

# Hyperpigmentation

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In dermatology, hyperpigmentation is the darkening of an area of skin or nails caused by increased melanin. ([From the Wikipedia article Hyperpigmentation](#).)



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