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Short Biography

Fanny Morice-Picard (Rouen, France, 1976) started her medical studies in Rouen. She moved to Bordeaux as a resident where she was trained in medical genetics and dermatology. She did a Master in Molecular Genetics in Paris (Hôpital Necker-INSERM U393) in 2003-2004. She graduated in Medical Genetics (University of Bordeaux, 2007) and obtained her PhD in Biological Sciences “Molecular Genetics” (University of Bordeaux, 2013). She spent 2 years as Senior Registrar followed by 2 years as University hospital lecturer in Medical genetics unit and shared her time between clinical activity, molecular diagnostic and research.

FMP started working in Dermatology department as hospital practitioner and is involved in the activity of the Reference Centre for Rare Skin Disorders, CHU de Bordeaux founded by Pr Alain Taïeb in 2005.

Research Interests

FMP's main professional activities include management and care of patients with rare inherited skin disorders and research on physiopathology and genetics causes of skin diseases.

As a clinician she is involved in the development of multidisciplinary approach of rare skin disorders including albinism. The Albino day was the first multidisciplinary care on albinism developed in France. The activity of the Reference Center for Rare skin disorders requires an involvement in different projects regarding rare skin disorders: participation in clinical trials, epidemiological studies and development of programmes of therapeutic education.

She is involved in different projects on DNA repair disorders and pigmentary disorders. She collaborates with the molecular genetic diagnostic laboratories and took part in the design of sequencing panels dedicated to genodermatoses including albinism, genetic disorders of pigmentation, hypotrichoses, DNA repairs disorders and palmoplantar keratoderma. She has co-authored over 50 scientific publications and chapters in Books.