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**REMEMBER:**

**Blood clots may be fatal  
or may lead to life-long  
disabilities.**



**Blood clots can affect  
anyone,  
and do not discriminate  
between age, gender, race,  
and ethnicity.**



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**OUR MISSION:**

To spread the awareness of Thrombosis by high school scholars through the use of booths, research, presentations, publications, and proclamations.

**Fighting Blood Clots and Saving Lives  
Through Education and Prevention**

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## POSTER PRESENTATIONS

October 7th to 11th, 2025

### AGENDA

1. Does the elevation of D-dimer always mean VTE?

Aahana Borkar, Omkar Garud

2. Worldwide Heparin Shortage

Krishna Patel

3. History Of Introduction Of Direct Oral Anticoagulants And Mechanism Of Action

Nikki Patel



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## KNOW THE SYMPTOMS OF THROMBOSIS

- Discomfort, pain, throbbing, or warmth in the legs
- Skin changes in the leg (discoloration, thickening, or ulceration)
- Swelling of the legs, ankles, or feet
- Shortness of breath, chest pain, rapid heart rate (signs of a clot in the lungs)
- Drooping or numbness of the face, weakness or numbness of other parts of the body, slurred speech (signs of stroke)

## KNOW YOUR RISK OF THROMBOSIS

- Major trauma
- Surgery
- Hospitalization or nursing home living
- Travel 4+ hours
- Active cancer/chemotherapy
- Oral contraceptives, pregnancy, or HRT
- Age 65+, Obesity
- Genetic or acquired clotting disorder
- Prior clot or family history of clot



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