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BEAUTY
CREATIVE
AGENCY.
15 YEARS

The Beauty & Wellness Experts

### **Epionce**

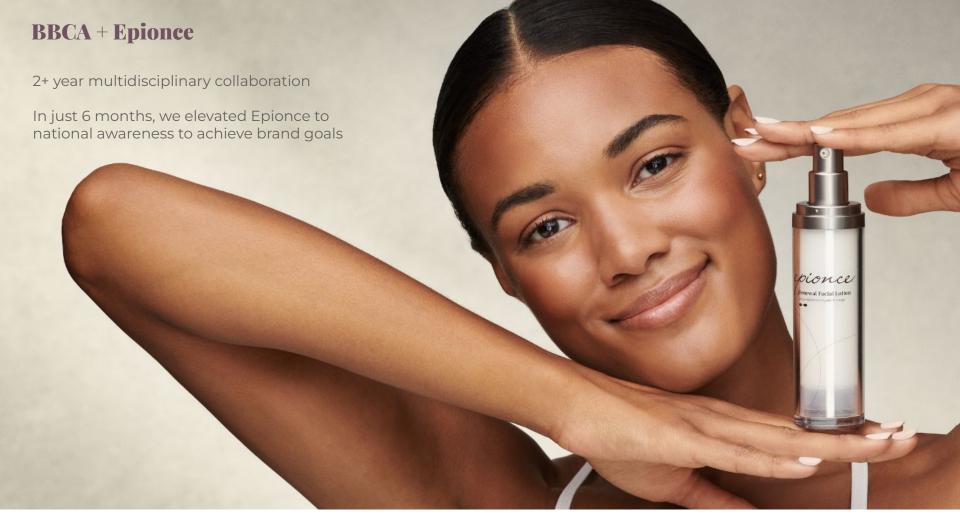
Professional Skincare Case Study

# **Case Study**

Professional Skin care:

### **Epionce**

- ✓ Brand Strategy
- ✓ Campaign Development
- Media Relations
- ✓ Social Media Strategy
- ✓ Content Creation & Copywriting
- ✓ Influencer & KOL Relations
- ✓ Content Calendar & Posting
- ✓ Community Management
- ✓ Paid Program: Social & Search
- ✓ Email & Blog Program
- ✓ Reporting



BASE BEAUTY CREATIVE AGENCY

## Background

#### **CLIENT GOALS**

Drive brand awareness, credibility and trust among Professional and Consumer targets

Grow Pro Account Channel

Sell more SKUs with existing accounts

### **OUR INSIGHT**

As social media inspired consumers to try every single "next big skincare thing," their barriers were feeling the effects.

A more gentle, barrier-first approach was taking off with conversations turning to skin barrier health.

### **OUR CHALLENGE**

For Epionce, skin barrier health is not a trend. As the original barrier-first brand celebrating their 20-year anniversary, we set out to lead the conversation on barrier health and demonstrate to consumers <u>and</u> pros that we have a shared goal - to create healthy skin and beautiful results.

## **How We Created Growth**

CAMPAIGN

DEVELOPMENT

RESEARCH + BRAND **FUNDAMENTALS** 

analysis to build



resonated with

**MEDIA RELATIONS** 

VOGUE We Asked Top Dermatologists to Share Their Skin-Care Routines -Plus, the Products They Actually Use



featuring Epionce Pro, Dr. Dendy

Ongoing pitching Award Submission

**INFLUENCER & KOL RELATIONS** 



influencer / pro

PAID SEARCH



**ORGANIC + PAID SOCIAL MEDIA** 



Unique content and paid social

DIGITAL **BLOG + EMAIL** 



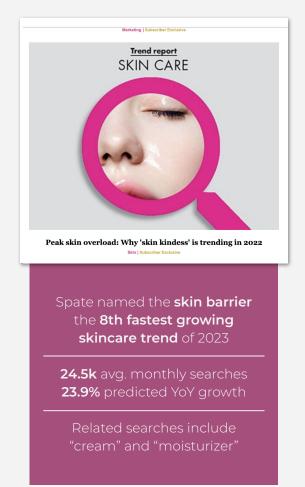
Blog post writing, e-blast writing and



## **Insight Gathering**

Conducted market research and interviews with internal and external brand stakeholders to gain additional insights in order to refine points of differentiation:

- □ Founder
- Epionce Pros
- □ Epionce Educators



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Patients don't easily understand the skin barrier

- Epionce Educators

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We are fighting social media

- Skincare Pros



If it's for protection, why are we doing these things to blow open the barrier?

– Dr. Carl Thornfeldt, Founder, Epionce

# Brand Story Highlights

Uncovered brand and market insights to develop key Brand Fundamentals including:

- Brand Positioning Statement
- Brand Voice
- □ Brand Story

# RETHINK SKIN CARE. EPIONCE CARES FOR YOUR AMAZING SKIN.

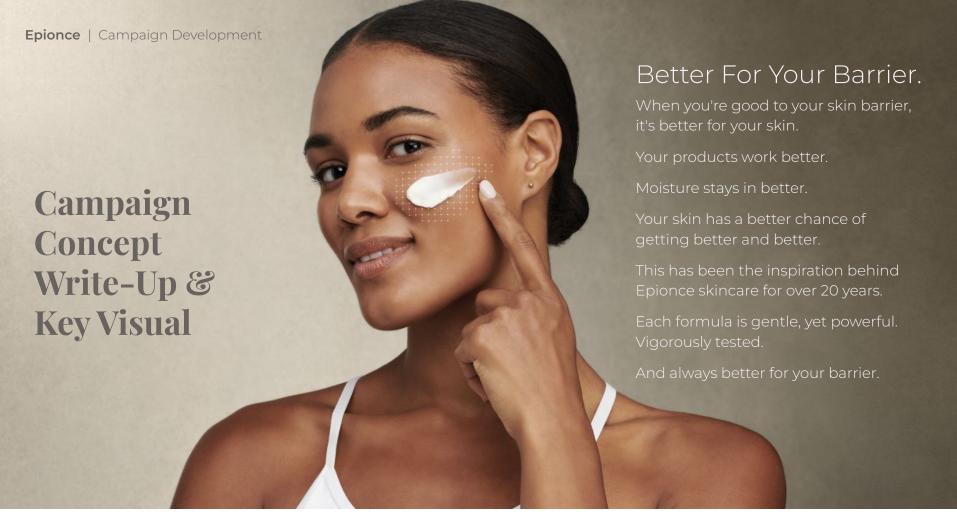
The first rule of medicine also applies to skin care:

First, do no harm.

Barrier-nurturing Epionce products are carefully formulated to care for your skin without doing harm to the barrier. Your barrier is a wonderland. It's your protective shield to the outside world. It's the secret to having a beautiful complexion and keeping skin conditions in check. Caring for it works wonders.

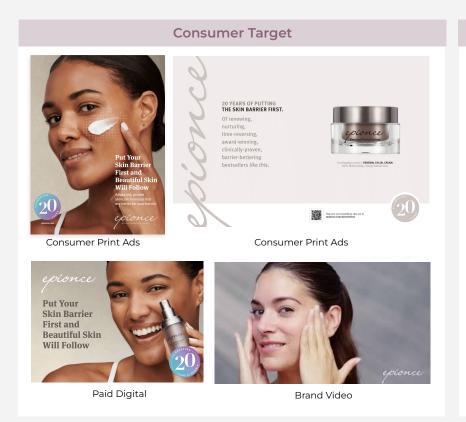
## Campaign Brief Main Message

Demonstrate that Epionce is and always has been **Barrier Obsessed.** 



### **Epionce** | Campaign Development

National brand relaunch introducing brand's commitment to barrier-first messaging to target audiences.



# Pro Target



Trade Print Ads

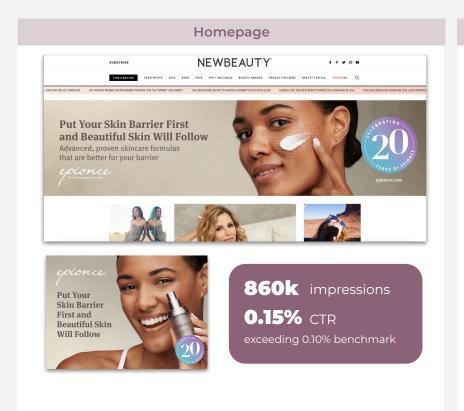


Anniversary Video

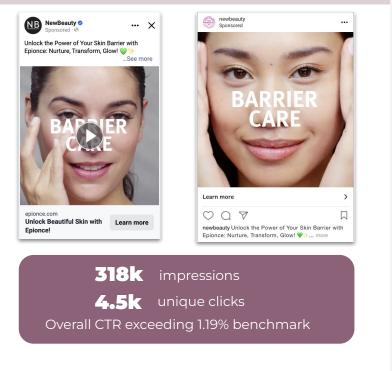
Social Assets for Pros

### **Epionce** | Campaign Results

### NewBeauty Homepage Takeover + Sponsored Social







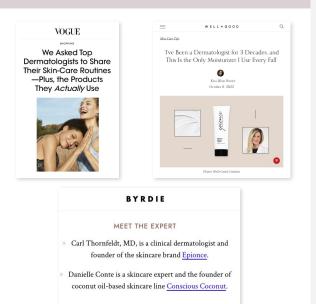


### **Epionce** | Media Relations Results

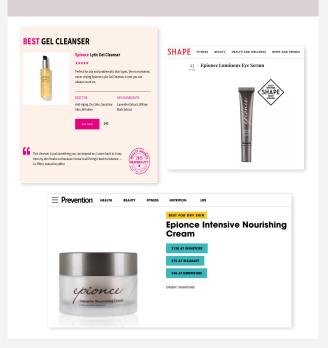
Virtual Media Event kicked off brand relaunch to the press resulting in a UVPM of 35,000+ with Derm brand founder & media-savvy KOL partner Derm, Dr. Engelman



Ongoing Strategic Pitching resulted in 90+ earned placements and 770mm+ impressions with inclusion of key products in notable publications like People magazine, Women's Health, Allure, Real Simple, NewBeauty & more



Strategic Award Submissions resulted in coveted recognition

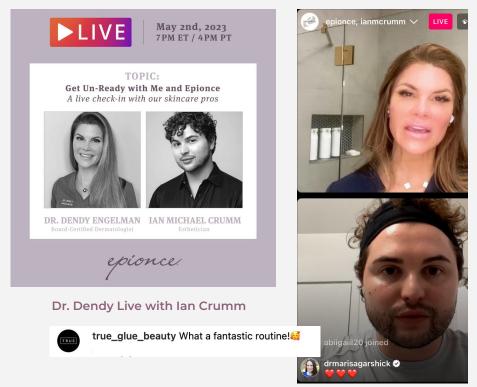


### **Epionce** | KOL Partnerships & Seeding Results

Thoughtful KOL Partnerships and Organic Seeding Programs resulting in awareness, media placements and NEW pro account openings!



Dr. Dendy partner content





Paid media campaign, including social and search, generated:

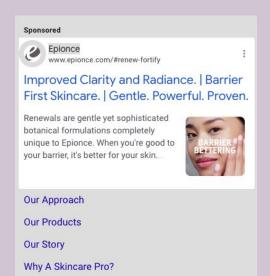
**10** revenue growth

20x impressions growth

on Facebook and Instagram in just 9 months







### **Epionce** | Organic Social Media Results

Content Creation and Organic Social Media programming driving brand awareness with high performance across key brand metrics including **1.6M Instagram Impressions and a 16% increase in Audience Growth Rate** in 11 months.















### **Epionce** | Organic Social Media, Community Engagement Results

Organic Social Media programming creating a loyal community of engaged consumers and healthcare professionals, and an increase in User-Generated Content with **#epionce by 29% and #EpioncePro by 372%** in 15 months.





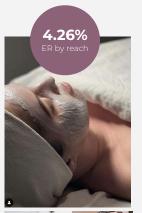














Strategic Blog & Eblast copy and design programming creating significant increases in revenue and pageviews in just 9 months.

