

A charity supporting Australians impacted by, or living with genetic, heritable and / or rare connective tissue disorders. **HCTD includes** but is not limited to; Ehlers-Danlos syndromes Marfan syndrome, Loeys-Dietz syndrome and Stickler syndrome.

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WHY?

Prior to CTDNA being incorporated in January 2024 there was no united voice representing the population of people in Australia living with, caring for, or otherwise impacted by heritable connective tissue disorders (HCTD).

- Diagnosis with a HCTD can be a long and arduous process, and;
- Misdiagnosis is common, meaning opportunities for early interventions can be delayed or missed altogether

WHO.

CTDNA is the collaborative effort of people both living with, and / or caring for those with HCTD. Individuals are often both; a patient, and a carer.

GOALS.

CTDNA seeks to establish a national network of lived experience advocates, healthcare professionals and researchers with an interest in HCTD. A network of like minded individuals coming together to better the care and management of Australians impacted by HCTD.

HOW.

1. Support an educated healthcare workforce
2. Encourage informed patients, and carers
3. Foster a cohesive and strong local HCTD research community

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