Derm Morphology, Part 2

Characterizing skin lesions by shape, size, color, and distribution is key to making the diagnosis. Can you tell which is which?

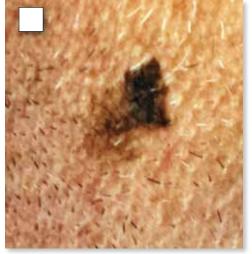
Match the lesion type to the photo by letter

a. Papules

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b. Skin abscesses/boils
c. Lichenification
d. Macules

For Part 1, see "Picture This" from our November 2015 issue (or visit the URL below)!



1. Flat, distinct, discolored area, usually less than 1 cm wide, without change in skin texture or thickness.



2. Solid or cystic raised area less than 1 cm wide.



3. Collection of pus in any part of the body, typically accompanied by swelling and inflammation.



4. Resulting from chronic irritation related to conditions such as eczema or from continuous rubbing or scratching, the skin becomes thickened and leathery.

For the correct answers, go to www.clinicianreviews.com/articles/picture-this.html.