

# Important allergens

The article deals with the most common contact allergens in dermatological practice.

## The most common contact allergens

The most common contact allergens include:

- **Nickel** - used in jewelry.
- **Cobalt** - used in jewelry, contained in medical materials and antiperspirants.
- **Chrome**.
- **Gold** - contained in jewelry, dental materials, intracoronary stents plated with gold and other implants.
- **Peruvian balm** - resinous balm from the bark of the tree Myroxylon pereirae contained in cosmetics.
- **Thiomersal** - methylmercury used as an antiseptic in vaccines.
- **Neomycin** - a local antibiotic used in medicine and cosmetics.
- **Bacitracin** - a local antibiotic.
- **Formaldehyde** - inhalation and contact allergen occurring in chipboard, adhesives, paints, varnishes, cosmetics and other products.
- **Fragrances** - contained in food, cosmetics, antiseptics, soaps, perfumes, etc.
- **DNCB** (dinitrochlorobenzene) - one of the strongest contact allergens.



Gold

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