

Vasculitis

Vasculitis refers to a rare group of conditions characterised by inflammation of the blood vessels. Depending on which body part is affected by the inflammation, many different symptoms may occur, but commonly affected areas are the skin, blood vessels at the temples, organs involved in breathing, and the kidneys. Conditions include temporal arteritis (giant cell arteritis), granulomatosis with polyangiitis (Wegner's) and leucocytoclastic skin vasculitis.

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