



PHOTOTHERAPY, PHOTODYNAMIC THERAPY

PRINCIPLES OF THERAPEUTIC MANAGEMENT IN PHOTODERMATOSES

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Photodermatoses are a group of skin disorders induced or aggravated by exposure to light exposure. These conditions are classified as immunologically mediated, chemical- and drug-induced, photoaggravated, and genetic (defective DNA repair or chromosomal instability) diseases.

The therapeutical options include sunscreens, systemic medication, topical medication and phototherapy.

The purpose of this presentation is to provide an overview of the management of a variety of photodermatose with review of recent updates in the literature.

