3- Hashimoto's Thyroiditis: مينا مهند عبدالائمة

Hashimoto's [thyroiditis](https://www.medicinenet.com/thyroiditis/article.htm) (chronic lymphocytic thyroiditis) is an autoimmune disorder that causes inflammation of the thyroid gland. Symptoms of Hashimoto's thyroiditis are the same as hypothyroidism, typically shows an increased number of antibodies against thyroid-specific proteins, including thyroperoxidase and thyroglobulin. T lymphocytes, invade the thyroid gland cause silent, painless inflammation that destroys it; ultimately, the individual produces little or no thyroid hormone and becomes hypothyroid.