

**Table SI. Additional unmet needs in pemphigoid diseases by patients, clinicians and researchers**

Additional unmet needs	Times mentioned, <i>n</i>
<i>Categorized additional unmet needs in pemphigoid diseases among patients</i>	
Need for more (public) information	9
Need for more awareness amongst doctors/medical staff	7
Need for better disease knowledge by doctors	7
Need for better healthcare organization	5
Need for attention and care for intense itching post-BP (after blistering stage; after remission)	4
Need for better medicine	4
Need for more information/guidance	4
Need for research	4
Need for more local support groups	2
Need for guidance of frail elderly population (caregiver to help with nutrition/self-care)	1
<i>Categorized additional unmet needs in pemphigoid diseases among clinicians</i>	
Need for better therapies	11
Need for resolving issues with coverage of medication by insurance companies	4
Need for better diagnostics	3
Need for a centralized national serum database/DNA bank and need for registries	2
Need for nosology for linear IgA disease and pemphigoid (not a synonym for BP)	1
Need for guideline for diagnosis/treatment of MMP and treatment of BP	1
Need for better education of patients on their disease	1
Need for transfer of knowledge to GPs on the non-bullous stages of disease	1
Need for access to nursing support in outpatient setting	1
<i>Categorized additional unmet needs in pemphigoid diseases among researchers</i>	
Need for animal/ex vivo model of human pemphigoid	2
Need for research on pathogenesis of pemphigoid diseases	2
Need for research on brain and skin associations in BP	2
Need for research; why is BP a self-limiting disorder	1
Need for research on cytokine network in amplifying blistering development	1

BP: bullous pemphigoid; RCT: randomized controlled trial; DNA: deoxyribonucleic acid; GP: general practitioner; MMP: mucous membrane pemphigoid.