

Table 2. Febrile Petechiae/Purpura in Childhood

Non-Toxic Appearance		Toxic Appearance	
NON-INFECTIOUS	INFECTIOUS	INFECTIOUS	POST-INFECTIOUS
Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	Hemolytic uremic syndrome	Bacterial sepsis	Purpura fulminans
Post MMR immunization	Bacterial illness	<i>E. coli</i> , <i>H. influenzae</i> ,	
ITP	Endocarditis, pharyngitis	<i>S. pneumoniae</i> , <i>S. aureus</i> ,	
Hypersensitivity vasculitis	(GABHS), bacteremia (<i>N.</i>	<i>Pseudomonas</i> spp., group A	
Acute hemorrhagic edema	<i>gonorrhoeae</i> , <i>N. meningitidis</i>)	beta-hemolytic <i>Streptococcus</i>	
Henoch-Schönlein purpura	Viral illness	Viral illness	
Systemic lupus erythematosus	CMV, enterovirus, hepatitis, varicella,	Ebola, lassa, hanta, dengue	
Periarteritis nodosa	varicella, measles, parvovirus B19,	Other	
	EBV	<i>Rickettsia rickettsiae</i> ,	
		<i>Plasmodium falciparum</i>	