported in the literature.
- Natural history data: age of onset, age of death, mode of inheritance
- An abstract structured in up to 10 sections :
 - Definition of the disease
 - Epidemiology
 - Clinical description
 - Aetiology
 - Diagnostic methods
 - Differential diagnosis
 - Genetic counseling (if relevant)

- Antenatal diagnosis (if relevant)
- Management and treatment
- Prognosis

- Disability facts related to rare diseases.

The form is pre-filled with the data available in the Orphanet database or coming from a literature search.

The expert is invited to validate, to correct or to complete the information submitted to him/her.

In some cases, the experts are contacted to answer a specific question (nomenclature, genetics, classifications, or epidemiological data) in order to update the Orphanet content. Please note that the experts contacted to answer this type of question are not cited on the disease page on the Orphanet website: the expert cited on the disease page is the one having contributed to the text concerning the disease.

Data presentation

Experts are listed by alphabetical order of their name and with the expertised disease name and Orphan number of the disease/ group of diseases.

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	Stickler syndrome	828
Dr Olivier ABBO	Van der Woude syndrome	888
Ms Delphine ALIGON	Craniopharyngioma	54595
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Dr Yves ALLENBACH	Autoimmune necrotizing myopathy	206569
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Dr Jean-Bernard ANDRIEU	Juvenile neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis	79264
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Dr Carmen AYUSO GARCÍA	Choroideremia	180
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Dr Gilles BAGOU	Exercise-induced malignant hyperthermia	466650
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Dr Mario G. BIANCHETTI	Gitelman syndrome	358
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Ms Anne-Claire BOURGEOIS	Craniopharyngioma	54595
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Dr Audrey BOUTRON	Lipoyl transferase 2 deficiency	447795
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Pr Pierre BRISSOT	Hemochromatosis type 5	447792
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