

URTICARIA AWARENESS BY IAP ALLERGY AND APPLIED IMMUNOLOGY CHAPTER

CAUSES AND TRIGGERS

Allergies



Insect Bites



Autoimmune condition



Infections

(viral/bacterial)

Preservatives in food



Extreme temperature



Some medication



Stress



SYMPTOMS



raised, red or pink, itchy bumps (wheals)



Angioedema
(swelling of face and lips)

PREVENTION TIPS

- Avoid Known Triggers
- Use lukewarm water for bathing.
- Protect skin in extreme weather.



- Avoid Scratching
- Use Hypoallergenic Products
- Wear loose-fitting, cotton clothing.

WHEN TO CONSULT A DOCTOR?

- Severe swelling or difficulty in breathing (a sign of angioedema) requires immediate medical attention.
- You're unsure of the cause of your hives.
- Symptoms persist or worsen.

Do not self-medicate, consult a doctor for proper treatment.

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