

# **Streptococcal toxic shock-like syndrome: case report and review of the literature.**

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Streptococcal toxic shock-like syndrome is a newly recognized complication of infections by group A beta-haemolytic streptococci (GABHS). Previous reports of this syndrome have originated from developed countries, predominantly North American and Europe. This report describes a 5-year-old Saudi child who developed this syndrome in association with streptococcal pharyngitis. It indicates that the recent resurgence of severe GABHS diseases is a global phenomenon.

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