

# 1. Staphylococci aureus:

→ Sketchy: Ancient Egypt

→ G +ve cocci + cluster + non-motile

→ Catalase +ve + Coagulase +ve

→ Nasal carriage flora - 20-50% + people in hospitals ↑ + eczema + on fomites

Sphynx nose

→ Golden yellow colonies

→ Can undergo variable hemolysis

→ Teichoic acid & peptidoglycan - antigenic. Activate immune response. Endotoxin-Like

→ MSCRAMM protein attachment

→ Protein A

Moses wand A

→ Clumping factor A (+ coagulase) note: strep. has kinase which does opposite of staph. aureus

Moses wand A

→ Penicillin Binding protein - antibiotic resistance

→  $\beta$ -lactamase - antibiotic resistance

→ Skin infection! Skin infection! Skin infections! - 1<sup>st</sup> staph aureus. 2<sup>nd</sup> strep. pyogens Bakers sketchy

→ Skin infection - Abscess & Pus. (pimple).

→ Skin infection - Impetigo + folliculitis + Furuncle/Boils + carbuncle

→ Osteoarticular infections - Bone & joint infections

Bandage on camel

→ Infective / Acute endocarditis - Acute = Staph. aureus. Subacute = Strep. mitis

Camel running fast with O. Fast acute endocarditis

→ Bacteremia - shock

→ Pleuropulmonary

Man coughing

→ Scalded skin syndrome - Toxin. Children

Burnt bald man

→ Toxic shock syndrome - Superantigen exotoxin. Hypotension. + Streptococci pyogens

Superman cape - SPE

→ cook rotten meat? STILL TOXIC!

→ Food poisoning - Heat stable enterotoxin, vomiting + diarrhea... etc + ACUTE short incubation period 1 - 8 hours until onset + fast recovery / convalescence

Poisoned women

→ Penicillin => PRSA => Methicillin => MRSA => Vancomycin => VRSA !!



## 2. *Staphylococci epidermidis*:

→ Sketchy: Plumber

→ G +ve cocci + cluster + not motile

→ Catalase +ve + Coagulase -ve

→ Novobiocin sensitive

Belly button showing

→ Normal flora - skin + respiratory + GI tract

Dirt on plumber

→ Greyish white colonies

→ Biofilms, sticks to objects

Gunk on valves

→ Infections due to Catheter ,

+ enterococci!

Gunk. Biofilm. Sticky

Plumbers tubing

↓  
Shunt

↓  
Chronic inflammation

↓  
Prosthetics

↓  
endocarditis in artificial valve

orthopedic prosthetics

Hardware box

### 3. *Staphylococcus saprophyticus*:

→ Sketchy: female

→ G+ve cocci + cluster + not motile

→ Catalase +ve + Coagulase -ve

→ Novobiocin resistant

Belly button covered

→ Normal flora - skin + respiratory + GI tract

→ UTI in sexually active females

Bladder shaped cup



## 4. Streptococci pyogens:

→ Sketchy: Pyogens = Pie = Bakers

→ G +ve cocci + chain

→ Catalase -ve. complete  $\beta$ -hemolysis

→ Respiratory microbiota + common in urinary tract flora

→ Lancefield group A antigen

Hot Apple Pie

→ bacitracin sensitive

Dog. Basset hound EXPOSED. Sensitive

→ Has capsule. Made of hyaluronic acid. Prevents phagocytosis

Hot Apple Pie covered  $\rightarrow$  capsule

→ M Protein - antiphagocytosis, blocks C3b + adhesion + invasion

Master chef. Swat away hand, antiphagocytosis

→ F Protein - invasion

→ C5a peptidase - serine protease that breaks down C5a

→ SPE - superantigen exotoxin + Hypotension & shock

Baker wearing cape

→ Streptolysin S - non immunogenic + oxygen stable + Hemolysin that lyses blood cells

→ Streptolysin O - <sup>except cutaneous infection</sup> immunogenic (ASO antibodies) + oxygen labile + Hemolysin that lyses blood cells

Donuts + Lady with  $\lambda$  tongs. ASO

→ Streptokinase - anti-coagulant, breaks blood clots

Pi cupcakes

→ DNAase - depolymerize DNA in pus, NETs

Cinnamon twists

impl

→ **Bacterial Pharyngitis** - Bacterial tonsillitis with white pus. (no pus = viral)

Bakers wear Red handkerchief around neck

→ **Skin infections** - Pyoderma + <sup>superficial</sup> Erysipelas + <sup>deep</sup> Cellulitis (second common cause after staph. aureus)

Baker wearing red mittens

→ **Necrotizing Faciitis** - flesh eating bacteria

Burnt ginger bread

→ **Scarlet fever** - Pharyngitis + Rash + Strawberry tongue

Red handkerchief + ginger bread red + eating strawberry

→ **Toxic shock syndrome** - Hypotension due to toxins. SPE

Superman cape. Shock due to toxin. SPE!

→ **Post streptococcal infections** - Rheumatic fever + post-streptococcal glomerulonephritis → immune related

Red handkerchief  
ONLY

↓  
After pharyngitis

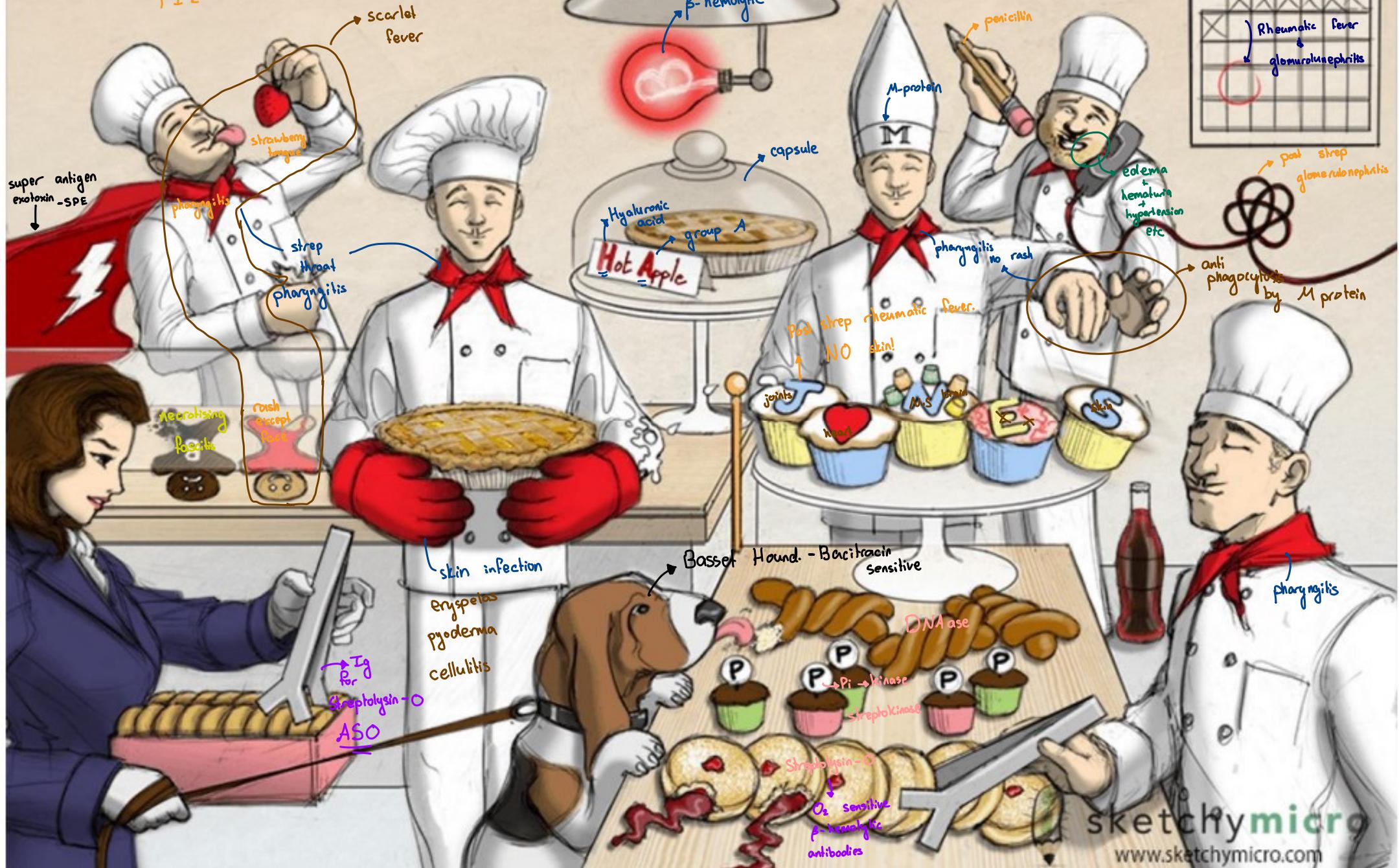
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After pharyngitis OR skin infection

↗ phone cord

No red  
mittens

J H NS  
joint heart n.s.  
skin  
brain

Streptococci Pyogens  
PIE



Streptolysin - S

No  $O_2$  - stable, no antibodies,  $\beta$ -hemolytic

## 5. Streptococci agalactiae

→ Sketchy: agalactiae = galactic = space

→ G +ve cocci + chain

→ Lancefield group A antigen

→ catalase -ve. Complete  $\beta$ -hemolytic

→ bacitracin resistant

Basset has helmet

→ Has capsule

Hippo helmet

→ Seen in vaginal flora, but its bad in pregnant women

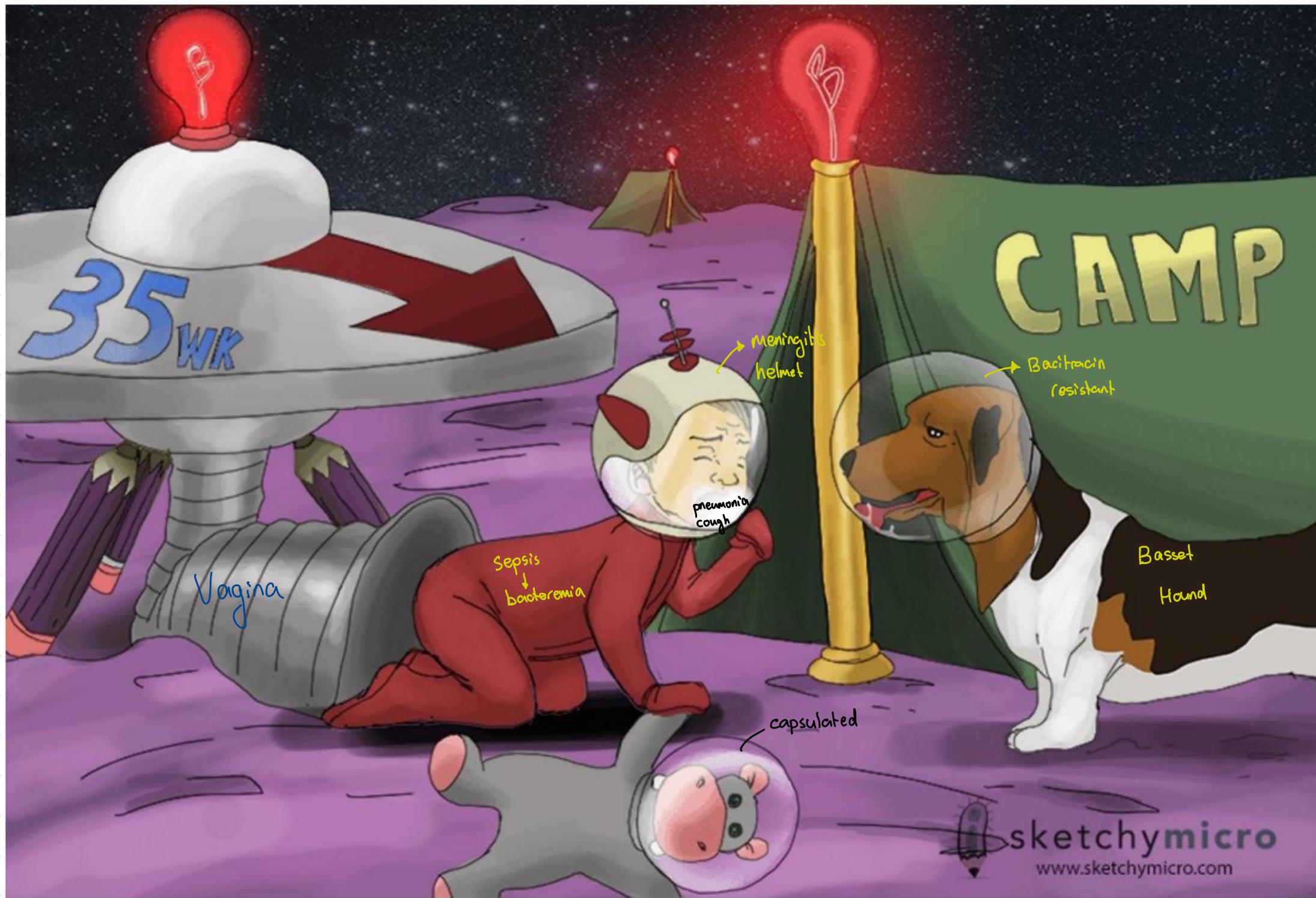
Baby coming out of tunnel from spaceship

→ Affects older people - previous bacteremia + pneumonia + bone, joint, skin, tissue infections  
↓ Red suit                      ↓ Baby coughing

→ Neonatal infections - Bacteremia (sepsis) + meningitis

Meningitis helmet + Red suit (bacteremia) ON BABY

Baby coming out of tunnel



## 6. Streptococci pneumonia

→ Sketchy: pneumonia = knight

→ gram positive cocci → PAIR

Double sword = pairs only

→ Catalase -ve. Partial  $\alpha$ -hemolytic - pneumolysis green

→ polysaccharide capsule (not hyaluronic acid) - used for polyvalent vaccine

Armor. This capsule so important.

→ non-encapsulated are avirulent. Encapsulated = pathogenic

Useless without capsule!

→ Optochin sensitive

Exposed chin

→ MOPS - meningitis + otitis media + pneumonia + sinusitis

Mopping floor

→ Colonize throat + nasopharynx, spread to other tissues causing M.O.P.S

→ IgA protease - prevents IgA from trapping it to mucin with Fc region

Cracked IgA shield

→ Amidase - Increase immune response by releasing teichoic acid & peptidoglycan fragments

→ Phosphorylcholine - Imp. for amidase function. (+ Platelet factors + cell invasion)

→ 91 types due to differ sugar arrangements in capsule. so important

## 7. Streptococci viridans

→ Sketchy: Viridans = stupid weaker  $\alpha$ -hemolytic = Joker & Donkey

→ gram positive cocci + chain

→ Catalase -ve. Partial  $\alpha$ -hemolytic → green

→ No capsule

No armor

→ Optochin resistant

chin protected

→ Colonize oropharynx

→ *S. mutans* - Dental carries  tooth adhesion

Donkey teeth  glycocalyx. Strong adhesion - biofilms

→ *S. mitis* - Subacute endocarditis

Heart on Hat  heart adhesion

Memo: mitis LIKE mitral valve



## 8. Enterococci

→ Sketchy: caucis protest

→ Gr +ve cocci + pair or short chain

→ Catalase -ve no  $\gamma$ -hemolytic - variable pattern

→ Entero = gut

→ *E. faecalis* - GI tract + UG tract

→ *E. faecium* - UGI tract + G.I. tract

→ Broad temp. + pH range + NaCl & bile salts resistant

Resisting arrest

→ Nosocomial infection - from hospital

Ambulance

→ Biofilm

Many people

→ Antibiotic resistant!

Resisting arrest

→ UTI !! Worsened with catheter!

U  $\ominus$  trees?  $\cup \Rightarrow$  UTI

→ Bile - Esculin test - *E. faecalis* +ve      \$      *E. coli* -ve  
↓  
Bile resistance  
AND  
Esculin hydrolysis



# Diseases

## 1. Staphylococci aureus: Ancient egypt

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- Toxic shock syndrome - Superantigen exotoxin. Hypotension. + Streptococci pyogens
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## 2. Staphylococci epidermidis: Plumber

- Infections due to Catheter ,  
↓ + enterococci !  
UTI
- Shunt ,  
↓  
Chronic inflammation
- Prosthetics  
↓  
endocarditis in artificial valve  
orthopedic prosthetics

## 3. Staphylococci saprophyticus: Women

- UTI in sexually active females

## 4. Streptococci Pyogens: Bakers

- Pharyngitis
- Scarlet fever
- Skin infections
- Necrotising facitis
- Toxic shock Toxin. Super antigen
- Post infection diseases Rheumatic fever / Glomerulonephritis J VNS

5. *Streptococci agalactiae*: Space baby

→ Vaginal.. neonatal infection

→ septic shock + pneumonia + meningitis

6. *Streptococci pneumoniae*: knight ↓ vs Joker

→ MOPS

7. *Streptococci viridians*: knight ↓ vs Joker

→ *S. mutans* - Dental cavities

→ *S. mitis* - subacute endocarditis

8. *Enterococci*: Protest

→ UTI

# Dr. Alaa ALL + Dr. Anas ALL :

## → Mycoplasma

- \* Only bacteria with: No cell wall + sterols in cell membrane
- \* Polymorphic

## → Bacillus Anthracis

- \* Polypeptide capsule rather than polysaccharide

## → Streptococcus pneumonia

- \* 91 types due to different order of sugars in capsule

## → Streptococcus Mutans

- \* Glycocalyx that allows it to tightly adhere to surfaces like teeth & heart valves

## → Spirochetes

- \* Contain Endoflagella

## → Bacillus Anthracis

- \* Oval + central spore

## → Clostridium Perfringens

- \* Sub-terminal + oval spore

## → Clostridium Tetani

- \* Terminal + spherical spore

## → Bacillus & Clostridium

- \* Only species able to produce spores

→ *Staphylococci aureus*

\* Two strains. MRSA & VRSA

→ *Proteus*

\* An enterobacteriaceae G-ve bacilli

\* Phenylalanine deaminase +ve

→ *Salmonella* & *Shigella*

\* G-ve bacilli

\* Phenylalanine deaminase -ve

→ *Pseudomonas Aeruginosa*

\* G-ve bacilli

\* +ve oxidase test (purple)

→ *Enterobacteriaceae*

\* G-ve bacilli

\* -ve oxidase test (colorless)

→ *Staphylococci*

\* G+ve cocci cluster

\* Catalase +ve

→ *Streptococci*

\* G+ve cocci chain

\* Catalase -ve

→ *Staphylococcus aureus*

\* G+ve cocci cluster

\* Only staphylococci with +ve coagulase test.

→ *Mycobacteria tuberculosis*

\* Present in unpasteurized milk

→ *Salmonella*

\* Present in unpasteurized milk

→ *Coxiella burnetti*

\* Present in unpasteurized milk

→ *Brucilla abortus*

\* Present in unpasteurized milk

→ *Vibrio cholera*

\* G-ve bacilli

\* 13 minute division time

→ *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*

\* 24 hour division time

→ *Staphylococci aureus*

\* G+ve cocci + cluster

\* Can grow on simple agar plate media

→ *Staphylococci aureus*

\* G+ve cocci cluster

\*  $\beta$  complete hemolysis on blood agar

→ *Streptococci pyogens*

\* G+ve cocci chain

\*  $\beta$  complete hemolysis on blood agar

### → *Streptococci viridans*

- \* G +ve cocci chain
- \* α partial hemolysis on blood agar

### → *Streptococci pneumoniae*

- \* G +ve cocci chain
- \* α partial hemolysis on blood agar

### → *Enterococci*

- \* G +ve cocci chain
- \* δ no hemolysis on blood agar

### → *Neisseria*

- \* G -ve cocci pair
- \* Grows on chocolate agar

### → *Haemophilus*

- \* G -ve bacilli
- \* Grows on chocolate agar

### → *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*

- \* Only bacteria to grow on Lowenstein - Jensen medium. Malachite green resistant.

### → *C. diphtheriae*

- \* G +ve bacilli + non-spore + aerobic
- \* Only bacteria to grow on blood tellulite agar. Potassium tellulite resistant.

### → *Enterobacteria*

- \* Resistant to bile. Mac Conkey's agar

### → *Staphylococci aureus*

- \* G +ve cocci + cluster
- \* Resistant to salt 7.5%
- \* Mannitol fermentor. Phenol red → yellow +ve

### → *Staphylococci epidermidis*

- \* G +ve cocci + cluster
- \* Resistant to salt 7.5%
- \* No mannitol fermentation. Phenol red → Red -ve

### → *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

- \* G -ve bacilli
- \* obligate aerobe. Must O<sub>2</sub>. No O<sub>2</sub> die
- \* Oxidase +ve test

### → *Bacteroid fragilis*

- \* Obligate anaerobe. Must no O<sub>2</sub>. O<sub>2</sub> die

### → *Helicobacter*

- \* G -ve bacilli
- \* micro-aerophilic. Must little O<sub>2</sub>

### → *Campylobacter*

- \* G -ve bacilli
- \* micro-aerophilic. Must little O<sub>2</sub>

### → *Clostridium perfringens*

- \* G +ve bacilli + spore forming + anaerobic
- \* aero-tolerant anaerobes. Prefer no O<sub>2</sub> but survive a bit in O<sub>2</sub>.

→ *Brucella*

\* Capnophilic

→ *Neisseria*

\* G -ve cocci pair

\* Capnophilic

→ *Vibrio cholera*

\* G -ve bacilli

\* pH 9, intestines

→ *Lactobacilli*

\* G +ve bacilli + non-spore + anaerobic

\* pH 4, produce acid waste product

→ *Geobacillus stearothermophilus*

\* Spore forming

\* Biological indicator (culture) used as test after moist heat autoclave.

→ *Bacillus anthrax*:

\* Used by Robert Koch germ theory

→ *Staphylococci epidermidis*:

\* Skin microbiota

→ *Corynebacterium*:

\* Skin microbiota

→ *Propionibacterium*:

\* Skin microbiota

→ E. coli:

\* Enterobacteriaceae

\* G.I microbiota

→ Lactobacilli & Clostridium:

\* Anaerobic

\* G.I microbiota

→ Staphylococci + Streptococci + Haemophilus + Moraxella:

\* Respiratory microbiota

\* Common in urinary tract microbiota

→ Aerobic lactobacilli only vaginal flora:

\* After birth till several weeks

→ Aerobic + anaerobic lactobacilli vaginal flora:

\* After puberty

→ Coccidi & Bacilli vaginal flora:

\* Several weeks after birth till puberty

→ Actinobacteria:

\* Bacterial Vaginosis

\* Lactobacilli die & this flourish

→ Bacteroidetes:

\* Bacterial Vaginosis

\* Lactobacilli die & this flourish

→ *E. coli*:

\* Abnormal flora seen in health care workers

→ *Staphylococcus aureus*:

\* Abnormal flora seen in health care workers

→ *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*:

\* Abnormal flora seen in health care workers

→ *Candida*:

\* Abnormal flora seen in health care workers

→ *Klebsiella*:

\* Abnormal flora seen in health care workers

→ *M. Morganii*:

\* Orthinine Decarboxylase +ve. Purple

→ *P. rettgeri*:

\* Orthinine Decarboxylase -ve. Yellow

→ *Clostridium*:

\* Results in *Clostridium difficile* infection if it increases in number due to less competition

\* Treat with fecal transplant (or vancomycin)

→ *Enterococci*:

\* Grows in 6.5% salt agar