



Systemic contact dermatitis to propolis in a natural throat spray

Propolis or bee-glue is a resinous bee-hive product that is used topically and orally in alternative medicines and promoted for its anti-inflammatory properties and as a cure-all for numerous diseases. It is found in a range of 'natural products' and is well recognised as a cause of allergic contact dermatitis. A case of systemic contact dermatitis to a propolis containing throat spray is reported.

