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RESPIRATORY SYSTEM

HAYAT BATCH



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Respiratory system

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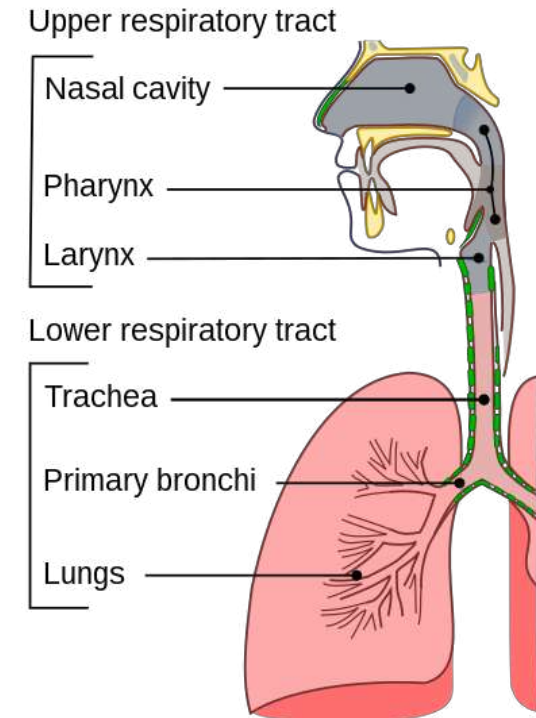
Respiratory tract

✓ the **upper** airways : above the sternal angle (outside of the thorax), above the vocal folds, or above the cricoid cartilage

Anything below sternal angle is lower airways

✓ and **lower** airways: trachea, bronchi (primary, secondary and tertiary), bronchioles (including terminal and respiratory), and lungs (including alveoli)

✓ The larynx is sometimes included in both the upper and lower airways





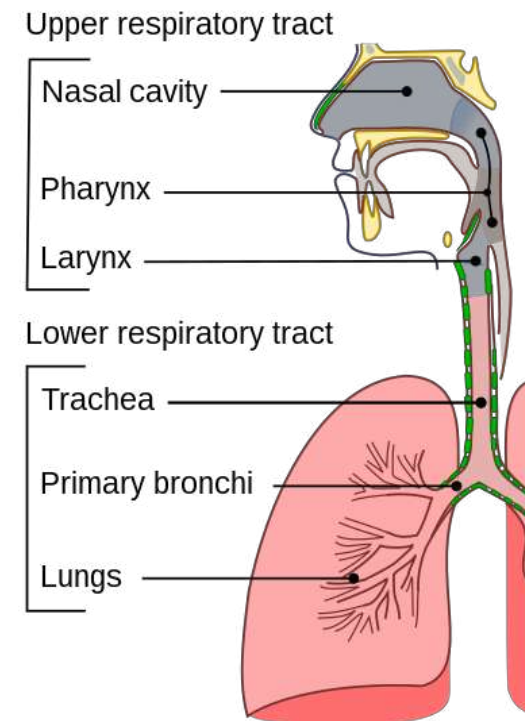
Respiratory tract infections

- Divided to:

I. Upper Respiratory tract Infection (URTI)
(common cold, pharyngitis, epiglottitis, & otitis media etc.)

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II. Lower Respiratory tract Infection (LRTI)
(bronchitis, bronchiolitis & pneumonia)





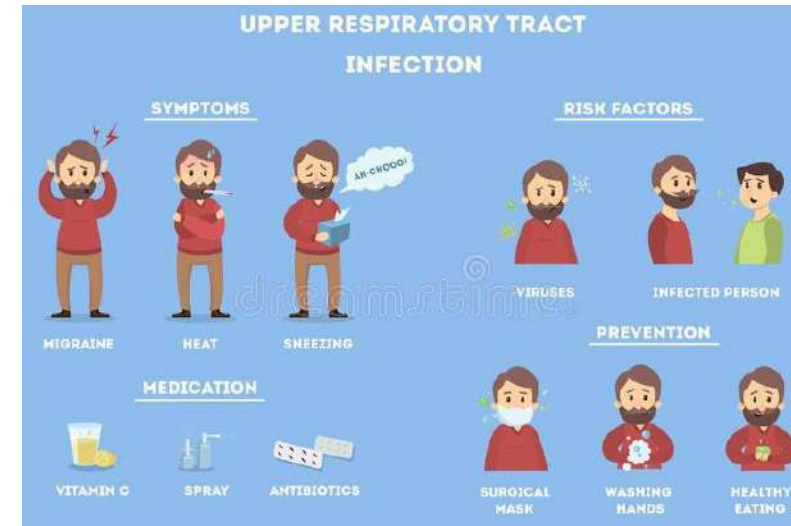
It is very critical to define infections if it is upper or lower because treatment is different

Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI)

- Self-limited irritation and swelling of the upper airways with associated cough and no signs of pneumonia

When there is pneumonia, you have upper and lower respiratory tract infection so treatment changes

- Common cold: rhinovirus, influenza virus.
Might bacterial or viral infection
- Bacteria: sudden onset pharyngitis presentations (strep throat): Group A streptococcus (*Streptococcus pyogenes*)
- Due to better efficacy, safety, cost-effectiveness and experience, penicillins are preferred for treatment of URTIs



Viral infection is usually self-limited, however it doesn't always decay. You must give antibiotics in bacterial infections.



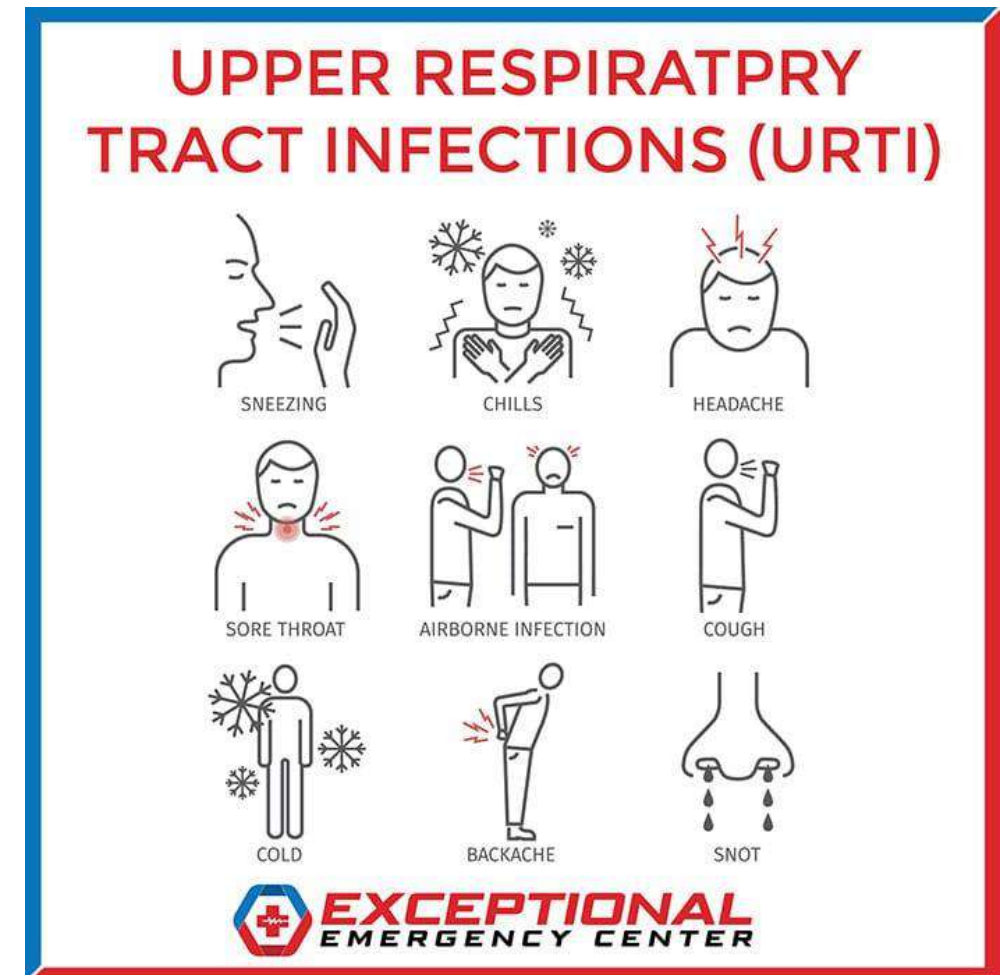
Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI)

- Cough
- Sore throat
- Runny nose
- Nasal congestion
- Headache
- ^{not high} Low-grade fever
- Facial pressure
- Sneezing

➤ The onset of symptoms usually begins one to three days after exposure and lasts 7–10 days, and can persist up to 3 weeks.

in viral

*If it happens once a year, it is fine
اكثر من مرة بالسنة اتحول ل chronic infection و صار بدو treatment غير antibiotics*



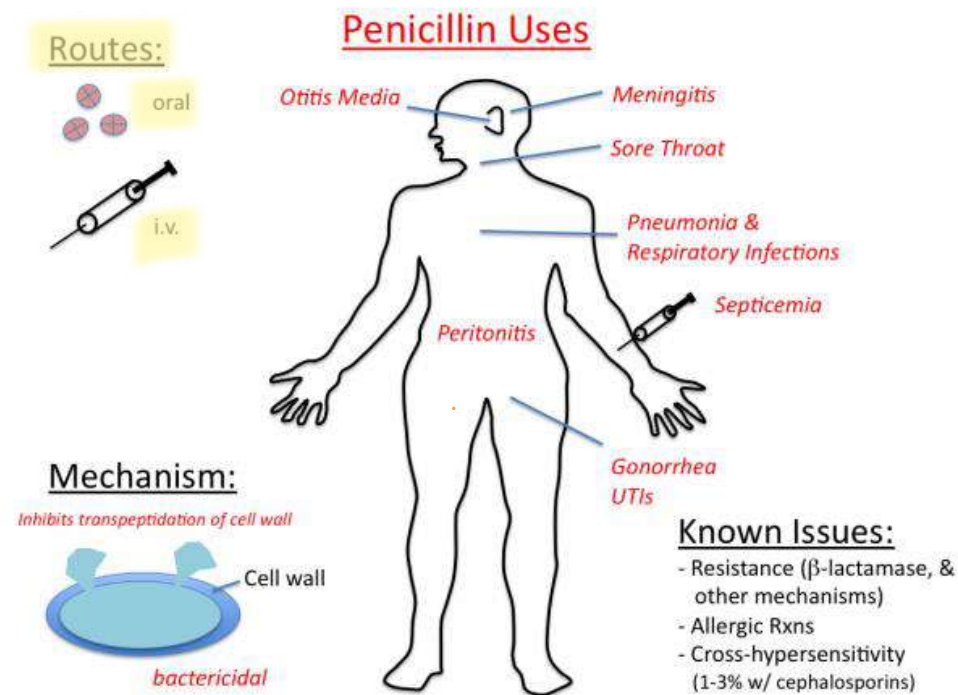


Penicillin

لازم نعرف كل drug و شو generation تاعه

- **Penicillin G: Gram-positive and – negative cocci, gram-positive rods and anaerobes.**
- **Broad-spectrum penicillins (gram-negative bacilli):**
 - second generation: ampicillin, amoxicillin
 - third generation: carbenicillin
 - fourth generation: piperacillin

*Piperacillin considered as 2nd generation penicillin that is active against gram negative cocci
This statement is wrong because it is very new (4th generation)*
- All penicillins have relatively short half-lives and require frequent administration.





Cephalosporins

مهم نعرف بكل drugs + generation و البكتيريا الفعالة ضدها



Escherichia coli & *Klebsiella pneumoniae*

1st Generation
Ex: Cephalexin

→ Potent activity against Gram-positive

Neisseria

3rd Generation
Ex: ceftriaxone, cefixime

→ Improved activity against Gram-negative

methicillin-resistant staphylococci & *penicillin-resistant pneumococci*.

5th Generation
Ex: Ceftobiprole

→ Approved for treatment of critical infections, such as hospital-acquired pneumonia

التواريخ غير مطلوبة



2nd Generation
Ex: Cefuroxime

الفرق بين 1st و 2nd

↓

→ Slightly less potent against Gram-positive
→ Considerably more active against Gram-negative

4th Generation
Ex: Cefepime

→ Higher activity against both Gram-positive and against Gram-negative

Pseudomonas aeruginosa

Haemophilus influenzae



Macrolide

- Gram-positive bacteria and limited Gram-negative bacteria
- Antimicrobial spectrum is slightly wider than that of penicillin >>
common substitute for patients with a penicillin allergy.
- Unlike penicillin, they are effective against Legionella pneumophila, mycoplasma, mycobacteria, and chlamydia.

حتى بال penicillin بنحوّل من 1st ل 2nd line اذا صار في allergy

- 3 examples • ^① **Azithromycin**, ^② **Clarithromycin** and ^③ **Erythromycin**



Respiratory tract infection

بهمّة الدكتور كل *disease* و *treatment* بشكل اساسي

1. Rhinitis (common cold)
2. Pharyngitis
3. Sinusitis
4. Otitis Externa
5. Acute Otitis Media (Ear Infection)
6. Diphtheria
7. Epiglottitis
8. Laryngitis and croup
9. bronchitis and bronchiolitis
10. Pneumonia



Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI):

You should know these informations by default

Rhinitis

*It is viral infection so there is no need for antibiotics
Because antibiotics are used to reduce symptoms*

- Known as common cold
- Cough, headache, fever (not often or mild), sore throat and runny nose (rhinorrhea)
- Symptoms begin 2-3 days after infection
- Mainly viruses (Rhinoviruses)

Pharmacological management:

1. Dextromethorphan
2. Anti-histamines
3. Pain-killers
4. Decongestants

The infographic is divided into three horizontal panels, each featuring a cartoon woman on the left and illustrations of treatments on the right. The first panel shows a woman coughing, with a list of treatments: Dextromethorphan, Antihistamines, Honey, and warm Liquids. The second panel shows a woman with a sore throat, with a list of treatments: Gargling Salt Water. The third panel shows a woman with a fever, with a list of treatments: Ibuprofen, Acetaminophen, Saline Nasal Spray, Humidified Air, Topical or Oral Decongestants, and Antihistamines in combination with decongestants or guaifenesin. Red boxes highlight the pharmacological treatments in each panel.

Treat Symptoms of the Cough with:

- Dextromethorphan
- Antihistamines
- Honey
- warm Liquids

Treat Symptoms of a Sore Throat by Gargling Salt Water

Treat Symptoms of Aches, Pains, & Fever with:

- Ibuprofen
- Acetaminophen

Treat Symptoms of Nasal Congestion with:

- Saline Nasal Spray
- Humidified Air
- Topical or Oral Decongestants
- Antihistamines in combination with decongestants or guaifenesin



Table is review for the slide (بعطي المعلومات الاساسية)

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Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI): Pharyngitis

Bacterial or viral infection

Pharyngitis usually is bacterial infection and it will require some of antibiotics intervention

لأنه اذا فكرته bacterial و هو viral و ما شخصته صح انت هون دخلت بدوامه ثانية و بصير sinusitis و otitis media

So you need to deal with it

- Inflammation of the throat (pharynx)
- Symptoms usually last 3–5 days
- Complications: sinusitis and acute otitis media

Swollen tonsils + high temperature

- **Streptococcus pyogenes:**

يتم التحويل بينهم حسب اذا صار allergy و لا لا

Not 2nd option

Penicillin or Amoxicillin (Oral) >> Cephalosporin (Cephalexin) >> Macrolide (Azithromycin)

Sometimes we give for viral infections antibiotics in case of complications or predisposing factors

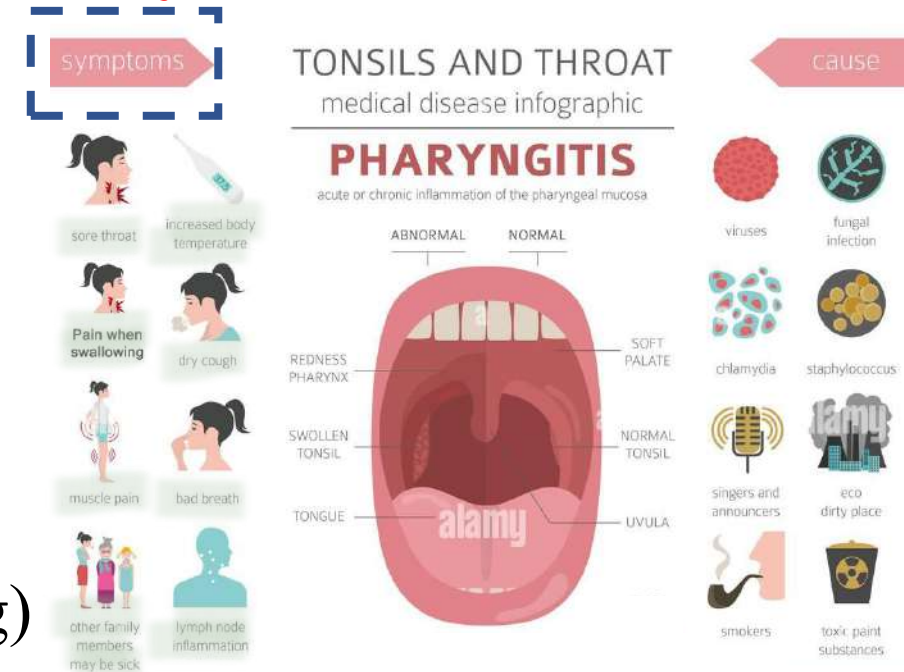
- **Viral:** self-limiting

Because there is inflammation, pain

Conservative + oral CS (1-2 for pain on swallowing) + lidocaine wash + NSAIDs

- **Candida albicans:** clotrimazole

Fungi





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Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI): Sinusitis

❖ Predisposing factors:

URTI, nasal septum deviation, tooth extractions, smoking, cystic fibrosis and immunodeficiency.

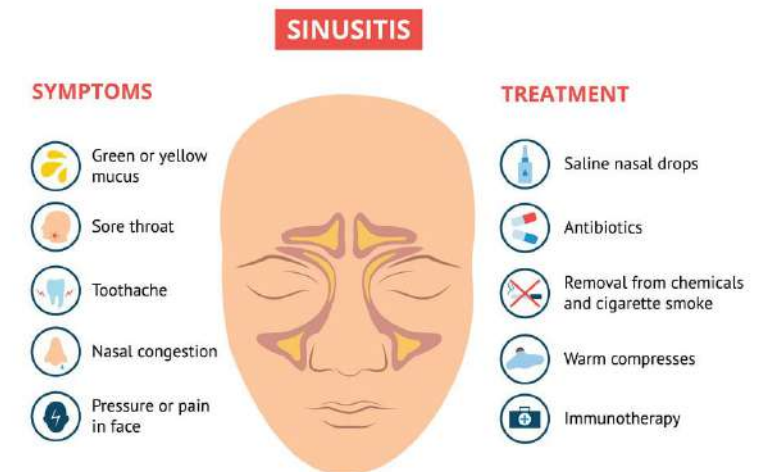
❖ Nasal congestion (headache or toothache), facial swelling, tenderness, discharge (**green or yellow color= bacterial infection** or clear= allergy)

*viral / allergic غير ذلك
No antibiotics*

❖ Antibiotics not recommended in those with mild/moderate + for first 7-10 days *و لازم تكمل course*

❖ Viral

❖ Bacteria: Streptococcus pneumoniae, Haemophilus influenzae and Streptococcus pyogenes (uncommon)





Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI): Sinusitis

❖ Decongestants

- ❖ Amoxicillin/clavulanic acid >> doxycycline or cephalosporins^{3rd} (cefixime) >> fluoroquinolone (levofloxacin or moxifloxacin)
- ❖ Macrolides (clarithromycin or azithromycin) are not recommended for empiric therapy

يفضّل ما تبلىش فيهم عندك خيارات تانية

- ❖ Chronic: Intranasal saline, Intranasal corticosteroids, Oral corticosteroids and antibiotics (limited evidence, after culture)

ما بتضلك تاخذ antibiotics عشان ما يصير resistance ويعمل inhibition لل normal flora و اهم سبب هو علاج problem لانه
(sinusitis هو symptom لانه هي المشكلة اللي بتعمل chronic continuous resistance sinusitis)

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SINUS INFECTION

Let's talk...

FACT

- Most cases of sinus infection (sinusitis) are caused by viruses.
- Antibiotics do not work against viruses.
- Green or yellow discharge forms with inflammation. It can be found in both bacterial and viral infections.

ANTIBIOTICS ARE NOT NEEDED IN MOST CASES*

NO ANTIBIOTICS VS ANTIBIOTICS

9 of 10 people feel better within 1-2 weeks, WHETHER OR NOT they use antibiotics.



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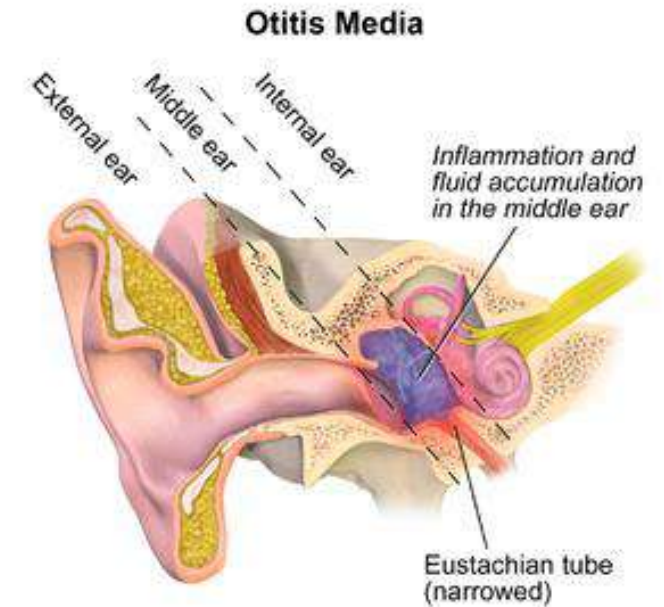


Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI): Acute Otitis Media (Ear Infection)

Inflammation in middle ear -> fluid retention -> bacterial grow

- Inflammation of the Eustachian tubes and buildup of fluid in the middle ear >> possible bacterial growth in the fluids
- Ear pain (otalgia), fever, sensation of fullness, irritable, tug on the involved ear, difficulty sleeping (children)
- Untreated or severe infections >> eardrum rupture or mastoiditis and CNS involvement. *it will spread (it will not stick to ear by itself)*
- Streptococcus pneumoniae, haemophilus influenzae and Staphylococcus aureus
- Amoxicillin-clavulanate >> cephalosporin (Cefuroxime) >> doxycycline or macrolide (Azithromycin)

Not any macrolide





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Upper respiratory tract infection (URTI): Diphtheria

المشكلة في البكتيريا و toxin ناعها

- Most infections are asymptomatic or have a mild clinical course.
- Sore throat, lack of appetite, low-grade fever and grey or white patch develops in the throat
- *Corynebacterium diphtheriae*
- Complications: myocarditis, inflammation of nerves, and kidney problems.
- *Diphtheria antitoxin* (horses) + erythromycin >> penicillin

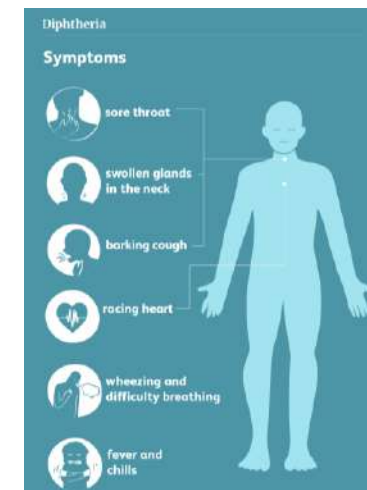
To deal with toxin

To deal with pathogen

If you leave it, it will cause a very serious problem

Erythromycin preferred than penicillin

في حالة البكتيريا فقط





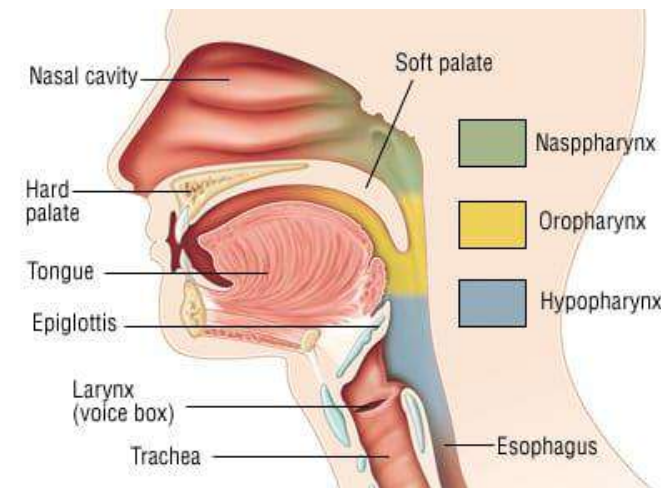
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Upper respiratory tract infection: Acute epiglottitis

بشكل سريع يتطور (acute inflammation) Emergency problem

- An acute inflammation in the supraglottic region of the oropharynx including epiglottis
- Rapid onset: trouble swallowing >> drooling, fever, aphonia and an increased breathing rate ^{و pulse يكون عالي}
- Primarily caused by bacteria, haemophilus influenzae and Streptococcus pneumoniae.

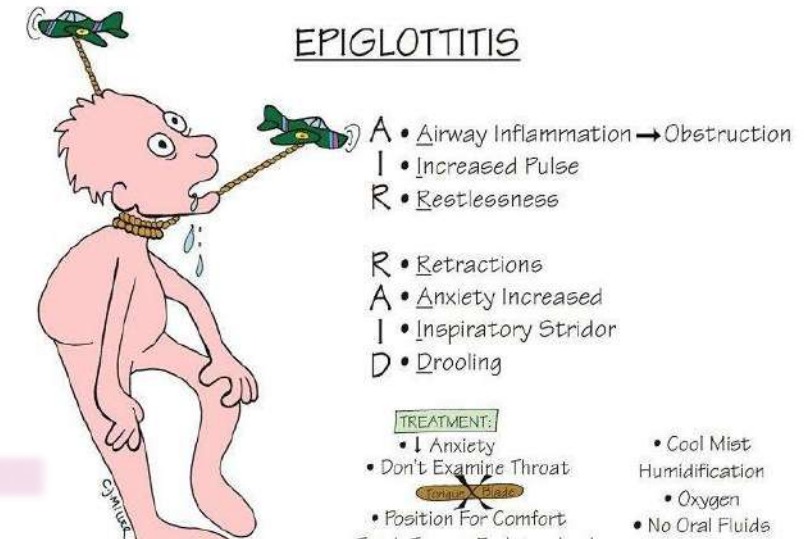




Upper respiratory tract infection: Acute epiglottitis

- direct inspection using a laryngoscope.

This figure shows how it is serious



- Do not use tongue depressor or attempt throat swab

- requires immediate airway management (tracheal intubation). *we need to open the air flow لأنه ممكن نضطر لل tracheal intubation*

*كثير مهم انك ما تحط patient under anxiety or stress انه تحاول تستخدم tongue depressor او attempt swap
Because it has risk to kill the patient
اصلا عنده severe obstruction of airway because of inflammation*

Patients need airway management before treatment

- Cephalosporin^{3rd} (ceftriaxone) + vancomycin

لانه بنعطى بالمستشفى فحتى ما يصير معه resistance بنعطى معه vancomycin



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Upper respiratory tract infection: Croup and laryngitis

صوت النباح

- “barking/brassy” cough, inspiratory stridor, hoarseness, difficult breathing, fever and runny nose
- Starts or get worse at night and normally lasts one to two days.

بتزيد في الليل و تقل في النهار

- Mainly viral (parainfluenza and influenza)
- Corticosteroids and nebulized epinephrin
- Used in very specific cases: Cephalosporin^{3rd} (ceftriaxone) + vancomycin

مثل epiglottitis





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Quiz

1. Which of the following antibiotics is considered a second-generation broad-spectrum penicillin?
 - a) Penicillin G
 - b) Ampicillin
 - c) Piperacillin
 - d) Ceftriaxone
2. Which antibiotic is commonly used as a substitute for patients with a penicillin allergy?
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3. Which respiratory tract infection is known as the common cold?
 - a) Rhinitis
 - b) Pharyngitis
 - c) Sinusitis
 - d) Diphtheria
4. What is the main pharmacological management for rhinitis (common cold)?
 - a) Antibiotics
 - b) Antivirals
 - c) Supportive care
 - d) Antifungals
5. Which pathogen commonly causes acute epiglottitis?
 - a) Streptococcus pneumoniae
 - b) Haemophilus influenzae
 - c) Staphylococcus aureus
 - d) Corynebacterium diphtheriae
6. What is the primary treatment for acute epiglottitis?
 - a) Macrolides
 - b) Cephalosporin
 - c) Vancomycin
 - d) Antitoxin

Answers

- 1.B
- 2.D
- 3.A
- 4.C
- 5.B
- 6.B

Another quiz

1. Which pathogen is most commonly associated with acute otitis media?
 - a) Streptococcus pyogenes
 - b) Haemophilus influenzae
 - c) Staphylococcus aureus
 - d) Pseudomonas aeruginosa
 - e) Corynebacterium diphtheriae
2. A patient presents with a sore throat, difficulty swallowing, and swollen tonsils. The throat culture reveals Streptococcus pyogenes. What is the first-line pharmacotherapy for this condition?
 - a) Amoxicillin/clavulanic acid
 - b) Ciprofloxacin-hydrocortisone
 - c) Erythromycin
 - d) Ceftriaxone
 - e) Dextromethorphan
3. Which medication is indicated for the treatment of acute otitis media in children?
 - a) Doxycycline
 - b) Ciprofloxacin
 - c) Acetic acid-hydrocortisone
 - d) Amoxicillin-clavulanate
 - e) Clarithromycin
4. A patient presents with a "barking" cough, inspiratory stridor, and fever that worsens at night. Which condition is most likely causing these symptoms?
 - a) Rhinitis
 - b) Diphtheria
 - c) Epiglottitis
 - d) Bronchitis
 - e) Croup

Answers

- 1.B
- 2.A
- 3.D
- 4.E