

WARTS

They are also called verruca.

Warts are caused by infection with human papillomavirus (HPV).

The most common subtypes of HPV are types 2, 3, 4, 27, 29, and 57.

Who are at risk?

School children, eczema patient as defective epidermal barrier, and patients on immunosuppressant drugs.

How do we get it the wart?

Direct skin to skin contact with affected person and also spreads from infected person's towel.

Treatments

Topical- various wart paints containing salicylic acid.

Cryotherapy- freezing few treatment cycles may be needed.

Combination of both treatment for resistant warts.