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PUBLIC CONSULTATION RARE DISEASES: EUROPE'S CHALLENGES

Hello Commission-members,

Sarcoïdosis and other Granulatumous Disorders are a good example of rare diseases. With the help of national organizations and EURORDIS, which we are them very grateful, there is a lot of work done to get the Rare Diseases more into the Spotlight.

With this email we what to express the importance for an EU rare disease patient Community!

EPOS represents a number of national Sarcoïdosis Organizations within Europe. Because Sarcoïdosis is a rare disease the amount of Patients is limited. There for we have searched for other patients organizations to work together in order to achieve more.

The Communication of Rare Deseases as presented yet we find very important for our work. We know it's a great opportunity to get further with our activities.

We are convinced that the EU-commission will see the importance and support the proposals.

Kind Regards,

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