

A Study on Superficial Fungal Infection from West Bengal: A Brief Report

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ABSTRACT The present study attempts to find out the distribution of superficial fungal infection with respect to socio-economic and demographic variables among a symptomatic group (112 individuals) in West Bengal. Moreover, an attempt has also been made to find out the risk factors associated with the superficial fungal infection type. The results show that *Tinea corporis* is the most common infection type and the risk factors associated with this infection are age, occupational types, history of prior *corporis* infection and unexposed parts of the body.