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VHL Family Alliance Greece was founded and is led by Athina Alexandridou, whose family carries the von Hippel Lindau (VHL) gene that causes kidney cancer in some family members. The organisation started as a patient support group, helping patients access genetic tests for VHL. The Alliance also advocated on behalf of VHL patients to have VHL recognised as a rare, incurable disease.

