

Breakout Group Report What are the main knowledge gaps in the clinical understanding of pre/prohaptens and how would they be addressed?

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Knowledge gaps - prehaptens



- Elicitation threshold of pure hydroperoxides tested in a ROAT with increasing concentrations over time, including analytical monitoring of their concentration in samples and on skin.
- Currently a gap in identified exposure sources to the hydroperoxides at a toxicological relevant concentration. Continue analytical investigation including toilettries and massage oils.
- If we don't find exposure sources, then investigate alternative explanations for high frequencies, including oxidation events.

Knowledge gaps - prohaptens



- Do we know we can identify prohaptens in patch testing?
- Focus should be on in vitro work to better understand metabolism in human skin:
 - To better identify prohaptens
 - To improve detection methods



Thank you for your attention

