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Celsus' Kerion

Querión de Celso

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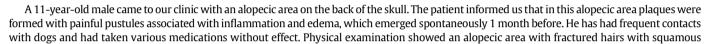




Fig. 1. Alopecic patches with multiple crusts and pustules on the scalp.

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plaques, painful pustules that when pressed with the finger, release abundant suppuration with edema and inflammation, located on the back of the skull that affected the scalp. And, at cervical level, painful lymphadenopathies was found. The mycological analysis showed *Microsporum canis*. The bacteriological study was negative. The clinical diagnosis was Celsus' kerion or suppurative tinea. The patient was treated with Griseofulvin with good response (see Fig. 1).