

Use of Donkey Milk in Children with Cow's Milk Protein Allergy



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A percentage of infant population ranging between 1.8% and 7.5% is allergic to Cow Milk Protein.

(Iacono et al., 1992; Carroccio et al., 2000)

About 2,5% of children can have allergic reaction to dairy cows milk during the first year of their life, in most of the cases IgE-mediated.

(Sampson, 1999)

DONKEY MILK CHARACTERISTICS

Donkey milk may be considered a good substitute for dairy cow's milk derivatives in feeding children with severe Cow Milk Protein Allergy since its composition is very close to that of human milk and it has been proposed as an alternative to cow's milk for children affected by cow's milk protein allergy when it is not possible breast feeding.