



World PI Week

22nd - 29th April 2012

Change the lives of millions this week.
Speak out about primary immunodeficiencies (PI) and help us diagnose
and bring access to the right treatment for people living with PI.



Primary Immunodeficiencies (PI) are hereditary and genetic defects in the immune system that cause increased susceptibility to a wide range of infections, affecting the skin, the ears, the lungs, the intestines and other parts of the body. These infections are often chronic, persistent, recurring, debilitating, and in some cases, fatal.

Thousands of organisers from across the globe will join forces during World PI Week **to take these diseases out of the shadow** by hosting events to raise awareness amongst the medical profession, parents, schools, day care centres, and nurses and encourage governments to take the necessary steps to ensure that every baby, child and adult is diagnosed early and receives the appropriate treatment to lead a normal life.

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