

# Pruritus

## Differential diagnosis Pruritus

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| <i>Worm disorders</i>             | askaridiasis, onchocercosis, trichinosis, ankylostomiasis, parasitophobia  |
| <i>Hepatic diseases</i>           | cholestasis (obstructive, pregnancy, drug), primary biliary cirrhosis, acute hepatitis, extrahepatic biliary obstruction |
| <i>Renal diseases</i>             | chronic kidney insufficiency, uremia, hemodialysis   |
| <i>Hematopoietic disorders</i>    | Polycythemia vera, gammopathy, paraproteinemia, iron deficiency anemia, systemic mastocytosis                            |
| <i>Endocrinological disorders</i> | hypo-, hyperthyroidism, carcinoid, diabetes mellitus, secondary hyper-parathyroidism, menopausal                         |
| <i>Cerebral disorders</i>         | hallucinations, multiple sclerosis, psychogenic pruritus   |
| <i>Neoplasia</i>                  | M.Hodgkin, lymphoma, carcinoma   |
| <i>Medication</i>                 | opiates, phenothiazine   |
| <i>Skin disorders</i>             | exsiccosis, lichenification, eczema, dermatosis in pregnancy, herpes infection, candida infection, hemorrhoids           |
| <i>Others</i>                     | hypereosinophilic syndrome   |

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