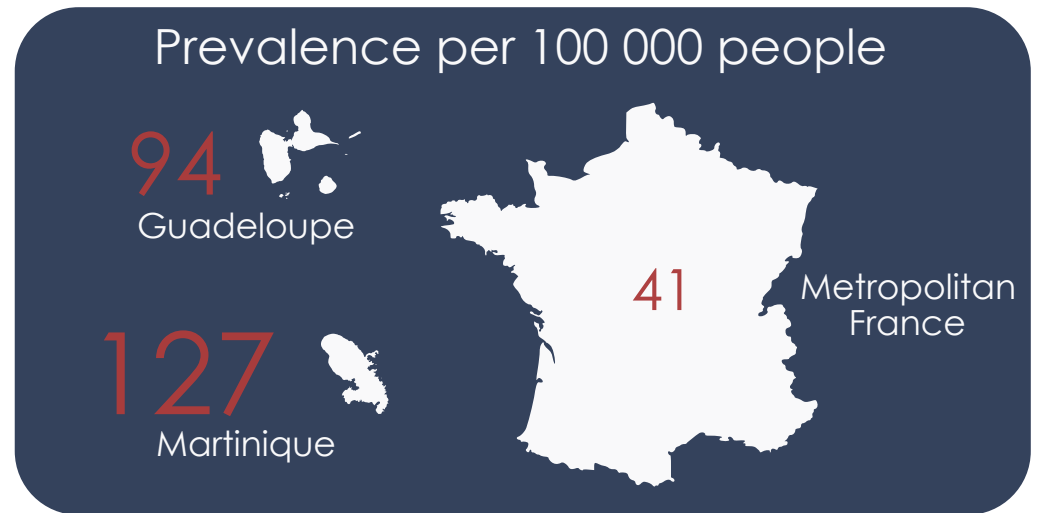


# Systemic Lupus Erythematosus

The rare systemic autoimmune diseases



Lupus is an **autoimmune** disease, which means that the immune system is dys-regulated and attacks the body's healthy cells

**10%** of all cases affect several members of one family

**15-45** age of onset for the majority of cases

Lupus can affect multiple organs, such as **the brain, heart, lungs, kidneys or the skin.**

**90%** of those affected are **women**

## Symptoms

The **butterfly rash** is one of the most recognizable features of lupus.

 Migraines	 Depression
 Fever	 Fatigue
 Muscle pain	 Hair loss

## Contributing factors

 UV exposure	 Tobacco	 Medications	 Viral infections	 Estrogen
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