Early testing and diagnosis of Primary Immunodeficiency

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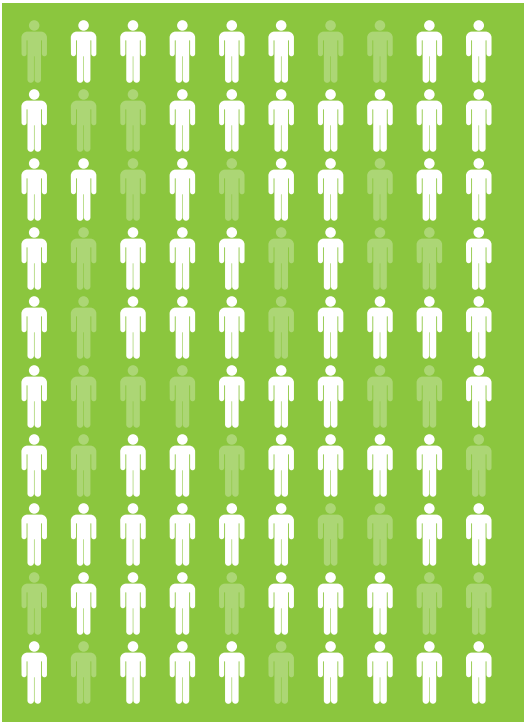
PI is largely underdiagnosed: between 70-90% of people living with a PI worldwide still remain undiagnosed



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Early diagnosis and treatment can prevent complications and enable people to live as normal a life as possible

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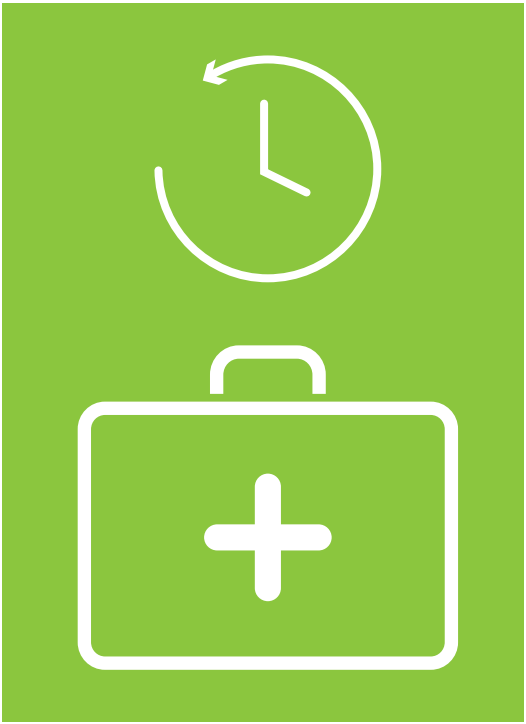
Early diagnosis contributes greatly to improved quality of life and care for people with PI



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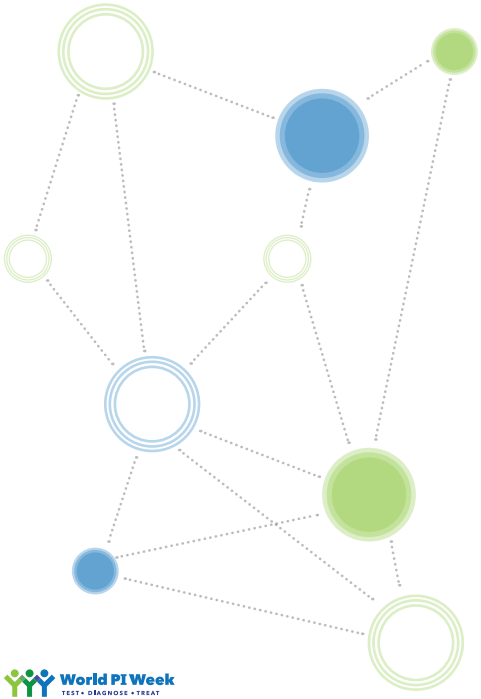

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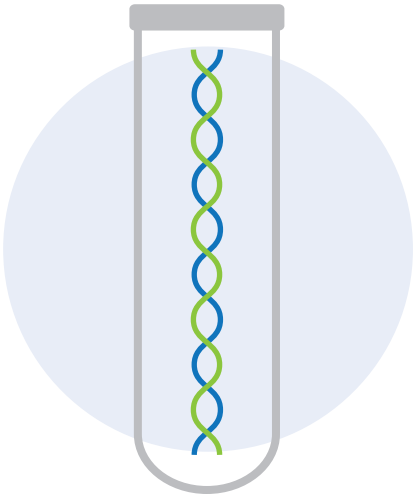
Main reasons for a delayed or misdiagnosis of PI:

- **Complex nature of PI**
- **Variety of symptoms and clinical manifestations**
- **Relatively low awareness of symptoms among primary care doctors and specialists**

Genetic technology allowing genetic testing has a significant role in the diagnosis of PI



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For severe forms of PI, newborn screening is a lifesaving, cost-effective method to drive early diagnosis and save lives

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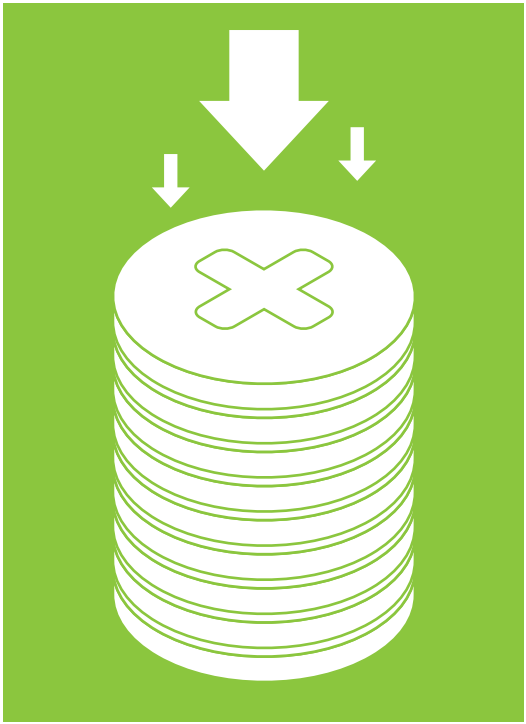

Prompt diagnosis of PI leads to better use of healthcare facilities and services, and lower healthcare costs

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Public awareness of symptoms, greater education among both primary and specialist care providers at pre/post graduate levels are paramount for PI recognition

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Patient access to care and appropriate treatment can help prevent serious and life-threatening illnesses in people with PI

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Screening tests should be accessible to the whole range of hospital doctors and primary care providers

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Routine newborn screening programmes for severe PI (e.g., SCID and XLA) should be widely implemented in public healthcare settings in all countries

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Access to genetic testing should become available to patients and widespread in medical specialties to provide earlier detection of PI and diagnose unknown forms

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Here is how to build your own “Early testing and diagnosis of Primary Immunodeficiency” brochure

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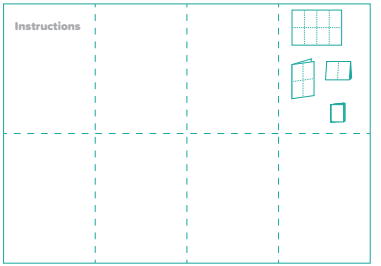
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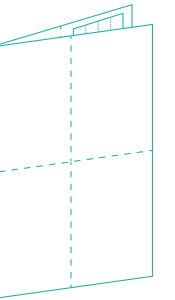
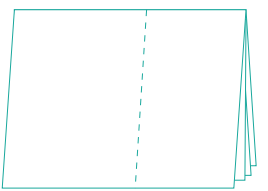
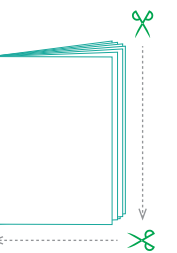

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