

Susan Hutchinson, MD

Susan Hutchinson, MD, is board certified in family medicine and has a subspecialty in headache. She is the founder and Director of the Orange County Migraine & Headache Center in Irvine, California, and is also a volunteer faculty member in the Department of Family Medicine at UC-Irvine Medical Center. Dr. Hutchinson concentrates on the management of migraine and mood disorders, with a special interest in the relationship of both conditions to hormones. She is a national speaker on both migraine and depression and was awarded the National Headache Foundation Lectureship Award in February 2003 in recognition of her contribution to headache education. In addition, Dr. Hutchinson was selected as a Physician of Excellence by the Orange County Medical Association in January 2007 and is a past President of the Orange County Chapter of the California Academy of Family Physicians. She also served as Chair of the Women's Issues Section of American Headache Society from 2005 to 2010 and is currently President of the Headache Cooperative of the Pacific. In recent years, Dr. Hutchinson has coauthored numerous journal articles and chapters on the subject of migraine and, in 2013, she wrote and published her first book to be used as a resource for female migraine sufferers.