

## Dr Richard Bruce Warren

### Current position:

1 February 2010 – current  
NIHR Clinical Senior Lecturer in Dermatology  
Dermatology Centre, University of Manchester  
Honorary Consultant Dermatologist  
Salford Royal NHS Foundation Trust

*Clinically qualified and clinically active (3 clinics per week)*

### Previous employment:

Sept 2008 – Feb 2010	NIHR Clinical Lecturer Dermatology, The University of Manchester
Sept 2005 – July 2008	MRC Clinical Research Fellow, The Dermatology Centre, The University of Manchester.
Jan 2003 – August 2005	Dermatology SPR, Royal Liverpool University Hospital, Liverpool

### Education and qualifications:

1998	BSc Pharmacology (1st class Honours) - Liverpool Medical School
1999	MBChB (Hons), Liverpool Medical School
2002	MRCGP
2008	PhD, Manchester University

### Recent Grant income:

- **NIHR Senior Clinical Lecturer** awarded 2010-2015. £250,000
- **NIHR Clinical Lecturer** awarded 2008-2010. £120,000
- Programme in clinical pharmacology – Pharmacogenomic signatures of treatment response in psoriasis. Principle supervisor **MRC NW England Clinical Research Training Fellowship**, 2010-2013
- Programme in clinical pharmacology - Investigation of immunogenicity in response to biological therapy for autoimmune disease. Co-supervisor **MRC NW England Clinical Research Training Fellowship** 2012-2015

- Genetic Susceptibility To Psoriasis and Psoriatic Arthritis and The Pharmacogenetics of its Biologic Therapeutic Treatment Programme. Principle Investigator **Abbott** 2010-2014. £128,994
- Towards an understanding of the critical role of psychosocial stress in psoriasis. Co-investigator. **Pfizer**, 2011-2013. £156,000
- A multi-Centre, prospective, cohort study to establish clinically relevant pharmacogenetic markers of systemic treatment outcomes in patients with severe psoriasis. Co-Investigator **Psoriasis Association** 2011 £69,000
- An exome scanning approach to the investigation of ANTI-TNF Induced Palmo-Plantar Psoriasis, Principle Investigator **British Skin Foundation** 2012 £10,000
- The potential of Pharmacogenetics to optimize methotrexate therapy for psoriasis **MRC Clinical Research Training Fellowship**. PhD student 2005-2008 £186,000
- Genetic variants in the IL1B region are key discriminators between early and late onset psoriasis. **Sir Jules Thorn PhD Scholarship**. £84,000
- An investigation into genetic factors which discriminate psoriasis from psoriatic arthritis. **Psoriasis association PhD Award**. £87,000

#### **Supervision of research students:**

5 PhD students, lead supervisor for 2 and co-supervisor for 3

#### **Academic standing:**

NIHR Clinical Senior Lecturer

Expert member-National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence Guidelines for psoriasis

Chair -British Association of Dermatologists Methotrexate Guideline group

Member -British Association of Dermatologists Biologics Research Subcommittee

Member -British Association of Dermatologists Biologics Committee

Councillor -International Psoriasis Council

Member - Psoriasis International Network Scientific Committee

Editor - Dermatology and Therapy

**Selected recent relevant publications  
(Total 71 PubMed, H Index 15):**

**Warren RB**, Smith RL, Campalani E, Eyre S, Smith CH, Barker JN, Worthington J, Griffiths CEM. Genetic Variation in Efflux Transporters Influences Outcome to Methotrexate Therapy in Patients with Psoriasis. *J Invest Dermatol*.2008; **128**: 1925-9.

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**Warren RB**, Smith RL, Campalani E, Eyre S, Smith CH, Barker JN, Worthington J, Griffiths CE. Br J Dermatol. Outcomes of methotrexate therapy for psoriasis and relationship to genetic polymorphisms. 2009 Feb; 160(2):438-41.

Ryan C, Menter A, **Warren RB**. Mol Diagn Ther. The latest advances in pharmacogenetics and pharmacogenomics in the treatment of psoriasis. 2010 Apr 1;14(2):81-93.

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Hébert HL, Ali FR, Bowes J, Griffiths CE, Barton A, **Warren RB**. Br J Dermatol Genetic susceptibility to psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis: implications for therapy. 2012 Mar; 166(3):474-82.

Burden AD, **Warren RB**, Kleyn CE, McElhone K, Smith CH, Reynolds NJ, Ormerod AD, Griffiths CEM. BADBIR Study Group. The British Association of Dermatologists' Biologic Interventions Register (BADBIR): design, methodology and objectives. *Br J Dermatol*. 2012; **166**: 545-54.

Hebert HL, Bowes J, Smith RL, Flynn E, Parslew R, Alshargi A, McHugh NJ, Barker JN, Griffiths CEM, Barton A, **Warren RB**. Identification of loci associated with late-onset

psoriasis using dense genotyping of immune-related regions. *Br J Dermatol*, 2014 Aug 13 [Epub ahead of print].

Hebert HL, Bowes J, Smith RL, McHugh NJ, Barker JN, Griffiths CEM, Barton A, **Warren RB**. Polymorphisms in IL-1B distinguish between psoriasis of early and late onset. *J Invest Dermatol*. 2014 May; 134(5): 1459-62.

Samarasekera EJ, Neilson JM, **Warren RB**, Parnham J, Smith DH. Incidence of cardiovascular disease in individuals with psoriasis: a systematic review and meta-analysis. *J Invest Dermatol*. 2013 Oct, 133(10): 2340-6.

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