

Hailey-Hailey Disease: A Case Study Report with Review of Literature

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ABSTRACT

Hailey-Hailey disease (HHD), also called as familial benign chronic pemphigus, is a rare autosomal dominant blistering skin disease with waxing and waning in its clinical course. It is characterized by the presence of flaccid vesiculo-pustules, crusted erosions or expanding plaques in the areas of friction such as neck, axilla, groins, and perineum. Histopathologically shows suprabasal separations, inconspicuous dyskeratosis, acantholytic cells within the epidermis, giving a dilapidated brick wall appearance. Here we have discussed about the clinical and histopathological features of HHD and various differential diagnosis for this disease.

Keywords: Hailey-Hailey disease, Autosomal dominant, Familial benign chronic pemphigus, Skin disease.

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