

Skin Allergies Generated by Rubber Gloves and Excessive Soaps and Sterilizers due to COVID-19 Pandemic: a Review

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ABSTRACT

The sanitizers and disinfectants have become widely used due to the COVID-19 global health crisis. However, as much as these household products keep us clean and prevent transmission of the virus, excessive use of these can be harmful. Recently, many kinds of disinfectants have been used with very intensive usage of the right ones, as well as the hands wearing duration, too many people developed redness of the skin some have sustained injuries with the incidence of red skin spots in addition to scratching and eyes irritation, arising question, why in which required an explanation. This article aims to demonstrate that excessive use of antiseptics and disinfectants along with the length of time in contact leading to skin allergies. Shows a significant skin irritation, whereas the skin is the first physical defense barrier against many kinds of pathogens and one of the components of the immune system against microorganisms.

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