

1. What is diaper rash?

Diaper rash is a skin condition that develops around the area where baby's diaper makes contact with the skin. Tight fitting diapers and overexposure to excrement will often cause the skin inflammation in the exposed area. Diaper rash is the most common skin condition in children under the age of 2 and is often in combination with *Candida albicans* bacteria and skin blisters.



2. Causes:

1. Long time exposure to wet diapers without ventilation that causes temperature and humidity to rise often produces diaper rash.
2. Overexposure to urine and excrement will cause the skin to become inflamed. This most easily occurs when the skin is not cleaned properly while changing

diapers and when the child has diarrhea.

3. When the diaper does not fit properly or when it causes friction against the skin.

3. Symptoms and complications:

If your child's groin or anus has redness, red pimples, and has large areas of scaling skin you should suspect that your child has a *Candida albicans* bacterial Infection. If the top layer of skin is exposed to bacteria your child may develop.....



4. How to prevent diaper rash.

1. Change your baby's diaper often and do not use cloth diapers.
2. Change your baby's diaper every 2~3 hours especially directly after a bowel movement and before a meal. If your baby's back is wet after a meal change his diaper.
3. Apply Vaseline or a lotion formulated for babies to your baby's bottom to help lessen the amount of contact between his skin and urine or feces.
4. Be sure to clean your baby's skin well while changing his diaper especially in the groin and crack of his bottom. Be sure to clean your baby boys' penis well and wipe dry afterwards.
5. Use wet wipes to clean your baby's skin and use a non stimulating type of wipe.
6. If your baby has diarrhea, check his diaper every 1~2 hours.

5. How to care for diaper rash.

1. Change your baby's diaper more frequently especially when he has diarrhea.
2. When your baby has diaper rash, use warm water to wash his bottom. Do not use wet wipes.
3. When your baby has a diaper rash, do not use baby powder. Baby powder will cause excrement to be in contact with your baby's skin even longer and may cause further damage to your his skin.
4. When your baby has a diaper rash do not take his temperature from the anus.
5. If your baby's diaper rash covers a large area, causes the skin to scale or is causing severe pain, you should take him to the hospital for treatment.
6. Take the doctor prescribed medicine on time and regularly.

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