

# Hirsutism

<b>Hirsutism</b>	Androgen-dependent hair growth (sexual, body and facial hair in women). Symptomatic in acromegaly, Cushing syndrome, AGS androgen-producing ovarian tumors, Stein-Leventhal syndrome (PCO), cerebral tumors.
	Causes: idiopathic (90%); cerebral: LH and FSH secretion; suprarenal: adrenal hyperplasia, also in diabetes type II; exogenous: intake of testosterone, anabolic steroids, phenytoin, minoxidil, spironolacton, cyclosporin.
<b>Virilism</b>	Hirsutism, virilism of the voice, larynx and the body proportions, clitoral hypertrophy.
	Causes: suprarenal-ovarian: ovarian tumors, AGS (testosterone/SHBG ratio increased considerably)

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