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FIGURE 76e-14 **A.** Urticaria, with characteristic discrete and confluent, edematous, erythematous papules and plaques. **B.** Dermatographism. Erythema and whealing developed after firm stroking of the skin. (B: Courtesy of Robert Swerlick, MD; with permission.)

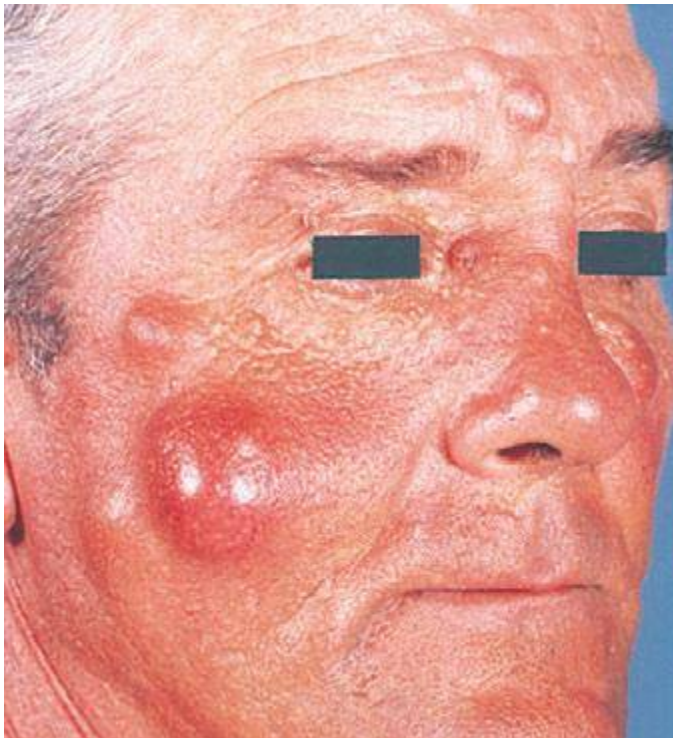


FIGURE 76e-15 **Epidermoid cysts.** Several inflamed and noninflamed firm cystic nodules are seen in this patient. Often a pathulous follicular punctum is observed on the overlying epidermal surface.



FIGURE 76e-16 **Keloids** resulting from ear piercing, with firm exophytic flesh-colored to erythematous nodules of scar tissue.



FIGURE 76e-17 **Cherry hemangiomas**—multiple erythematous to dark-purple papules, usually located on the trunk—are very common and arise in middle-aged to older adults.