Increasing Access to Quality Treatments: The example of Glyaderm

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Thanks to a chain of collaborations including Physicians for Peace, a European research team that developed artificial skin, and doctors from the tissue bank in Colombia, today a revolutionary product for the treatment of burns is produced in Colombia and has become accessible to the patients with greatest need. Dra Linda Guerrero, Director of the District Tissue Bank in Colombia, will tell us the story of how Glyaderm - a dermis substitute - came to Colombia, and how its local production has had a positive impact on the lives of burn survivors.

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