







Acrokerato elastoidosis is a rare skin condition characterized by the presence of small, raised, yellowish-brown papules on the skin. These papules are typically found on the face, neck, and upper extremities. The condition is often associated with systemic sclerosis (scleroderma) and is thought to be a result of abnormal collagen deposition in the skin. The papules are usually asymptomatic but can be cosmetically concerning. Treatment is generally not indicated, but mild keratolytics or topical retinoids may be used for cosmetic improvement. The erbium:YAG laser has been effective in improving the appearance of the papules in one patient, with no recurrence observed during a 6-month follow-up.

Treatment

Medical Care

- Treatment is not indicated in most patients.
- Mild keratolytics occasionally help, but recurrences are common.
- Topical retinoids are not effective.
- The erbium:YAG laser has been effective in improving one patient. No recurrence developed during a follow-up of 6 months