

CHICKEN-POX— SWINE-POX.

This disease may be said to consist of an eruption of small rose-colored pimples, which appear at the end of twenty-five hours from the commencement of a mild fever. On the second day the pimples are filled with a transparent or yellowish fluid and are surrounded by slight redness. About the fourth day scabs are formed. The eruption usually disappears the fifth day. This disease is slightly contagious, the period of incubation lasting about four or six days. This disease usually occurs but once.

Treatment. — Give a warm enema, and a warm bath or wet-sheet-pack daily, and free ventilation.



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