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## IMAGES IN CLINICAL MEDICINE



Fig.1: Girl with Malignant pustule on the face.



Fig. 2: Same girl after 5 days treatment.

### CUTANEOUS ANTHRAX

Anthrax is caused by *Bacillus anthracis*, a Gram-positive spore-forming rod. Its transmission is through direct contact with an infected animal or animal hides, or potential exposure due to bioterrorism. Typically it presents as an ulcerated lesion with central black Eschar and surrounding woody oedema, also called Malignant pustule.

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