



**TIF's 16th International
Conference on Thalassaemia
and Other Haemoglobinopathies &
TIF's 18th International Conference for
Patients and Parents**

**3 - 5 November, 2023
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia**

Organised by:



**THALASSAEMIA
INTERNATIONAL
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Collaborators:



**Federation of
Malaysia Thalassaemia
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**Malaysian
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**Malaysian Association
of Paediatric Haematology
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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

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Date 3 - 5 November, 2023

Venue Grand Hyatt Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Format In-person event only

Organisers Thalassaemia International Federation (TIF), Federation of Malaysia Thalassemia Societies (PPTM), Malaysian Society of Haematology (MSH), Malaysian Association of Paediatric Haematology & Oncology (MASPHO)

Official Collaborator Malaysia Ministry of Health

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Conference will feature two parallel programmes – a Scientific Programme for Healthcare Professionals and another for Patients/Parents. The Scientific Programme will cover a broad range of topics concerning **OPTIMAL MULTIDISCIPLINARY CARE, NEW RESEARCH ADVANCES FOR INNOVATIVE THERAPIES** and **CURE**, and **EMERGING CONCERNS** for thalassaemia, sickle cell disease, and other rare anaemias, seeking to improve patient health outcomes and quality of life. The Patients Programme will seek to **EMPOWER, EDUCATE** and **INFORM** patients and their families, advocates and leaders of national thalassaemia associations from over 60 countries on issues of crucial importance through a capacity building programme that will enable meaningful and productive patient participation and advocacy at all levels of decision-making bodies and processes with competent representation.

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

- Cutting edge research in thalassemia syndromes
- Scientific Session on α -thalassaemia
- Educational overviews of the optimal care of Thalassaemia & Sickle Cell Disease
- Policy Symposium: Addressing Health Inequities and Unmet Patient Needs
- Emerging concerns in the multi-disciplinary care of β -thalassaemia
- New Advances in the Care and Cure of Inherited Haemolytic and Rare Anaemias
- Capacity Building Track for Patient Organisations
- Gene and cell-based therapies for haemoglobin disorders and rare anaemias

Who should attend:

- ✓ Patients and Patient/Parent Organisations
- ✓ Healthcare professionals/ medical specialists
- ✓ Academics / researchers
- ✓ Policy-makers at national, regional and international level
- ✓ Industry

Early Bird Registration available from **25 May 2023** at www.tif2023.org

Special rates apply for local participants

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