Frequent occurrence

May be thin and watery (rhinorrhea) or thick and purulent

Depends on the type or stage of infection

Associated with itching

May irritate upper lip and skin surrounding the nose

Cough

Common feature

May be evident only during acute phase

May persist several months after a disease

Respiratory Sounds

Sounds associated with respiratory disease:

- Cough
- Hoarseness
- Grunting
- Stridor
- Wheezing

Findings on auscultation:

- Wheezing
- Crackles