

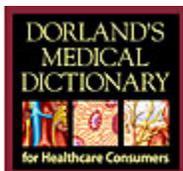
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pyoderma (pi"o-dur'mə) any purulent skin disease.

chancriform pyoderma an eroded, ulcerated, nodular, solitary lesion with a rolled edge, usually on the face but sometimes elsewhere; it closely resembles a syphilitic [chancere](#), is often associated with regional [lymphadenopathy](#), and involutes and heals with scarring.

pyoderma faciale an acute, localized skin disease of the face, seen almost exclusively in girls and young women; it is usually in the absence of acne and is characterized by intense erythema, abscesses, cysts, and sinus tracts between deep-seated lesions. If untreated, it may heal to leave severe scarring.

pyoderma gangrenosum a type of rapidly evolving cutaneous ulcer with an undermined border, seen as a complication of [ulcerative colitis](#) and other wasting diseases.



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