Our Origin
Donna Cryer received a life-saving liver transplant in law school after years of living with an autoimmune disease. On the 20th anniversary of her transplant, she realized her experience as a patient, lawyer, and professional health systems consultant could help fellow patients. In 2014, she founded Global Liver Institute.

Our Values

Our Mission
To improve the lives of individuals and families impacted by liver disease through promoting innovation, encouraging collaboration, and scaling optimal approaches to help eradicate liver diseases.

Our Vision
For liver health awareness to be universal and for liver disease to take its proper place on the global public health agenda consistent with its prevalence and impact.

Our Board

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“The gaps in liver health advocacy have resulted in half a billion people living with liver diseases, most of whom are undiagnosed, undertreated, and over-stigmatized. I know because I am one of these people.”
—Donna Cryer, founder, CEO and 26-year liver transplant survivor
Our Impact

- **International NASH Day** builds global awareness of this disease. IND 2021: 120 partners, 36 countries. #NASHDay, 11.5 million impressions.
- **Liver Cancer Lessons** videos for patients and practitioners.
- **#OctoberIs4Livers** campaign: in 2020, 100 million people reached, global proclamation spanning 17 countries.
- **Advanced Advocacy Academy** trains patients as advocates: 162 alumni over four years in the United States, 13 other countries.
- The **Liver Action Network**, members in 40 states.
- Reaching national, global audiences via extensive speaking engagements from our founder/CEO.
- **NASH Council, Liver Cancers Council, Pediatric and Rare Diseases Council** engage 133 members: practitioners, advocacy organizations, pharma innovators.
- **Beyond the Biopsy** for liver diseases: 988,800 social media impressions.

Our Programs

- #OctoberIs4Livers
- NASH educational brochures in 16 languages.
- A liver-healthy diet app with NutriStyle Inc.
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Your Support

As a non-profit organization, Global Liver Institute relies on grants and donations to fund our essential work. Please join us to secure a better future for patients everywhere.

“I’ve never felt I had a purpose until I went to GLI. Now I know my purpose is to make sure other people don’t have to go through what we went through.”

—Kim M., Patient Advocate

Our Partners Include