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Lungs are the respiratory organs of the human body. They contain tube like structures called the bronchial tubes or airways through which the air passes. When the airways are exposed to tobacco, dust, or other chemical substances for a long period of time, it is likely that a person may develop **bronchitis**.



“ Kennel cough can be caused by viruses and (or) bacteria, but it has been noted that most cases of kennel cough are caused by the bacteria called *Bordetella bronchiseptica*, which infect the windpipe of dogs (*bordetellosis*). Among the viral agents of this disease, *parainfluenza virus* is the most common. Dogs with viral kennel cough may also develop bacterial (*Bordetella*) infection simultaneously.

Self-Care Measures

Here are a few self-care measures to be taken at home if the condition does not show any serious symptoms: Things to Avoid Wet Cough in Children.



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Increasing Lung Capacity Lung capacity is defined as the total amount of air in the lungs, right after taking a deep breath; whereas lung volume is the physical dimensions of the lungs. Lung capability is calculated utilizing the different lung volumes during breathing and...

Can be a Little Different for Children

While older children have the ability and senses to spit out the mucus, younger children will swallow it. This tends to cause upset stomachs and stomach aches. While the infection will not really spread to the stomach, the discomfort for the child will increase. Persistent coughing in children can also be due to whooping cough. Hence, it is very important that one contacts the doctor at the earliest.

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