Perifollicular Fibromas

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At 24 years of age, this 43-year-old woman started developing pale to flesh-coloured papules about 2 mm in size over the forehead, nose, cheeks and back (fig. 2). Most of the papules present a central comedo. Her grandfather, father and brother have the same papular lesions. Histologically, the papule was composed of rudimentary follicles surrounded by dense concentric rings of collagen fibers with multiple capillaries and fibroblasts (fig. 3).

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Fig. 2. Dome-shaped papules on the nose and the cheek.

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Fig. 3. A rudimentary hair follicle is surrounded by dense collagen fibres.