



Dystrophic Epidermolysis Bullosa Research
Association of America

Best Holiday Wishes and Happy New Year's from the **debra** of America Family to Yours!

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**BECAUSE THE COST OF DOING NOTHING
IS TOO GREAT**



Dear Friend,

We are truly grateful for your continued support of **debra** of America's mission – to improve the quality of life for all people living with EB, their families, and caregivers through programs and services, while funding research to find a cure and treatments for Epidermolysis Bullosa (EB) — [The Worst Disease You've Never Heard Of.™](#)

With 2013 coming to a close, **we hope you will consider making a fully tax-deductible contribution to **debra** of America.** This will enable us to continue to provide programs and services like our [EB Nurse Educator](#), [Wound Care Clearinghouse](#), [Family Crisis Fund](#), [Patient Care Conference](#), and more to EB families throughout the United States.

Until there is a cure, [we still need your help](#) — *because the cost of doing nothing is too great!*

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JOIN 'TEAM DEBRA' AND RACE FOR

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A CURE!



debra of America is a proud charity sponsor of several elite national running events. Join 'TEAM DEBRA' as a runner or volunteer at one of the exciting races to help us raise money and awareness for EB. Limited entries are available for the NYC Full and Half Marathon. Email events@debra.org for more information.

INTERNATIONAL RARE DISEASE DAY



February 28, 2014 marks the [7th International Rare Disease Day](#) coordinated by EURORDIS and organized with rare disease national alliances in 24 European countries. [Click here to learn more.](#)

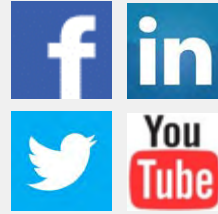
Please help us spread EB Awareness on this day by [organizing a Local Event](#) in your community. It's easy and fun for the whole family!

DEBRA'S ANNUAL BENEFIT EVENTS



This year's **15th Annual debra of America Benefit** presented by *Mölnlycke Health Care* kicked off National Epidermolysis Bullosa Awareness Week on October 24, 2013 at The Museum of Modern Art in New York City. Over 300 guests attended to support our mission and celebrate our distinguished honorees, Mats and Sonya Wilander. The event included a presentation of Partners in Progress Awards, and a very special moment as debra brought nine families on stage that have adopted EB children to recognize their inspiring strength and courage. [Click here for the event recap.](#)

[Click here](#) to download debra's logos and banners.



Upcoming Events

- ◆ [DebRA Hosted Events](#)
- ◆ [Local Events](#)
- ◆ [Personal Fundraising Pages](#)

EB News Story on FoxNews.com



['Butterfly children': The tragic condition that makes kids' skin blister, fall off](#)

[Click here](#) for more National News about Epidermolysis Bullosa.

Upcoming Races

- ◆ Sunday, March 16, 2014 (New York City)
[2014 NYC Half Marathon](#)
- ◆ May 3 & 4, 2014 (Cincinnati, Ohio)
[16th Annual Flying Pig Marathon](#)
- ◆ November 2014 (New York City)
[2014 NYC Marathon](#)

Clinical Trial



Thank you to everyone who participated in the successful launch of **The Inaugural MW Foundation Tennis Pro-Am** presented by *Mölnlycke Health Care* on August 28, 2013. The event raised over \$50,000 to support **debra** of America's mission. [Click here for the event recap.](#)

For details on next year's Tennis Pro-Am in August, 2014 or Annual Benefit in October, 2014 please email events@debra.org

Update

Scioderm's upcoming [Phase IIB Study of SD-101 for Epidermolysis Bullosa](#) has released the study locations. [Click here for the full list.](#)

Congratulations to Our Partners in Progress!

debra has named [Fibrocell Science](#), [Scioderm](#), and [Shire](#) our 2013 Partners in Progress for their work in developing treatments for those with EB.

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