Common skin itching problems in monsoon

Symptoms

Eczema¹



Dry and flaky skin, may cause cracks & bleeding

Scabies¹



Itching and skin rashes

Athlete's foot1



Itching, skin scales, cracks & inflammation

Preventive measures



Practice good personal hygiene²



Avoid sharing personal belongings²



Do NOT stay in wet clothes for long time²



Wear cotton clothes and use shoes that allow ventilation^{1,2}

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