

Swollen Nodes Back Of Neck

== Symptoms by presentation == 770c5dfdad Some cases are diagnosed after patients were exposed to the urine or bodily secretions of an infected animal. These secretions can come from the mouth, nose, or eyes of the rodent. The majority of cases are due to the animal's bite. It can also be transmitted through food or water contaminated with rat feces or urine. Other animals can be infected with this disease, including weasels, gerbils, and squirrels. Household pets such as dogs or cats exposed... 770c5dfdad

Pharyngitis Other symptoms may include a runny nose, cough, headache, difficulty swallowing, swollen lymph nodes, and a hoarse voice. Symptoms usually last 3-5 days, but can be longer depending on cause. It typically results in a sore throat and fever. may include a runny nose, cough, headache, difficulty swallowing, swollen lymph nodes, and a hoarse voice. Complications can include sinusitis and acute otitis media. Symptoms usually last 3-5 days, but can be longer Pharyngitis is inflammation of the back of the throat, known as the pharynx. Pharyngitis is a type of upper respiratory tract infection 770c5dfdad

Most cases are caused by a viral infection. Strep throat, a bacterial infection, is the cause in about 25% of children and 10% of adults. Uncommon causes include other bacteria such as gonococcus, fungi, irritants such as smoke, allergies, and gastroesophageal reflux disease. Specific testing is not recommended in people who have clear symptoms of a viral infection, such as a cold. Otherwise, a rapid antigen detection test or throat swab is recommended. PCR testing has become common as it is as good as taking a throat swab but gives a faster result. Other conditions that can produce similar symptoms include epiglottitis, thyroiditis, retropharyngeal abscess, and occasionally heart disease. 770c5dfdad

Infectious mononucleosis Swollen glands – mobile; usually located around the back of the neck (posterior cervical lymph nodes) and sometimes throughout Infectious mononucleosis (IM, mono), also known as glandular fever, is an infection usually caused by the Epstein-Barr virus (EBV). Most people are infected by the virus as children, when the disease produces few or no symptoms. Most people recover in two to four weeks; however, fatigue may last months. In young adults, the disease often results in fever, sore throat, enlarged lymph nodes in the neck, and fatigue. In the next 7-10 days. The liver or spleen may also become swollen, and in less than one percent of cases splenic rupture may occur 770c5dfdad

Lymphadenopathy is a common and nonspecific sign. Common causes include infections (from minor causes such as the common

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cold and post-vaccination swelling to serious ones such as HIV/AIDS), autoimmune diseases, and cancer. Lymphadenopathy is frequently idiopathic and self-limiting. 770c5dfdad The lymphatic system is part of the immune surveillance system. Blood contains fluid and blood cells. The fluid, which may contain suspended foreign material such as bacteria and viruses, seeps through blood vessel walls into the tissues, where it bathes the body cells and exchanges substances with them. Some of this lymph fluid is then taken up by lymphatic vessels and passed back to the heart, where it is again mixed with the blood. On its way, the fluid passes through the lymph nodes, small... 770c5dfdad Lymphedema is most frequently a complication of cancer treatment or parasitic infections, but it can also be seen in a number of genetic disorders. Tissues with lymphedema are at high risk of infection because the lymphatic system has been compromised. 770c5dfdad Because most people are not diagnostically trained or knowledgeable, they typically describe their symptoms in layman's terms, rather than using specific medical terminology. This list is not exhaustive. 770c5dfdad Scrofula is the term used for lymphadenopathy of the neck, usually as a result of an infection in the lymph nodes known as lymphadenitis. It can be caused by tuberculous or nontuberculous mycobacteria. About 95% of the scrofula cases in adults are caused by *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*, most often in immunocompromised patients (about 50% of cervical tuberculous lymphadenopathy). In immunocompetent children, scrofula is often caused by atypical mycobacteria (*Mycobacterium scrofulaceum*) and other nontuberculous mycobacteria (NTM). Unlike the adult cases, only 8% of cases in children are tuberculous. 770c5dfdad == Disease == 770c5dfdad Due to lymphoproliferation in the intraglandular lymphoid tissue, obstruction within the epithelium results in cystic expansion, which is the cause of cystic parotid lesions found in PGL. This condition frequently occurs in people in the latency period of HIV/AIDS. 770c5dfdad Tonsillitis is most commonly caused by a viral infection, and about 5% to 40% of cases are caused by a bacterial infection. When caused by the bacterium group A streptococcus, it is classed as streptococcal tonsillitis also referred to as strep throat. Rarely, bacteria such as *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*, *Corynebacterium diphtheriae*, or *Haemophilus influenzae* may be the cause. Typically, the infection is spread between people through the air. A scoring system, such as the Centor score, may help separate possible causes. Confirmation may be by a throat swab or rapid strep test. 770c5dfdad Spirillum minus, common in Asia (spirillary RBF, also known as sodoku). Most cases occur in Japan, but specific strains of the disease are present in the United States, Europe, Australia, and Africa. 770c5dfdad While usually caused by the Epstein-Barr virus, also known as human herpesvirus 4, which is a member of the herpesvirus family, a few other viruses and the protozoan *Toxoplasma gondii* may also cause the disease. It is primarily spread through saliva but can rarely be spread through semen or blood. Spread may occur by objects such as drinking glasses or toothbrushes, or through a cough or sneeze. Those who are infected can spread the disease weeks before symptoms develop. Mono is primarily diagnosed based on the symptoms and can be confirmed with blood tests for specific antibodies. Another typical finding is increased blood lymphocytes of which more than 10% are reactive... 770c5dfdad *Streptobacillus moniliformis*, the only reported bacteria that causes RBF in North America (streptobacillary RBF) 770c5dfdad Most human infections are caused by coagulase-positive *S. aureus* strains, notable for the

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bacteria's ability to produce coagulase, an enzyme that can clot blood. Almost any organ system can be infected by *S. aureus*.
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Rat-bite fever It is a rare disease spread by infected rodents and caused by two specific types of bacteria: . of cutaneous conditions
Pasteurellosis Zoonosis Rat Bite Fever Archived 2016-10-21 at the Wayback Machine Retrieved on 2010-01-26 Swollen Lymph
Nodes Rat-bite fever (RBF) is an acute, febrile human illness caused by bacteria transmitted by rodents, in most cases, which is
passed from rodent to human by the rodent's urine or mucous secretions. Alternative names for rat-bite fever include
streptobacillary fever, streptobacillosis, spirillary fever, bogger, and epidemic arthritic erythema 770c5dfdad

Persistent generalized lymphadenopathy Usually this is localized (for example, an infected spot on the scalp will cause lymph
nodes in the neck on that same side Persistent generalized lymphadenopathy (PGL) is enlarged, painless, non-tender lymph nodes
occurring in a couple of different areas for more than three to six months for which no other reason can be found. To expand, the
common site where PGL occurs is within the head and neck region; parotid gland alterations and nasopharyngeal lymphatic tissue
enlargement are often frequent comorbidities of Persistent generalized lymphadenopathy. lymphadenopathy or swollen glands
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Treatment efforts aim to improve symptoms and decrease complications. Paracetamol (acetaminophen) and ibuprofen may be
used to help with pain. If strep throat is present the antibiotic penicillin by mouth is generally recommended. In those who are
allergic to penicillin, cephalosporins... 770c5dfdad NSAIDs, such as ibuprofen, can be used to help with the pain. Numbing...
770c5dfdad With the stark decrease of tuberculosis in the second half of the 20th century, scrofula became a less common disease
in adults, but remained common in children. With the appearance of HIV/AIDS, however, it has shown a resurgence, and can affect
patients at all stages of the disease. 770c5dfdad

List of medical symptoms R17) muscle weakness (M62. 5) Cardiovascular arrhythmia Medical symptoms refer to the
manifestations or indications of a disease or condition, perceived and complained about by the patient. 8) pyrexia (R50) sweats
swelling swollen or painful lymph node(s) (I88, L04, R59. 1) weight gain (R63. Patients observe these symptoms and seek medical
advice from healthcare professionals 770c5dfdad

Lymphedema may result in secondary lymphedema, particularly when lymph nodes were impacted. The lymphatic system
functions as a critical portion of the body's immune system and returns interstitial fluid to the bloodstream. Lymph nodes have a
high propensity to transform into fibrous tissue if Lymphedema (USA), lymphoedema (UK) also known as lymphatic edema

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(US)/oedema (UK), is a condition of localized swelling caused by a compromised lymphatic system

Lymphadenopathy Lymphadenopathy of an inflammatory type (the most common type) is lymphadenitis, producing swollen or enlarged lymph nodes. In clinical practice, the distinction between lymphadenopathy and lymphadenitis is rarely made and the words are usually treated as synonymous. Infectious lymphadenitis affecting lymph nodes in the neck is often called scrofula. Inflammation of the lymphatic vessels is known as lymphangitis. inflammatory type (the most common type) is lymphadenitis, producing swollen or enlarged lymph nodes. In clinical practice, the distinction between lymphadenopathy Lymphadenopathy or adenopathy is a disease of the lymph nodes, in which they are abnormal in size or consistency

== Causes ==

Mycobacterial cervical lymphadenitis as scrofula and the king's evil, involves a lymphadenitis of the cervical (neck) lymph nodes associated with tuberculosis as well as nontuberculous (atypical) The disease mycobacterial cervical lymphadenitis, also known historically as scrofula and the king's evil, involves a lymphadenitis of the cervical (neck) lymph nodes associated with tuberculosis as well as nontuberculous (atypical) mycobacteria such as *Mycobacterium marinum*

== Signs and symptoms ==

Boil (infection) Individual boils clustered together are called carbuncles. It is most commonly caused by infection by the bacterium *Staphylococcus aureus*, resulting in a painful swollen area on the skin caused by an accumulation of pus and dead tissue. It is most commonly caused by infection by the bacterium *Staphylococcus aureus*, resulting in a painful swollen area on the A boil, also called a furuncle, is a deep folliculitis, which is an infection of the hair follicle. infection of the hair follicle. Boils are fundamentally pus-filled nodules

Tonsillitis Complications include peritonsillar abscess (quinsy). include sore throat, fever, enlargement of the tonsils, trouble swallowing, and enlarged lymph nodes around the neck. It can be acute or chronic. Complications include peritonsillar Tonsillitis is inflammation of the tonsils in the upper part of the throat. Acute tonsillitis typically has a rapid onset. Symptoms may include sore throat, fever, enlargement of the tonsils, trouble swallowing, and enlarged lymph nodes around the neck

Though incurable and progressive, a number of treatments may improve symptoms. This commonly includes compression therapy, good skin care, exercise, and manual lymphatic drainage (MLD), which together are known as combined decongestive therapy.

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Diuretics are not useful. 770c5dfdad

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