

- Seborrheic keratosis - only on skin, benign, no malignancy, esthetics is problem.
- ② Basal cell Ca. - Not in oral cavity, - Sun exposed areas, NO metastasis readily.
- ③ Verrucous - no metastasis, better prognosis than squamous cell ca., tobacco chewing
- ④ Squamous epithelium tumors - papilloma, verrucous ca., epidermoid Ca.,
- ⑤ Malignant melanoma - most common site - Palate + Max alveolar ridge.
- ⑥ Leukoplakia - white patch on mucous membrane, precancerous, Histo = can have hyperkeratosis
- ⑦ salivary gland tumor - most common on jn. of hard/soft palate → Know scale of Histo change
- ⑧ oral Leukoplakia - cause = ~~obscure~~ ^{Unknown} assoc. w/ tobacco use. not synergistic w/ alcohol use!
- ⑨ most common oral cancer site = lateral border of tongue
- ⑩ Xerostomia - sjogrens, radiation -- 398 box 11-1
- ⑪ Salivary gland tumor - most common is pleomorphic ^{benign} (mixed) adenoma. _{tumor}
- ⑫ Sublingual gland tumor - rare, but often malignant
- ⑬ Swiss cheese appearance - adenoid cystic ca.
- ⑭ Perineural - polymorphous low grade + adenoid cystic _{invasion}
- ⑮ Sjogren - 1° / 2° - 1° has dry mouth/eyes 2° has autoimmune (RA, SLE). (sicca)
- ⑯ sialolithiasis - most common in submandibular gland.
- ⑰ Mucocoele - most likely cause is severed duct
- occur on lower lip, SCC on ~~lower~~ lip, salivary gland neoplasia - upper lip.
- ⑱ MUco Ep. criteria - TABLE 11-11
- ⑲ Transformation potentials for erythroplakias - P.357 ① PVL ② Reverse smoking ③ Erythroplakia
- ⑳ Erythroplakia = 90% malignant transformation potential.
- ㉑ PVL - higher
stomatitis, nicotini - zero transformation, reverse smoking high.
- ㉒ Sialadenosis - Hormonal malnutrition, Alcohol, drug rxns
- ㉓ - oral cancer associations - tobacco, alcohol synergistic, human virus, syphilis,
- ㉔ papilloma - NO malignant change, most common Epith. lesion, tx = conservative excision, don't cut through stalk.
- ㉕ Necrotizing sialometaplasia - ~~not~~ Necrosis of acinar cells, can be difficult to separate from cancer.
- ㉖ rare metastasis - verrucous, basal cell.
- ㉗ basal layer to surface change - Ca. in situ (intraepithelial ca.).
- ㉘ site metastasis - size, degree of differentiation

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QUESTIONS FOR EXAM

SOFT TISSUE TUMORS

FIBROMA : Firm nodules on lower lip, buccal mucosa. From fibrous repair / trauma / irritation

Giant stellate
pegs
are f'n
reto

GIANT CELL FIBROMA → HALKMARK = LARGE STELLATE FIBROBLASTS.

• Can Create RETROCUSPID PAPILLAE. Thin Epithelium, long, narrow Rete pegs.

EPULIS FISSURATUM → HYPERKERATOSIS, Inflammatory Papillary Hyperplasia, PEH

INFLAMMATORY PAPILLARY HYPERPLASIA → Cobblestone Palate, Red, not Pre-malignant.

Craving pus

PYOGENIC GRANULOMA → ~~caused by~~ hormonal changes (pregnancy) help this grow. - it is from trauma / irritation. has Granulation tissue

red G of Giants
drinks Cups
of Baby teeth

PERIPHERAL GIANT CELL GRANULOMA → red, on Gingiva of edentulous area of former deciduous teeth (adults) Cup - Shaped Lucency in edentulous area.

Cause - Trauma / irritation. Can't differentiate btw. This and Pyogenic Granuloma

PERIPHERAL OSSIFYING FIBROMA → Reactive Gingival growth. Get fibrous proliferation with mineralized product. Nodular mass from interdental papilla

LIPOMA - Rare in mouth

Traumatic Amputation
of Nerve bundle

TRAUMATIC NEUROMA (AMPUTATION NEUROMA) → damage to Nerve bundle = reactive proliferation. Mental foramen ones can be impinged on by denture

solitary dome
house on palisades
No Verocay, No
Men, No malignant
neurologists

PALISADED ENCAPSULATED NEUROMA → Interlacing fascicles of schwann cells in a solitary dome-shaped Nodule. PALISADING but NO VEROCAY BODIES or ANTONI A TISSUE

• Not Assoc w/ Neurofibromatosis, MEN, NO MALIGNANT CHANGE.

NEURILEMOMA (SCHWANNOMA) → benign schwann-cell neoplasm, TONGUE.

• Encapsulated Tumor w/ ANTONI A: (Streaming fascicles of spindle-shaped Schwann cells forming palisaded arrangement around eosinophilic areas (Verocay bodies) and ANTONI B (less cellular + organized)

• Verocay Bodies = duplicated B.M. + cytoplasmic processes.

• NO NEURITES

Nerd dilemma
President Verocay
w/ the Anti A & B

NEURILEM NEUROFIBROMATOSIS → Soft nodules covered by epithelium on tongue, buccal mucosa + vestibule (or anywhere else).

~~MAN III~~ von Recklinghausen's - if multiple fibromas, cafe-o-lait spots

MEN III - MUCOSAL NEUROMA → Men III can cause multiple neuromas

• **BOX 12-1** = Pt needs 2 of these to have Neurofibromatosis:

- ① 6+ cafe-o-lait spots >5mm
- ② 2+ Neurofibromas
- ③ axillary/inguinal freckling
- ④ optic glioma
- ⑤ 2+ Lisch nodules
- ⑥ osseous lesion
- ⑦ 1st degree relative with it.

GCT looks like SCC

GRANULAR CELL TUMOR - Dorsum of tongue, can look like SCC.

CONGENITAL EPULIS → Tumor on Gingiva of infants



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HEMANGIOMA → Common tumors of infancy. at birth = pale macule w/ telangiectasias — develops rapidly in first few weeks. Self-resolves by age 5-9

VASCULAR MALFORMATION → Present at birth + persist for life. Port wine stain — on trigeminal nerve distribution.

STURGE-WEBER ANGIOMATOSIS (encephalo-trigemino angiomatosis) → has port-wine or Nevus flammeus. Can involve ~~the~~ meninges, cerebral cortex = convulsive disorders / seizures, retardation. GINGIVAL PROLIFERATION resemble Pyogenic granulomas. TRAM LINE calcifications on skull radiograph.

NASOPHARYNGEAL ANGIOFIBROMA → Vascular / Fibrous neoplasm in nasopharynx

- Seen in Youth / Males. Creates nasal obstruction / nosebleeds, * Bowing of Post. wall of Maxillary Sinus.

LYMPHANGIOMA → Lymphatic vessels proliferate. * Treat = MUST excise. Tongue involved.

LEIOMYOMA → BENIGN NEOPLASM OF SMOOTH MUSCLE

RHABDOMYOMA → " " " " SKELTAL " → Floor, soft palate, base of tongue.
- CROSS STRIATIONS to diagnose

SOFT TISSUE SARCOMAS → rare Malignant tumors

FIBROSARCOMA → Malignant Fibroblast tumor. Creates HERRINGBONE PATTERN = fascicles of spindle-shaped cells

NEUROFIBROSARCOMA → ^{50% of} It's w/ Neurofibromatosis. Peripheral nerve sheath

KAPOSI'S SARCOMA → HHV-8 causes.

RHABDOMYOSARCOMA → Malignant - skeletal muscle Most Common Soft tissue tumor of children. PALATE. 3 types: Embryonal, Alveolar + pleomorphic - Most are embryonal (resembles various stages in embryogenesis of skeletal muscle).

PEH - Misdiagnosed often.

LEUKOPLAKIA → White patch that isn't any other disease. - strictly a clinical term.

- From thickened keratin.
- Considered Pre-malignant, but has only 4% malignant transformation potential.
- Most Common Pre-cancer but not the highest transformation risk.
- MALES, SMOKERS - 80% of Leukoplakias are in smokers, can disappear when smoking stops.
 - ALCOHOL NOT ASSOCIATED. SANGUINARIA usage = Maxillary alveolar Leukoplakia.
 - UV Radiation causes Lower Lip Leukoplakia. → along w/ actinic cheilitis.
 - Treponema (dorsal tongue), Candida, HPV Also assoc.
 - Nicotine Stomatitis (pipe smokers palate), Frictional keratosis are trauma/irritations that create hyperkeratosis but Not considered Leukopl. b/c it isn't pre-malignant.
- Age 40+
- Mostly on Lip vermillion, buccal mucosa + Gingiva - sinister locations are floor of mouth, ventral tongue + vermillion of Lip. (show dysplasia).

Smooth/thin → Thick/fissured → Granular/Verruciform → Erythroleukoplakia

MORE MALIGNANT transformation →

PROLIFERATIVE VERRUCOUS LEUKOPLAKIA → a High Risk form. has rough surface projections

- Spreads slowly, transforms into SCC. STRONG FEMALE Assoc. (overall Leukoplakias more in men)
- Leukoplakia Histo: Epithelium has teardrop-shaped Rete-ridges, loss of polarity, keratin pearls
- TX: Biopsy - remove if dysplastic, check every 6 mo. if not., tell pt to stop smoking

ERYTHROPLAKIA - Red patch that isn't any other condition.

- Significant epithelial dysplasia, Carcinoma in situ, or invasive SCC.
- Tougher to see than Leukoplakia, much more dangerous.
- Older males.
- Floor of mouth, tongue, palate.
- Well demarcated erythematous macule or plaque w/ soft velvety texture
- 90% are either severe dysplasia, Ca. in situ, or superficial ~~or~~ invasive SCC.
- Lack of keratin.
- Biopsy, long-term follow up.

* Malignant transformation potential of Pre-cancerous lesions:

- ① Proliferative Verrucous Leukoplakia
- ② Nicotine Palatinus (reverse smoking)
- ③ Erythroplakia

⋮ Thick leukoplakia

⋮ Thin leukoplakia

Plummer-Vinson syndrome - assoc. w/ iron deficiency anemia

- Thin epithelium, high freq. of oral + esoph. SCC. (this is pre-cancerous)
- Burning tongue, red tongue, smooth angular cheilitis
- dysphagia from esophageal webs, spoon-shaped nails, fatigue, SOB, weak

Oral Cancer - Smoking is major cause. Alcohol alone = nothing alcohol + smoking = more cancer

- Phenols, Radiation (UV and therapeutic), Iron deficiency (Plummer-Vinson) - all are causative.
- Vitamin A protects against cancer (deficient pts at risk)

Squamous Cell Carcinoma

- Can be exophytic, endophytic, Leuko/erythroplakia
- Underlying bone may be invaded = MOTH-EXTEND pattern
- CARCINOMA OF THE LIP VERMILION
- Seen in light-skinned individuals w/ long UV exposure
- LOWER LIP, Slow growth

INTRAORAL CARCINOMA: ① LATERAL TONGUE, ② FLOOR OF MOUTH.

- Floor of mouth region starts as leukoplakia/erythroplakia in midline near frenum.
- Gingival carcinomas invade/destroy underlying bone, least assoc. w/ tobacco use.

OROPHARYNGEAL CARCINOMA: Most in tonsillar area, soft palate. the rest @ base of tongue.

- Pain + dysphagia. Metastasis likely (pt. unaware until late). goes via lymph (- HARD NODES - Fixed)
(for all metastases)

STAGING - TNM system. best indicator of prognosis (better than grading).

Grading - how much the tumor resembles parent tissue - differentiated = I anaplastic = III/IV

ORAL SCC - 58% 5yr survival rate ~~low~~ high.

- Tx = excision. Lower lip carcinoma much better prognosis than upper lip.

ORAL Squamous Papilloma - occurs all over oral cavity. Roughened texture.

- painless exophytic to cauliflower-like.
- most due to papillomavirus.
- * No known malignant potential

HEMATOLOGIC DISORDERS

Lymphoid Hyperplasia - acute rxns - large, tender, moveable nodules, Chronic Infections - Firm, moveable nodes

Hemophilia: Hemophilia A = Factor VIII deficiency, X-linked
Hemophilia B = Factor IX "

Von Willebrand's = Von W. factor deficiency = Most Common inherited bleeding disorder.
↳ mild cases

- tissue hemorrhage produces "pseudotumor of hemophilia", ~~from tissue damage~~
- Consult physician before any surgery.

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ANEMIA = decrease in O₂ carrying capacity of blood - ↓ RBC's or ↓ Hemoglobin

- Tiredness, lightheadedness, Pallor of mucous membranes

Sickle Cell - S.C. crisis - severe sickling - pain from ischemia + infarctions - 3-10 day episode.
- susceptible to infections (strep. pneumoniae).

ORAL Radiograph = ↓ trabecular pattern in mandible, hair on end skull occasionally.

Thalassemia - disorders of Hemoglobin synthesis (α or β chain)

β-Thal-minor = only one defective gene for β-globin molecule (no clinical manifestation)

β-Thal-Major = 2 defective genes. → Microcytic, hypochromic Anemia (1st year of life) → get ↑ hematopoiesis - causes marrow hyperplasia, hepatosplenomegaly, + lymphadenopathy.

- The big bone marrow can make big maxilla/mandible.
- Hair on end skull radiograph.

α-Thal - can involve 4 genes (β only has 2). 1 gene alteration = nothing bad.

2 genes = mild anemia + microcytosis

3 genes = (Hb disease) = hemolytic anemia / splenomegaly - Tx = splenectomy.

4 genes = Hydrops fetalis - fatal after birth.

APLASTIC ANEMIA → erythrocyte deficiency → (anemia), platelet deficiency (bleeding), WBC deficiency (infection).

- Gingival Hemorrhage, mucosa petechiae, purpura/ecchymoses, pale mucosa, ulcers/ulcerations.

NEUTROPENIA → low Neutrophils. Oral mucosa infection is early sign. Congenital or acquired from other causes.
- get gingival mucosal ulcerations.

Agranulocytosis → low Neutrophils + other granulocytes (low production or ↑ destruction) - a cause is chemotherapy
→ get infection, Necrotizing lesions of cheek, tongue, palate. / NUG in gingiva.

Cyclic Neutropenia - a periodic Neutrophil reduction. Get oral ulcerations in trauma-prone areas, Gingiva is most severely affected → Bone loss, recession, mobility

Thrombocytopenia - low platelets (↓ production or ↑ destruction) - get oral hemorrhages.

Polycythemia Vera - Thick Mexican blood - get CVA's, MI's, Hypertension, Splenomegaly, Erythromelalgia (burning sensation in hands + feet leading to thrombosis/gangrene).

LEUKEMIA → Malignant hematopoietic stem cells Acute/chronic, myeloid or Lymphocytic

- symptoms from ↓ in normal #'s of blood cells from crowding out by malignant
- petechiae of palate, spontaneous hemorrhage w/ low platelet count. / Ulcerations due to impaired combat of normal flora.
- Severe Gingival ulcers - deep/punched out w/ necrotic base. , get oral candidiasis, herpes
- Chloroma - diffuse swelling of oral soft tissues from infiltration of leukemic cells
- Tx - chemo, good oral health

LANGERHANS CELL HISTIOCYTOSIS → Monoclonal proliferation of dendritic mononuclear cells

- 3 subtypes:
- ① Monostotic or polyostotic eosinophilic granuloma → bone lesions, no visceral involvement
 - ② Chronic disseminated histiocytosis → Bone, skin, + visceral lesions (Hand-schüller-Christian dx)
 - ③ Acute " " → Bone Marrow, skin, viscera (Letterer-Siwe dx)

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• Men, ~~young~~ Kids

- can involve Jaws - creates "punched out"/ill defined radiolucency - can mimic periapical disease - gives "teeth floating in Air" appearance on radiograph - massive bone resorption
- can have ulcerations, or mucosa/gingiva proliferation
- Diagnosis → Mixture of histiocytes + eosinophils
 - ↳ BIRBECK GRANULES (rod-shaped "racket" bodies)

Hodgkins Lymphoma - a malignant Lymphoproliferative disorder

- get ~~large~~ enlarging masses in lymph node region
- oral involvement is RARE (OWL EYE nucleus)

Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma → Non tender swellings in vestibule, gingiva, post. hard palate

Mycosis Fungoides → a cutaneous T-cell lymphoma.

- 3 stages:
- Eczematous (erythematous) stage → well demarcated scaly patches
 - plaque stage → elevated red lesions
 - Tumor stage → become papules + nodules

- affects gingiva, palate, tongue. - get ulcerated indurated plaques + nodules.

Burkitt's Lymphoma

→ B-lymphocyte malignancy. American → Neoplasm is abdominal mass
Some jaw lesions

African → children, jaws affected (maxilla > mand)

- Tumor growth can produce facial swelling, proptosis, mobility
- get radiolucent bone destruction
- patchy loss of lamina dura

Angiocentric T-cell lymphoma

→ destroys midline structures of palate/nasal fossa. Tx - chemo/radiation.

→ palate swelling can create ulceration / oronasal fistula.

Multiple Myeloma

- plasma cell malignancy. Bone Pain. poor prognosis

- multiple "punched out" radiolucencies on skull, sometimes jaws.
- can get fractures from tumor destroying bone.
- fatigue, fever, metastatic calcifications of soft tissues, renal failure, amyloid deposits in oral mucosa / peri orbital skin petechial hemorrhages.

Plasmacytoma

- Monoclonal prolif. of plasma cells - progresses to multiple myeloma.

- presents centrally within a bone (as myeloma is multicentric).
- swelling, bone pain
- Extramedullary plasmacytoma - a soft tissue mass in Maxillary sinus, tonsillar region, or parotid gland.
- Well defined UNILOCULAR radiolucency w/ no other identifiable lesions.