

Ichthyosis

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Supplementary Information

Supplementary Table 1 | Genes and proteins involved in ichthyosis pathogenesis

Gene	Name	Function
Structural proteins		
Keratins		
KRT1	Keratin 1	Contributes to the intermediate filament cell cytoskeleton in suprabasal epidermal cells ^{1,2}
KRT10	Keratin 10	Contributes to the intermediate filament cell cytoskeleton in suprabasal epidermal cells, less important in palmoplantar skin. ^{1,2}
KRT2	Keratin 2	Contributes to the intermediate filament cell cytoskeleton in the uppermost suprabasal epidermal cells ^{1,2}
Filaggrin		
ASPRV1	Aspartic Peptidase Retroviral Like 1	Protease involved in filaggrin processing, due to phenotype it probably targets additional proteins ³
CASP14	Caspase 14	Protease involved in filaggrin processing ⁴
FLG	Filaggrin	Protein that aggregates keratin intermediate filaments through promotion of disulfide-bond formation and liquid-liquid phase separation, is part of the cornified cell envelope and upon proteolysis contributes to the formation of the epidermal natural moisturizing factor ⁵
POMP	Proteasome Maturation Protein	Molecular chaperone responsible for promoting proteasome formation and thereby for the maturation of proteins critical for epidermal differentiation such as filaggrin ⁶
Cornified envelope		
LORICRIN	Loricrin Cornified Envelope Precursor Protein	Precursor protein of the CE ⁷
TGM5	Transglutaminase 5	Enzyme that crosslinks precursor proteins of and to the CE ⁸
Lipid metabolism		
Ceramides		
ABCA12	ATP Binding Cassette Subfamily A Member 12	Enzyme involved in ceramide loading to the lamellar bodies ⁹
ABHD5	Abhydrolase Domain Containing 5	Functions as an acyltransferase and as a coactivator of adipocyte triglyceride lipase ¹⁰
ALDH3A2	Aldehyde Dehydrogenase 3 Family Member A2	Enzyme involved in fatty acid synthesis, which some studies suggest are used as ceramide precursors ¹¹
ALOX12B	Arachidonate 12-Lipoxygenase	Enzyme involved in ceramide crosslinking to the CE to form the CLE ¹²
ALOXE3	Arachidonate Lipoxygenase 3	Enzyme involved in ceramide crosslinking to the CE to form the CLE ¹²
CERS3	Ceramide Synthase 3	Synthesizes ceramide from modified ULC-fatty acid and dihydrosphingosine ^{13–15}
CYP4F22	Cytochrome P450 Family 4 Subfamily F Member 22	ω-hydroxylation of ULC-fatty acids for acylceramide synthesis ^{16,17}
ELOVL1	ELOVL Fatty Acid Elongase 1	Fatty acid elongase involved in ULC-fatty acid synthesis, which are ceramide precursors ¹⁸

ELOVL4	ELOVL Fatty Acid Elongase 4	Fatty acid elongase involved in ULC-fatty acid synthesis, which are ceramide precursors ¹⁹
GBA1	Acid beta-glucocerebrosidase	Catalyzes the breakdown of the glycolipid glucosylceramide to ceramide and glucose ²⁰
KDSR	3-Ketodihydrosphingosine Reductase	Synthesizes ceramide precursor dihydrosphingosine from serine ²¹
LIPN	Lipase Family Member N	Unclear role in ceramide synthesis ²²
NIPAL4	NIPA Like Domain Containing 4	Unclear role in ceramide synthesis ^{23,24}
PEX7	Peroxisomal Biogenesis Factor 7	Plays an essential role in peroxisomal protein import (including phytanoyl-CoA hydroxylase) ²⁵
PHGDH	Phosphoglycerate Dehydrogenase	Enzyme involved in serine synthesis, which is used as a ceramide precursor ^{26–28}
PHYH	Phytanoyl-CoA 2-Hydroxylase	Enzyme involved in synthesis of peroxisomal fatty acids, which are used as ceramide precursors ^{29,30}
PNPLA1	Patatin Like Phospholipase Domain Containing 1	Catalyzes ω-O-esterification with linoleic acid to form acylceramides ^{31,32}
PSAT1	Phosphoserine Aminotransferase 1	Enzyme involved in serine synthesis, which is used as a ceramide precursor ^{26–28}
PSPH	Phosphoserine Phosphatase	Enzyme involved in serine synthesis, which is used as a ceramide precursor ^{26–28}
SDR9C7	Short Chain Dehydrogenase/Reductase Family 9C Member 7	Enzyme involved in ceramide crosslinking to the CE to form the CLE ³³
SLC27A4	Solute Carrier Family 27 Member 4	Adds coenzyme A (CoA) to ULC-fatty acids for ceramide synthesis ^{34,35}
TGM1	Transglutaminase 1	Enzyme with poorly understood functions in ceramide crosslinking to the CE to form the CLE ³⁶
UGCG	UDP-Glucose Ceramide Glucosyltransferase	Glycosylates acyl-ceramide ³⁷
Cholesterol		
EBP	EBP Cholestenol Delta-Isomerase	Enzyme involved in cholesterol synthesis ^{38,39}
MBTPS2	Membrane Bound Transcription Factor Peptidase, Site 2	Membrane metalloprotease involved in activation of transcription factors involved in cholesterol enzyme transcription ⁴⁰
NSDHL	NAD(P) Dependent Steroid Dehydrogenase-Like	Enzyme involved in cholesterol synthesis ^{38,39}
SREBF1	Sterol Regulatory Element Binding Transcription Factor 1	Transcription factor involved in cholesterol enzyme transcription ⁴¹
STS	Steroid Sulfatase	Synthesizes cholesterol from cholesterol sulfate ⁴²
SULT2B1	Sulfotransferase Family 2B Member 1	Responsible for cholesterol sulfation, which plays a major role in the regulation of epidermal differentiation ⁴³
SUMF1	Sulfatase Modifying Factor 1	Responsible for modifying various sulfatases ^{44,45}
Lamellar bodies		
SNAP29	Synaptosome Associated Protein 29	Mediates lamellar body fusion events ⁴⁶
VIPAS39	VPS33B Interacting Protein, Apical-Basolateral Polarity Regulator, Spe-39 Homolog	Mediates lamellar body fusion events ⁴⁷
VPS33B	VPS33B Late Endosome And Lysosome Associated	Mediates lamellar body fusion events ⁴⁸
Dolichol		

DOLK	Dolichol Kinase	Phosphates dolichol ⁴⁹
MPDU1	Mannose-P-Dolichol Utilization Defect 1	Adds mannose to dolichols as preparation for protein O-glycosylation and N-mannosylation ⁵⁰
PIGL	Phosphatidylinositol Glycan Anchor Biosynthesis Class L	Involved in GPI anchor synthesis ⁵¹
SRD5A3	Steroid 5 Alpha-Reductase 3	Involved in dolichol synthesis ⁵²
Intercellular junctions		
Tight junctions		
CLDN1	Claudin 1	Tight junction protein, controls paracellular permeability ⁵³
CLDN10	Claudin 10	Tight junction protein, controls paracellular permeability ⁵⁴
Gap junctions		
GJA1	Gap Junction Protein Alpha 1 (Connexin 43)	Gap junction protein, controls intercellular communication ⁵⁵
GJB2	Gap Junction Protein Beta 2 (Connexin 26)	Gap junction protein, controls intercellular communication ⁵⁶
GJB3	Gap Junction Protein Beta 3 (Connexin 31)	Gap junction protein, controls intercellular communication ⁵⁷
GJB4	Gap Junction Protein Beta 4 (Connexin 30.3)	Gap junction protein, controls intercellular communication ⁵⁸
GJB6	Gap Junction Protein Beta 6 (Connexin 30)	Gap junction protein, controls intercellular communication ⁵⁹
Desmosomes		
CDSN	Corneodesmosin	Component of corneodesmosomes in the SC, increases mechanical resistance ⁶⁰
DSG1	Desmoglein 1	Desmosome protein, ensures intercellular adhesion ^{61,62}
DSP	Desmoplakin	Desmosome protein, ensures intercellular adhesion ^{61,62}
FLG2	Filaggrin 2	Ensures cell-cell adhesion in the upper epidermal layers in a corneodesmosin-dependent fashion ⁶³
PERP	P53 Apoptosis Effector Related To PMP22	Promotes desmosome assembly ⁶⁴
Proteases and inhibitors		
SPINK5	Serine Peptidase Inhibitor Kazal Type 5	Serine protease inhibitor, prevents junction degradation ^{65,66}
CAST	Calpastatin	Cysteine protease inhibitor, prevents junction degradation ⁶⁷
CSTA	Cystatin A	Cysteine protease inhibitor, prevents junction degradation ⁶⁸
SERPINB8	Serpin Family B Member 8	Serine protease inhibitor, prevents junction degradation ⁶⁹
ST14	ST14 Transmembrane Serine Protease Matrilysin	Functions as an epithelial membrane activator for other proteases and plays a role in profilaggrin processing and hair follicle growth ⁷⁰
Transcription / translation		
AARS1	Alanyl-tRNA Synthetase 1	Alanyl-tRNA synthetase ⁷¹

ERCC2	ERCC Excision Repair 2, TFIIH Core Complex Helicase Subunit	Component of the TFIIH complex involved in nucleotide excision repair and type 2 gene transcription ⁷²
ERCC3	ERCC Excision Repair 3, TFIIH Core Complex Helicase Subunit	Component of the TFIIH complex involved in nucleotide excision repair and type 2 gene transcription ⁷³
GTF2E2	General Transcription Factor IIE Subunit 2	Component of the TFIIIE complex involved in type 2 gene transcription ⁷⁴
GTF2H5	General Transcription Factor IIH Subunit 5	Component of the TFIIH complex involved in nucleotide excision repair and type 2 gene transcription ⁷⁵
MARS1	Methionyl-TRNA Synthetase 1	Methionyl-tRNA synthetase ⁷¹
RNF113A	Ring Finger Protein 113A	Ring finger protein involved in pre-mRNA splicing ⁷⁶
TARS1	Threonyl-TRNA Synthetase 1	Threonyl-tRNA synthetase ⁷⁷
Miscellaneous		
AP1B1	Adaptor Related Protein Complex 1 Subunit Beta 1	Part of clathrin-coated vesicle adaptor complex ^{78,79}
AP1S1	Adaptor Related Protein Complex 1 Subunit Sigma 1	Part of clathrin-coated vesicle adaptor complex ^{78,79}
MPLKIP	M-Phase Specific PLK1 Interacting Protein	Interacts with cyclin dependent and polo kinases, maintains cell cycle integrity ⁸⁰
TRPM4	Transient Receptor Potential Cation Channel Subfamily M Member 4	Calcium activated-ion channel, associated with proliferation regulation ⁸¹

Supplementary Table 2 | Proposed classification of the non-syndromic ichthyoses

Group	Causal genes	Main characteristics
Common ichthyoses		High prevalence relative to the other ichthyoses
Ichthyosis vulgaris (IV, ORPHA: -)	<i>FLG</i> ⁵ (SD, MIM: 146700), <i>CASP14</i> ⁴ (AR, MIM: 617320), <i>ASPRV1</i> ³ (AD, MIM: 146750)	Characterized by a delayed onset (of up to six months) of light brown scaling of the skin that often spares the antecubital and popliteal regions, as well as the face ⁸² . Scaling on the legs is most prominent and hyperlinear palms are characteristic. While <i>FLG</i> is the most-commonly affected gene, other forms of ichthyosis that affect filaggrin expression are autosomal recessive in inheritance and rare, but mechanistically should be considered with IV. <i>CASP14</i> (MIM: 617320) leads to fine white scales and no collodion membrane at birth ⁴ . <i>ASPRV1</i> (MIM: 146750), causes ichthyosis that resembles lamellar ichthyosis (see below), but has hyperlinear palms and no collodion membrane at birth ³ .
Recessive X-linked ichthyosis (RXLI, ORPHA: 461)	<i>STS</i> ⁴² (XR, MIM: 308100)	Presents with firmly-attached dark brown or grey polygonal scales that usually spare the antecubital and popliteal regions, as well as the face, soles and palms ^{82,83} . The scalp and neck are often most severely affected. It affects mostly males, with female carriers showing no clinical phenotype because <i>STS</i> localizes to a region of the X-chromosome that escapes X-inactivation ^{82,83} .
Autosomal recessive congenital ichthyosis (ARCI, ORPHA: 281097)		This heterogeneous subgroup often presents at birth ⁸⁴ as a collodion baby, characterized by encasement in a shiny membrane that peels off within a few weeks after birth ⁸³ and transitions to a more specific ichthyotic phenotype within the subsequent 3-6 months. In most cases, the defective gene products are involved in ceramide metabolism.
Lamellar ichthyosis (LI, ORPHA: 313)	<i>ABCA12</i> ⁹ (AR, MIM: 601277), <i>ALOX12B</i> ⁸⁵ (AR, MIM: 242100), <i>ALOXE3</i> ⁸⁶ (AR, MIM: 606545), <i>CYP4F22</i> ¹⁶ (AR, MIM: 604777), <i>LIPN</i> ²² (AR, MIM: 613943), <i>NIPAL4</i> ²³ (AR, MIM: 612281), <i>SDR9C7</i> ³³ (AR, MIM: 617574), <i>SULT2B1</i> ⁴³ (AR, MIM: 617571), <i>TGM1</i> ³⁶ (AR, MIM: 242300)	Classically present with large polygonal scales with coloration ranging from light brown in fair-skinned patients to dark brown in those with skin of color and involvement of the joint flexures ⁸⁴ .
Congenital ichthyosiform erythroderma (CIE, ORPHA: 79394)	<i>ABCA12</i> ⁸⁷ (AR, MIM: 601277), <i>ALOX12B</i> ¹² (AR, MIM: 242100), <i>ALOXE3</i> ¹² (AR, MIM: 606545), <i>CERS3</i> ¹⁵ (AR, MIM: 615023), <i>CYP4F22</i> ⁸⁸ (AR, MIM: 604777), <i>NIPAL4</i> ²³ (AR, MIM: 612281), <i>PNPLA1</i> ³¹ (AR, MIM: 615024), <i>TGM1</i> ⁸⁹ (AR, MIM: 242300)	Patients may be born with a less-severe collodion membrane before transitioning to generalized fine white scaling with pronounced erythroderma (red, inflamed skin) and involvement of the joint flexures ⁸⁴ . While homozygosity mapping identified an additional causative locus at 12p11.2-q13.1 (MIM: 615022) ⁹⁰ , it has later been revealed that <i>SDR9C7</i> and <i>ALOX12B</i> were the genes responsible for those cases ⁹¹ .
Harlequin ichthyosis (HI, ORPHA: 457)	<i>ABCA12</i> ⁹² (AR, MIM: 242500)	The most severe form of ARCI. Babies are born with thickened, rigid skin that impairs movement sucking and breathing and present with deep cutaneous fissures (that can resemble the diamond-shaped patterns of a harlequin costume) ⁸³ . They usually display ectropion and eclabium (exposure of the eyelid and lip inner surfaces) and those patients who survive the first weeks of life develop a severe form of CIE ⁸³ .
Self-healing collodion baby (SHCB, ORPHA: 281122)	<i>ALOX12B</i> ⁹³ (AR, MIM: 242100), <i>ALOXE3</i> ⁹⁴ (AR, MIM: 606545), <i>CYP4F22</i> ⁹⁵ (AR, MIM: 604777), <i>TGM1</i> ⁹⁶ (AR, MIM: 242300)	Also known as self-improving congenital ichthyosis, it is a rare variant in which patients are born with a collodion membrane that peels spontaneously leaving very mild or no scaling ⁸² . While the mechanism remains unclear, it is possible that this unusual presentation reflects the sensitivity of the gene products to hydrostatic and ambient atmospheric pressure ⁹⁶ .

Acral self-healing collodion baby (ASHCB, ORPHA: 281127)	<i>TGM1</i> ⁹⁷ (AR, MIM: 242300)	A very rare variant similar to the SHCB, but the collodion membrane affects only the extremities ⁸⁴
Bathing suit ichthyosis (BSI, ORPHA: 100976)	<i>TGM1</i> ⁹⁸ (AR, MIM: 242300)	Another variant of LI in which patients are born with a collodion membrane that recedes spontaneously on the face and extremities, but persists on the trunk and scalp ⁸² because of temperature-sensitive pathogenic variants that affect warmer body areas.
Keratinopathic ichthyoses (KPI, ORPHA: 281103)		
Autosomal dominant epidermolytic ichthyosis (EI, ORPHA: 312)	<i>KRT1</i> ¹ (AD, MIM: 113800), <i>KRT10</i> ¹ (AD, MIM: 113800)	Also known as epidermolytic ichthyosis. Affected individuals often have blistering at birth, which may be confused with epidermolysis bullosa, but with time develop epidermal thickening and scaling, accentuated in joint areas. The intensity of erythroderma is variable, but can be severe ¹ . Given that keratin 1 is a key protein in palmar and plantar skin, whereas keratin 10 is substituted with keratin 9 in these regions, variants in <i>KRT1</i> often manifest with particularly severe palmoplantar keratoderma (which is usually mild in those with <i>KRT10</i> mutations) ¹
Autosomal recessive epidermolytic ichthyosis (AREI, ORPHA: 512103)	<i>KRT10</i> ⁹⁹ (AR, MIM: 113800)	Shows similar symptoms to EI ⁹⁹ .
Superficial epidermolytic ichthyosis (SEI, ORPHA: 455)	<i>KRT2</i> ² (AD, MIM: 146800)	Formerly called ichthyosis bullosa of Siemens, it has a milder phenotype than EI, without erythroderma at birth. It is characterized by areas of skin peeling, prominent involvement of the flexures and patches of normal skin (called the molting or mauserung phenomenon) ⁸⁴ .
Annular epidermolytic ichthyosis (AEI, ORPHA: 281139)	<i>KRT1</i> ¹⁰⁰ (AD, MIM: 607602), <i>KRT10</i> ¹⁰¹ (AD, MIM: 607602)	Characterized by erythroderma and skin blistering at birth, similar to EI, which then give way to patches of annular erythema and skin thickening that cyclically flare to affect most of the body surface before receding ¹⁰⁰ .
Ichthyosis Curth-Macklin (ICM, ORPHA: 79503)	<i>KRT1</i> ¹⁰² (AD, MIM: 146590)	Also known as ichthyosis hystrix of Curth-Macklin, it is characterized by mutilating palmoplantar thickening of the skin leading to auto-amputation (pseudoainhum), accompanied by a histology of spiky hyperkeratosis with bi-nucleated keratinocytes ¹⁰² .
Epidermolytic nevus (EN, ORPHA: 497737)	<i>KRT1</i> ¹⁰³ (M, MIM: -), <i>KRT10</i> ¹⁰⁴ (M, MIM: -), <i>KRT2</i> ¹⁰⁵ (M, MIM: -)	Although they do not blister, epidermal nevi with epidermolytic hyperkeratosis manifest as hyperpigmented keratotic epidermal papules that track curvilinearly along the Blaschko lines with the same epidermolytic histological pattern of EI ^{82,84} . While epidermal nevi can form a single streak or many, they do not involve most of the integument, thus not fulfilling that criterion for ichthyosis; nonetheless individuals with multiple nevi are more likely to have both somatic and gonadal mosaic involvement and are thus at risk for an offspring with generalized EI ¹⁰⁴
Ichthyosis with confetti (IWC, ORPHA: 281190)	<i>KRT1</i> ¹⁰⁶ (AD, MIM: 609165), <i>KRT10</i> ¹⁰⁷ (AD, MIM: 609165)	Sometimes called congenital reticular ichthyosiform erythroderma or ichthyosis variegata, it is characterized by erythroderma and skin thickening, with the appearance of spots of healthy skin that increase in number and size with age ¹⁰⁶ . This “confetti” patches of normal skin result from loss of heterozygosity of the disease-causing allele by mitotic recombination ¹⁰⁶ . IWC is often mistaken for CIE until the mosaic patches appear.
Others		
Peeling skin syndromes (PSS, ORPHA: 817)		Characterized by desquamation of the upper layer of the epidermis ⁶³ . They are further subdivided depending on the affected areas
Generalized peeling skin syndrome (generalized PSS, ORPHA: 263543)	<i>CDSN</i> ⁶⁰ (AR, MIM: 270300), <i>FLG</i> ⁶³ (AR, MIM: 618084)	Peeling involves the entire surface of the skin ⁶³ and includes two subtypes: subtype A (non-inflammatory, ORPHA: 263548), caused by <i>FLG2</i> subtype B (inflammatory, ORPHA: 263553), caused by <i>CDSN</i>

Acral peeling skin syndrome (acral PSS, ORPHA: 263534)	<i>CSTA</i> ¹⁰⁸ (AR, MIM: 607936), <i>TGM5</i> ⁸ (AR, MIM: 609796)	The shedding affects primarily the plantar and dorsal surfaces of the hands and feet ⁶³ .
Exfoliative ichthyosis (ORPHA: 289586)	<i>CSTA</i> ⁶⁸ (AR, MIM: 607936), <i>SERPINB8</i> ⁶⁹ (AR, MIM: 617115)	Characterized by shedding of the skin and generalized dry, scaling skin ⁶⁸ . It is not typically classified as a PSS, but exfoliative ichthyosis shares signs and underlying molecular basis with acral PSS ⁶⁸ .
Peeling skin-leukonychia-acral punctate keratoses-cheilitis-knuckle pads syndrome (PLACK, ORPHA: 44138)	<i>CAST</i> ⁶⁷ (AR, MIM: 616295)	Characterized by generalized peeling skin with leukonychia (white discoloration of nails), acral punctate keratoses (keratotic patches on the extremities), cheilitis, and knuckle pads.
Others		
Loricrin keratoderma (LK, ORPHA: 79395)	<i>LORICRIN</i> ⁷ (AD, MIM: 604117)	Also known as keratoderma hereditarium mutilans with ichthyosis, Camisa disease, or Vohwinkel syndrome with ichthyosis. It is characterized by generalized ichthyosis with honeycomb palmoplantar hyperkeratosis and often constricting bands around the fifth fingers ⁷
Erythrokeratoderma variabilis et progressiva (EKVP, ORPHA: 308166)	<i>GJA1</i> ⁵⁵ (AD, MIM: 617525), <i>GJB3</i> ⁵⁷ (AD or AR, MIM: 133200), <i>GJB4</i> ⁵⁸ (AD, MIM: 617524), <i>KDSR</i> ²¹ (AR, MIM: 617526), <i>PERP</i> ⁶⁴ (AR, MIM: 619209), <i>TRPM4</i> ⁸¹ (AD, MIM: 618531)	An umbrella term that includes patients with similar clinical findings: migratory erythema and hyperkeratotic lesions, which change size over time ¹⁰⁹ (sometimes called erythrokeratoderma variabilis (EKV)) and/or fixed brown-red hyperkeratotic plaques ⁵⁸ (sometimes called progressive symmetric erythrokeratoderma (PSEK)). Individuals and families may show both fixed and migratory plaques caused by mutations in different genes, some of which encode proteins with no apparent functional relationship. EKVP features have also been described in occasional patients with <i>NIPAL4</i> ¹¹⁰ or <i>ABCA12</i> ¹¹¹ mutations
Keratosis linearis-ichthyosis congenita-sclerosing keratoderma syndrome (KLICK, ORPHA: 281201)	<i>POMP</i> ⁶ (AR, MIM: 601952)	Characterized by congenital ichthyosis, discrete papules on the flexural aspects of large joints, palmoplantar keratoderma, constricting bands around the fingers, and flexural deformities ⁶ .

ORPHA, disease code in the ORPHANET database; MIM, phenotype code in the OMIM database; AD, autosomal dominant inheritance; SD, autosomal semi-dominant inheritance; AR, autosomal recessive inheritance; XR, X-linked recessive inheritance; M, mosaicism.

Supplementary Table 3 | Proposed classification of the syndromic ichthyoses

Disease	Causal genes	Main characteristics
X-linked ichthyosis syndromes (ORPHA: 281210)		
Syndromic recessive X-linked ichthyosis (Syndromic RXLI, ORPHA: 281090)	<i>STS</i> ¹¹² (HD, MIM: 308100) + contiguous genes	Results from X-chromosomal deletions that include <i>STS</i> , which is responsible for the ichthyotic phenotype, and contiguous genes ¹¹² . Clinical manifestations will depend on the spectrum of genes deleted along with <i>STS</i> ¹¹² , but often includes anosmia and delayed development (Kallman syndrome). Xp22.3 microdeletion syndrome (ORPHA: 1643) is another manifestation of syndromic RXLI, since it includes the <i>STS</i> locus ¹¹³ with other manifestations.
Ichthyosis follicularis-alopecia-photophobia syndrome (IFAP, ORPHA: 2273)	<i>MBTPS2</i> ⁴⁰ (XR, MIM: 308205), <i>SREBF1</i> ⁴¹ (AD, MIM: 619016)	Characterized by generalized skin thickening and erythema, with follicular-based accentuation, palmoplantar keratoderma, usually total baldness (alopecia) and light sensitivity (photophobia) ⁴⁰ . It is caused by variants in <i>MBTPS2</i> . A phenotypically similar autosomal dominant disorder was shown to be caused by variants in <i>SREBF1</i> .
Chondrodysplasia punctata type 2 (CDPX2, ORPHA: 35173)	<i>EBP</i> ³⁹ (XD, MIM: 302960)	Also known as chondrodystrophia calcificans congenita, X-linked dominant chondrodysplasia punctata, or Conradi-Hünemann-Happle syndrome. It is characterized by male lethality, ichthyotic changes along the Blaschko lines and in fold areas (ptychotropism), skeletal abnormalities with short stature and shortening of the limbs (chondrodysplasia punctata), and cataracts ³⁹ .
Male EBP disorder with neurological defects (MEND, ORPHA:) 401973	<i>EBP</i> ¹¹⁴ (XR, MIM: 300960)	Characterized by ichthyosis, neurological symptoms (delayed development and seizures), and craniofacial dysmorphism, with possible involvement of other organs ¹¹⁴ .
Congenital hemidysplasia with ichthyosiform nevus and limb defects (CHILD, ORPHA: 139)	<i>NSDHL</i> ³⁸ (XD, MIM: 308050)	Characterized by a largely ipsilateral (affecting strictly half of the body along the sagittal plane) nevus with hypoplasia of the skeletal structures (shortness or absence of limbs) and, in some patients, brain and viscera (lungs, heart, and kidneys) ³⁸ .
Autosomal ichthyosis syndromes (with)		
Prominent hair abnormalities (ORPHA: 281222)		
Netherton syndrome (NS, ORPHA: 634)	<i>SPINK5</i> ⁶⁵ (AR, MIM: 256500)	Also known as bamboo hair syndrome, or Comèl-Netherton syndrome. It is characterized by congenital erythroderma and scaling, with frequent prematurity and hypernatremic dehydration in the neonatal period ⁶⁵ . With advancing age, affected individuals may have a persistent erythroderma, but often have more localized disease with a typical pattern of scaling called ichthyosis linearis circumflexa, in which lesions are surround be a wall of scaling ⁶⁵ . Most affected individuals have distinct hair shaft defects (trichorrhexis invaginate or bamboo hair), which leads to easy breakage. Patients have a tendency towards atopic disorders (atopic diathesis) ⁶⁵ and verrucous lesions.
Severe dermatitis-multiple allergies-metabolic wasting syndrome (SAM, ORPHA: 369992)	<i>DSG1</i> ⁶¹ (AR, MIM: 615508), <i>DSP</i> ⁶² (AD, MIM: -)	Also known as congenital erythroderma-hypotrichosis-recurrent infections-multiple food allergies syndrome, features erythroderma with superficial desquamation and skin thickening and hypotrichosis, accompanied by recurrent infections and multiple food allergies, leading to a failure to thrive and developmental delay ⁶¹ .
Ichthyosis-hypotrichosis syndrome (IHS, ORPHA: 91132)	<i>ST14</i> ⁷⁰ (AR, MIM: 602400)	Also known as ichthyosis - follicular atrophoderma - hypotrichosis - hypohidrosis syndrome. It is characterized by diffuse congenital ichthyosis, follicular atrophoderma, sparse hair (hypotrichosis) and hypohidrosis ⁷⁰ .
Ichthyosis, leukocyte vacuoles, alopecia, and sclerosing cholangitis; (ILVASC, ORPHA: 59303)	<i>CLDN1</i> ⁵³ (AR, MIM: 607626)	Also known as neonatal ichthyosis-sclerosing cholangitis syndrome. It is associated with ichthyosis, scalp hypotrichosis, scarring alopecia, dental anomalies, ichthyosis, and inflammation of the bile ducts ⁵³ .
Trichothiodystrophy (TTD, ORPHA: 33364)	<i>AARS1</i> ⁷¹ (AR, MIM: 619691), <i>ERCC2</i> ⁷² (AR, MIM: 601675), <i>ERCC3</i> ⁷³ (AR, MIM: 616390),	Characterized by sulfur deficiency leading to ichthyosis and brittle hair and nails ⁷¹ . Some forms of this disease are photosensitive, with progressive neuropathy and accelerated aging, associated with defects in DNA repair ⁷¹ . This subgroup is caused by variants in <i>ERCC2</i> , <i>ERCC3</i> , and <i>GTF2H5</i> .

	<i>GTF2E</i> ⁷⁴ (AR, MIM: 616943), <i>GTF2H</i> ⁷⁵ (AR, MIM: 616395), <i>MAARS1</i> ⁷¹ (AR, MIM: 619692), <i>MPLKIP</i> ⁸⁰ (AR, MIM: 234050), <i>RNF113A</i> ⁷⁶ (XR, MIM: 300953), <i>TARS1</i> ⁷⁷ (AR, MIM: 618546)	In contrast, the non-photosensitive forms are caused by variants in <i>AARS1</i> , <i>GTF2E2</i> , <i>MARS1</i> , <i>MPLKIP</i> , <i>RNF113A</i> , and <i>TARS1</i> .
Prominent neurologic signs (ORPHA: 281238 and ORPHA: 281241)		
Sjögren-Larsson syndrome (SLS, ORPHA: 816)	<i>ALDH3A2</i> ¹¹ (AR, MIM: 270200)	Also known as fatty acid alcohol oxidoreductase deficiency. It is characterized by intellectual disability, spasticity and skin thickening ¹¹ .
Refsum disease (ORPHA: 773)	<i>PEX</i> ⁷²⁵ (AR, MIM: 308100), <i>PHYH</i> ^{29,30} (AR, MIM: 266500)	Also known as hereditary motor and sensory neuropathy type 4, hereditary ataxia polyneuritis, or phytanic-CoA hydroxylase deficiency. It is characterized by progressive loss of retinal function (retinitis pigmentosa), peripheral neuropathy, lack of sense of smell (anosmia), lack of movement coordination (cerebellar ataxia) and ichthyosis ²⁵ .
Cerebral dysgenesis-neuropathy-ichthyosis-palmoplantar keratoderma syndrome (CEDNIK, ORPHA: 66631)	<i>SNAP29</i> ⁴⁶ (AR, MIM: 609528)	Typically leads to early death from aspiration pneumonia ⁴⁶ .
Mental disability-enteropathy-deafness-peripheral neuropathy-ichthyosis-keratoderma syndrome (MEDNIK, ORPHA: 171851)	<i>AP1S1</i> ⁷⁸ (AR, MIM: 609313), <i>AP1B1</i> ⁷⁹ (AR, MIM: 242150)	Caused by recessive pathogenic variants in <i>AP1S1</i> . A phenotypically similar, MEDNIK-like syndrome, also known as keratitis-ichthyosis-deafness- autosomal recessive syndrome (KIDAR, ORPHA: -), was shown to be caused by recessive variants in <i>AP1B1</i> .
Ichthyotic keratoderma-spastic paraplegia-hypomyelination-dysmorphic facies (ORPHA: -)	<i>ELOVL1</i> ¹⁸ (AD, MIM: 618527)	Ichthyotic keratoderma, spastic paraplegia - hypomyelination - dysmorphic facies
Congenital ichthyosis-intellectual disability-spastic quadriplegia syndrome (ORPHA: 352333)	<i>ELOVL4</i> ¹⁹ (AR, MIM: 614457)	Also known as ELOVL4-related neuro-ichthyosis, this disease also features seizures.
Arthrogryposis-renal dysfunction-cholestasis syndrome (ARC, ORPHA: 2697)	<i>VIPAS39</i> ⁴⁷ (AR, MIM: 613404), <i>VPS33B</i> ⁴⁸ (AR, MIM: 208085)	Characterized by neurogenic arthrogryposis, renal tubular dysfunction, bile production defects (cholestasis), ichthyosis and death within the first year of life ⁴⁸ . This disease is allelic to autosomal recessive-keratoderma-ichthyosis-deafness (ARKID, ORPHA: -), also caused by recessive pathogenic variants in <i>VPS33B</i> ¹¹⁵ .
Fetal Gaucher disease (FGD, ORPHA: 85212)	<i>GBA1</i> ²⁰ (AR, MIM: 608013)	Also called type II or perinatal lethal Gaucher disease. It is characterized by decreased fetal movement, joint contractures (arthrogryposis), facial dysmorphism, sometimes thrombocytopenia, ichthyosis and death <i>in utero</i> or shortly after birth ²⁰ . These neonates and infants experience progressive neurologic deterioration.
Multiple sulfatase deficiency (MSD, ORPHA: 585)	<i>SUMF1</i> ⁴⁴ (AR, MIM: 272200)	Also known as Austin type juvenile sulfatidosis. It is characterized by ichthyosis that resembles RXLI, developmental delay, the neurological and skeletal abnormalities of storage disorders, and early death due to respiratory complications ¹¹⁶ .
Neu-Laxova syndrome (NLS, ORPHA: 2671)	<i>PHGDH</i> ²⁷ (AR, MIM: 256520), <i>PSAT1</i> ²⁸ (AR, MIM: 616038), <i>PSPH</i> ²⁶ (AR, MIM: -)	Characterized by collodion membrane, severe malformations, microcephaly, and intra uterine growth retardation that lead to death <i>in utero</i> or shortly after birth ²⁶ .
Disorders of glycosylation		
Deficiency of UDP-glucose ceramide glycosyltransferase (ORPHA: -)	<i>UGCG</i> ³⁷ (AR, MIM: -)	Manifests as a collodion baby with congenital joint contractures ³⁷ . This newly described condition has largely been lethal during the first months of life, but would be expected to cause severe neurologic effects ³⁷
Congenital disorder of glycosylation type 1F (CDG-1F, ORPHA: 79323)	<i>MPDU1</i> ⁵⁰ (AR, MIM: 609180)	Characterized by excess muscle tone (hypertonia), psychomotor retardation and ichthyosis ⁵⁰ .

Congenital disorder of glycosylation type 1M (CDG-1M, ORPHA: 91131)	<i>DOLK</i> ⁴⁹ (AR, MIM: 610768)	Also known as dolichol kinase deficiency or hypotonia and ichthyosis due to dolichol phosphate deficiency. It is characterized by reduced muscle strength (hypotonia), inflammation, frequent cardiomyopathy, and ichthyosis ⁴⁹ .
Congenital disorder of glycosylation type 1Q (CDG-1Q, ORPHA: 324737)	<i>SRD5A3</i> ⁵² (AR, MIM: 612379)	Features ocular colobomas, brain malformations leading to mental retardation, hyperplasia of the pituitary gland, and ichthyosis ⁵² .
Coloboma, congenital heart disease, ichthyosiform dermatosis, mental retardation, and ear anomalies syndrome (CHIME, ORPHA: 3474)	<i>PIGL</i> ⁵¹ (AR, MIM: 280000)	Coloboma, congenital heart disease, ichthyosiform dermatosis, mental retardation, and ear anomalies ⁵¹
Other associated signs (ORPHA: 281244)		
Keratitis-ichthyosis-deafness syndrome (KID, ORPHA: 477)	<i>GJB2</i> (AD ⁵⁶ or M ¹¹⁷ , MIM: 148210), <i>GJB6</i> ⁵⁹ (AD, MIM: -), <i>AP1B1</i> ¹¹⁸ (AR, MIM: 242150)	Also known as Ichthyosis hystrix Rheydt type or Senter syndrome. It is characterized by corneal inflammation (keratitis), spiky hyperkeratosis with palmoplantar keratoderma, and hearing loss ⁵⁹ . Gene mosaicism for <i>GJB2</i> has been associated with keratotic lesions in a blaschkoid distribution and, if more extensive, can be passed to an offspring as KID syndrome ¹¹⁷ .
Neutral lipid storage disease with ichthyosis (NLSDI, ORPHA: 98907)	<i>ABHD5</i> ¹⁰ (AR, MIM: 275630)	Also known as Chanarin-Dorfman disease. It is characterized by ichthyosis with an ARCI phenotype, enlarged liver and spleen (hepatosplenomegaly), muscle weakness (myopathy), hearing loss and cataracts ¹⁰ . Histologically, patients show lipid vacuole accumulation in most tissues ¹⁰ .
Ichthyosis-prematurity syndrome (IPS, ORPHA: 88621)	<i>SLC27A4</i> ³⁴ (AR, MIM: 608649)	Characterized by premature birth, neonatal asphyxia, and cobblestone-like plaques of ichthyosis with extensive desquamative scaling that can resemble vernix ³⁴ and tends to improve drastically during the neonatal period to near-normal skin.
Erythrokeratoderma-cardiomyopathy syndrome (EKC, ORPHA: 476096)	<i>DSP</i> (AD ¹¹⁹ or AR ¹²⁰ , MIM: 605676)	Characterized by early failure to thrive, wooly hair, erythema with fine scaling, and dilated cardiomyopathy ¹²⁰ .
Hypohidrosis-electrolyte imbalance-lacrimal gland dysfunction-ichthyosis-xerostomia syndrome (HELIX, ORPHA: 528105)	<i>CLDN10</i> ⁵⁴ (AR, MIM: 617671)	Characterized by hypohidrosis, renal loss of Na ⁺ and Cl ⁻ ions leading to electrolyte imbalance, dry eyes (xerophthalmia), and mouth (xerostomia) and ichthyosis ⁵⁴ .
Ichthyosis-short stature-brachydactyly-microspherophakia syndrome (ORPHA: 363992)	<i>CERS3</i> ¹⁵ + <i>ADAMTS17</i> ¹⁵ (HD, MIM: -)	Also known as 15q26.3 microdeletion syndrome. It is characterized by short stature, short fingers (brachydactyly), lens abnormalities (microspherophakia) and myopia, all hallmarks of Weill-Marchesani syndrome (associated with <i>ADAMTS17</i>), as well as ichthyosis with CIE phenotype (associated with <i>CERS3</i>) ¹⁵ .
Palmoplantar and perianal keratoderma/harlequin ichthyosis-like ichthyosis with thrombocytopenia (ORPHA: -)	<i>KDSR</i> ¹²¹ (MIM: -)	Patients presented thrombocytopenia with, either, hyperkeratosis confined to palms, soles, and anogenital skin or harlequin ichthyosis-like cutaneous symptoms.

ORPHA, disease code in the ORPHANET database; MIM, phenotype code in the OMIM database; AD, autosomal dominant inheritance; AR, autosomal recessive inheritance; XD, X-linked dominant inheritance; XR, X-linked recessive inheritance; HD, homozygous deletion; M, mosaicism.

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