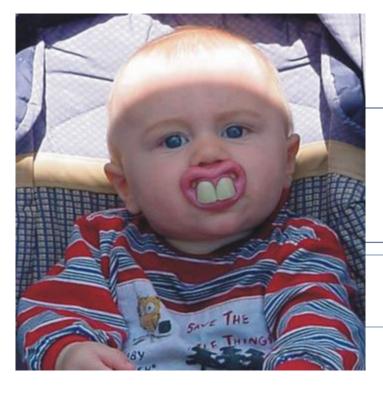


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Painful Oral Lesions

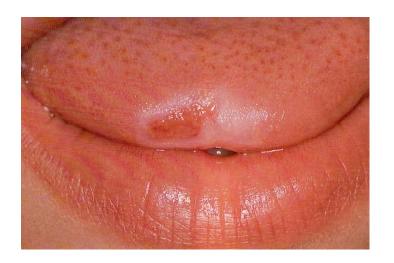
- Traumatic lesions and burns
- Aphthous ulcers
- Infections
 - Herpetic gingivostomatitis
 - Herpangina
 - ▶ Hand, foot, and mouth disease
 - Varicella
 - Oral candidiasis
- Behçet disease



Traumatic Lesions and Burns

- Traumatic ulcers: Most common oral ulcers in children
 - Secondary to mechanical, chemical, or thermal injury
 - Running and falling with a foreign body in mouth can lead to an "ulcerative" lesion
- Lesions generally heal within 2 weeks.







Traumatic Lesions and Burns



Chronic cheek biters and others w/ "self-abusive" behavior may require more comprehensive management, including bite guards, lip bumpers, extraction, and sedation



Aphthous Ulcers

- Etiology unclear although associated with many underlying conditions
- Stress, hormonal factors, infections, food hypersensitivity, immune irregularities, familial tendency all associated with occurrence
- Sodium lauryl sulfate found in many toothpastes has been linked to outbreaks
- Vitamin and mineral deficiencies may contribute

