

Despite currently available treatment options, people living with hereditary angioedema (HAE) still face unexpected and unpredictable HAE attacks, according to an Ionis-sponsored Harris Poll.

## THE BURDEN OF HAE

72%

of patients surveyed reported they make **tradeoffs in their daily lives** due to unpredictability of attacks.

have **missed or avoided events** due to their HAE in the past 12 months, including:

53%
days of work

social events like cookouts, concerts or dates

personal travel and/or vacation plans

Survey results indicated that HAE attacks **negatively impacted patients' daily lives and well-being.** 

73%

of patients said HAE had a negative impact on their mental health. 31%

of patients wished they knew more about ways to connect with and/or hear from other people living with HAE.



## COMMUNICATION GAPS BETWEEN PATIENTS AND HCPs



Based on the survey results, there was a shared interest from both patients and healthcare providers (HCPs) to **better understand the impact** of HAE.

41%

of patients who have ever seen an HCP for their HAE reported they often regret not telling their HCPs more during their visits. 66%

of HCPs wished their HAE patients told them more.

## TREATMENT CONSIDERATIONS



Despite advances in HAE treatment, survey results suggested that patients are still looking for options that are effective, convenient and safe.

## **ABOUT THE STUDY**

The research was sponsored by Ionis Pharmaceuticals and conducted online in the U.S. by The Harris Poll among two groups: 150 U.S. adults aged 18 and older who have been diagnosed with HAE by a HCP, and 228 licensed and board-certified allergists or immunologists aged 18 or older, practicing in the U.S., who have been in practice between 3 and 35 years, spend at least 60% of their professional time treating patients, have treated at least 3 patients living with HAE in the past 12 months and have at least 1 HAE patient on prophylactic therapy. The patient survey was conducted from November 13–December 5, 2024, using a 70-question questionnaire, and the HCP survey was conducted from November 12–December 20, 2024, using a 56-question questionnaire; both surveys consisted primarily of closed-ended pick-list and scale questions. Full research methodology for both surveys is available upon request.

For more information on HAE, visit the following resources:

**People living with HAE:** 



**HAEVNhub.com** 

or

haea.org

U.S. Hereditary Angioedema Association (HAEA) **Healthcare providers:** 



**HAEuncovered.com** 

