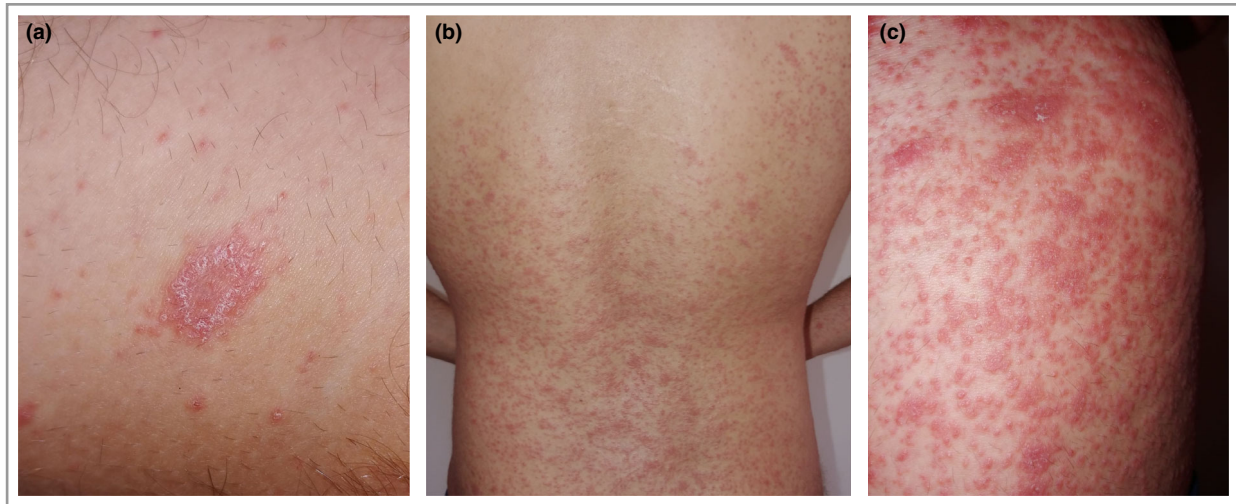


Pityriasis rosea-like eruption after Pfizer–BioNTech COVID-19 vaccination

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A 35-year-old male presented with an extremely itchy exanthem after Pfizer–BioNTech COVID-19 vaccination.¹ A single oval erythematous lesion appeared on the thigh after the first dose (a) and progressed insidiously to a papulosquamous rash on the trunk and proximal extremities (b). After the second dose, it notably flared up (c). Serological evaluation for human herpesvirus reactivation was negative. Pityriasis rosea-like eruption was diagnosed.² Antihistamines and topical betamethasone were initiated, with clinical improvement after 2 weeks. Considering that immunization programmes are being conducted worldwide, it is important to increase awareness within the medical community, so that appropriate management be provided.

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