INVITED REVIEW

Demystifying immunopathology and clinical presentation in common desquamative

gingivitis

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Abstract

Desquamative gingivitis is associated with certain inflammatory and immune conditions

which includes a spectrum of autoimmune disorders, hypersensitivity reactions and

granulomatous disorders. The autoimmune disorders and hypersensitivity reactions are the

most common causative factors for the occurrence. This manuscript is an overview of the

etiopathogenesis and clinical presentation in these common desquamative gingivitis

associated lesions. The importance's of the coordinated multispecialty approach in diagnosis,

categorising of the clinical presentation and treatment is emphasised in this review.

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