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Hepatoerythropoietic Porphyria

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A very rare form of porphyria cutanea tarda. It is characterized by deficiency of the enzyme uroporphyrinogen III. Signs and symptoms appear early in childhood and include extreme photosensitivity in the sun exposed areas of the skin with blistering and scar formation.