

Disease

Acute Pharyngitis

Pathology

*infl. of pharynx

Signs & Symptoms

- *fever
- *sore throat

Risk Factors

*viruses

Complications

- *pneumonia
- *meningitis
- *scarlet fever
- *TSS
- *rheumatic heart disease
- *rheumatic fever

Diagnosis

- *visual inspection
- *identification of causative virus

Treatment

- *penicillin
- *erythromycin
- *cephalosporins