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Langerhans cell - severe bone loss (teeth floating in air), eosinophils, Birbeck bodies in Langerhans cell
Leukemia - chloroma (tissue swelling from leukemic cell infiltration), ulcers, petechiae,
Pyogenic granuloma - Not a true granuloma. Tissue response to Trauma, hormones (pregnancy)

Congenital Dysplasias (6a)

— Ectodermal Dysplasia - 2 or more ectodermal structures fail to develop (ex. skin, hair, nails, teeth, sweat & salivary glands)
 X linked (male predominant) signs include anostomia, alopecia, fine hair, hypodontia, oligodontia, crown may be tapered, pointed, and smaller than normal

— White sponge Nevus also called Carrion's Dx & Familial White Folded Dysplasia present @ birth
appears: symmetric, thick white, corrugated/velvety plaque affects: buccal mucosa also may involve tongue, alveolar ridge, floor, nasal, esophageal, anogenital normally asymptomatic
 Histo - hyperparakeratosis & acanthosis w/ eosinophilic condensations of keratin tonofilaments

— Hereditary Benign Intraepithelial Dyskeratosis (HBID) also called Wittkop-Von Sallmann Syndrome
 Rare seen mainly in triracial isolates (inbred Idahoans, Canadian immigrants, and yuppie private school br)
appears childhood signs oral & conjunctival lesions (similar to white sponge) this, opaque, gelatinous plaque in conjunctiva & sometimes cornea. Eyes may itch tear/pt. can have photophobia
 more dominant in spring regress in fall, blindness from vascularity Histo cell w/in a cell

— Darier's Dx also called Keratosis Follicularis, Dyskeratosis Follicularis, Darier-White Dx.
 auto dom. problem between surface squamous epithelial cells / numerous erythematous, pruritic papules on trunk & scalp (2nd decade) lesions are rough & degradation keratin gives a foul odor
palm & heel pits / nails have lines, ridges, or painful splits, 15-50% have oral lesions which are white, flat topped (like Gibb) papules, & if clustered then colobostomatous on hard palate & alveolar mucosa
 parotid swelling in some pt. Hist rete pegs are long, narrow, & test tube shaped.

— Peutz-Jeghers Syndrome
 Auto Dom w/ 35% new mutation. Treacle-like lesions of hands, perioral, & perinasal skin & oral mucosa Pt.s have Intestinal Polyposis, starts in early childhood 85% have extremities involved color not effected by sun / are hamartomas in ileum & jejunum
 also can get intussusception (telescoping) or bowel obstruction 2-3% get GI adenocarcinoma although polyps are not considered premalignant / oral lesions 1-4 mm blue-gray macules on labial/buccal mucosa and tongue in 90% of pts

— Hereditary Hemorrhagic Telangiectasia (HHT) also call Osler-Weber-Rendu syndrome or KWC hypowinkysm
 Auto Dom mucocutaneous disorder, numerous vascular problems like vascular hamartomas
 Initially Diagnosed because epistaxis on exam many red papules (1-2mm) are seen on nasal/oropharyngeal mucosa
 The papules are small collections of capillaries (telangiectasias) that bleach seen commonly on lips tongue & buccal m.
 Also seen on hands, feet, GI & UG & conjunctiva. GI telangiectasias have a tendency to rupture and bleed / A-V fistulas develop in liver, lungs, brain. Crest similar but has autoantibodies
 Tx electro or cryo surgery, dermoplasty, Estrogen, Iron replacement for GI bleeders

— Ehlers-Danlos Synd.
 10 disorders of collagen formation - hyper mobility of joints, easily bruised, elastic skin
 80% type I (severe) or type II (mild) both auto dom & have hyperelastic & skin fragility & scarring
 type III same but no scarring / type IV & VII less type III collagen / *50% have gelm sign (touch nose w/ tongue)

— Tuberous Sclerosis
Seizures, retardation, angiofibroma of skin / Due to Auto Dom. w/ 50% new mutation
angiofibromas - smooth papules mainly in nasiolabial fold / (ungual fibromas) around nails, shagreen patches (CT hamartoma) on trunk, ash-leaf (hypopigmented area) seen w/ woody lamp

- Epidermolysis Bullosa

blistering mucocutaneous disease (detachment of epithelial cells) 3 main types
① Simple = mild form → ② Junctional = skin sloughs off during birth through vagina baby dies → ③ **Dystrophic** = oral lesions, dental abnormalities (anodontia, enamel hypoplasia neonatal teeth, & carries) / Atro dom. dystrophic form not life threatening but disfiguring = vesicles in low grade trauma areas (knees knuckles) they pop leaving ulcers then scars
Resistive dystrophic form more debilitating, vesicle in minor trauma w/ infection scars can fuse Pt's fingers Immunohistochemistry helps diagnose
Dystrophic form predispose Pts to squamous cell carcinoma (Be gentle to these Pt.s)

Autoimmune (IIg's)

Pemphigus P. vulgaris ^{most common}, P. vegetans, P. erythematosus, & P. foliaceus ^{T* oral lesions more common}
P. vulgaris if untreated can kill, ^{T*} oral lesions 1st sign "1st to show & last to go" results from autoantibody against epidermal cells glycoproteins part of DESMOSOMES
Age 50 / Pt.s have pain in palate, labial/buccal mucosa, ventral tongue & gingiva are involved can get thin walled oral vesicles that rupture quickly - Positive Nikolsky Sign
Take biopsy from perilesional tissue / epithelium sloughs off leaving basals cell described as "Rows of Tombstones" / Acantholysis = separation of epithelial cells
Intraepithelial Separation just above basal cell layer
^{T*} Tank cells loose rounded cells epi. cells (seen in Herpes also)
^{T*} Immunofluorescents helps diagnose / Steroid therapy ^{T*} to morbidity

Cicatricial Pemphigoid also called Benign mucous membran pemphigoid ^{T*}
chronic blistering mucocutaneous disease autoimmune looks like pemphigus
^{T*} Cicatricial means scar ^{T*} attacks basement membranes age 60 Primarily ^{Mucosal lesions} ~~at~~
start as vesicle then rupture & leave large ulcers can last for wks/mos.
^{T*} Pericalls this Desquamative Gingivitis ^{T*} Eyes can be involved you get
^{T*} Symblepharons (adhesions), entropion (scarring turns eyelids in), trichiasis (eyelash rubs cornea)
eye are dry cause closed lacrimal ducts
Perilesion tissue shows subepithelial clefting / immunofluorescence shows linear band @ basement membran differs from linear IgA disease cause IgG & C3 are primary immune deposit
send to ophthalmologist can use ^{T*} steroids

→ Erythema Multiform (3q)

vesiculobullous, ulcerative disease w/ unknow cause 50% ~~other~~ preceded by infections like Herpes simplex or Mycoplasma pneumoniae
acute onset ranging from ulceration of mouth to sloughing off of all skin (toxic necrosis)
Age 20-30 sex Male you get fever, headache, cough, & malaise (prodromal)

• many forms of skin lesions. Early - Flat, round, dark red → evolve into bullae w/ necrotic center

"TARGET LESIONS" concentric erythematous Rings

• oral lesions - start as erythematous patches, become necrotic, form ulcer

E.M. MAJOR (Stevens-Johnson Syndrome) - more severe, Drug-Triggered

↳ Has to have ocular + Genital lesions w/ oral + skin lesions

Toxic Epidermal Necrolysis - most severe form. Triggered by drug. diffuse sloughing of skin + mucosa
- skin heals in 2-4 wks if they survive, may have permanent ocular damage

- Histo of E.M - SUBEPITHELIAL Vesiculation w/ Necrotic Basal cells
- Inflammatory infiltrate w/ perivascular orientation
 - Tx: corticosteroids
- psoriasis also

ERYTHEMA MIGRANS (geographic Tongue)

- Common benign condition. F 2:1.
- A type of hypersensitivity rxn or hormonal factors.
- White lesions w/ atrophic Red centers. Red from Atrophy of Filiform Papillae.
- Histo: Collections of neutrophils (MUNRO ABSCESSES) seen in Epithelium
- Resembles Psoriasis

REITER'S SYNDROME - urethritis, arthritis, conjunctivitis (can't pee, see or climb a tree)

- Young Males. Get it after dysentery or venereal disease
- Oral lesions = painless erythematous papules or ulcers, geographic tongue
- Skin lesions - erythematous erosions w/ scalloped whitish boundary.
- Histo: Similar to psoriasis. Microabscesses in superficial epith., hyperparakeratosis + elongation of Rete

LICHEN PLANUS: Immune-mediated, related to stress?

- Some drugs can produce similar lesions (Lichenoid mucositis)
- Pruritic Purple POLYGONAL PAPULES w/ WICKHAM'S STRIAE (fine white network of lines)
- 2 oral forms: RETICULAR: Buccal mucosa. INTERLACING STRIAE. Asymptomatic.
- EROSIVE: Gingiva. RADIATING STRIAE. SYMPTOMATIC. erythematous w/ central areas of ulceration. Produces desquamative Gingivitis.
- Histo: Ortho/parakeratosis. SAW-TOOTH Rete Ridges. Band of T-lymphocytes adjacent to epith.
- Can diagnose on just clinical findings

PSORIASIS: proliferation of cutaneous keratinocytes. Well-demarcated erythematous plaques with silvery scale.

- Erythema Migrans is possibly intraoral psoriasis (both have Munro Abscesses)
 - Histo: Surface has thick Parakeratin. MUNRO ABSCESSES seen - perivascular inflammatory cell infiltrate.
 - Tx - steroids, keratolytic agents, UV light.
- Erythema Multiform also

LUPUS ERYTHEMATOSUS: SLE + CLL

- ① SLE: Multisystem disease related to B-cell activity + abnormal T-cell function Cause: unknown
 - ~~Early~~ Early stages - vague symptoms - fever, malaise, wt. loss. Common finding: Butterfly Rash, Kidney Problems, Libman-Sacks endocarditis (vegetation deposition of immune complex)
 - ORAL: Lichenoid appearance but varies. Ulceration, pain, hyperkeratosis.
 - ② Chronic Cutaneous L.E. → Primarily affects skin + oral mucosa.
 - few signs of SLE, skin lesions called discoid Lupus Erythematosus. Early red patches - worse in Sun atrophy, scarring + hyperpigmentation.
- Histo of L.E.: oral lesions: hyperkeratosis, atrophy + thickening of spinous layer. basal layer degeneration
 - Pt's should avoid UV light. Give immunosuppressive drugs
 - Renal failure common cause of death.

SYSTEMIC SCLEROSIS (scleroderma). Dense Collagen deposits

- 1st Sign: Raynaud's Phenomenon. Also get resorption of finger tips. This w/ flexion contractions produces short CLAW-LIKE fingers.
- Skin = hard w/ smooth texture. MASK face, Mouse Face (microstomia)
- Fibrosis of organs = organ failure
- ^{ORAL} Microstomia - purse string appearance. gingival recession, ~~loss of tongue mobility~~ loss of tongue mobility widening of PDL.
- Localized scleroderma - "Coup de Sabre" on a patch of skin.
- Histo: diffuse collagen deposition - replacing + destroying normal tissue.
- Microstomia can cause severe oral health problems.

CREST Syndrome - mild variant of Systemic Sclerosis

Calcinosis Cutis - calcifications in skin

Raynaud Phenomenon

Esophageal dysfunction

Sclerodactyly - stiff claw-like flexure of fingers.

Telangiectasus - on facial skin + lips

Diagnosis: anti-centromere antibodies.

BONE PATHOLOGY



OSTEOGENESIS IMPERFECTA - Impaired Collagen Maturation

- Most Common Heritable bone disease.
- Bone fragility, Blue Sclera, altered teeth, hearing loss, bone + spine deformity, Joint hyperextensibility.
- ORAL: Dentinogenesis Imperfecta, Maxillary Hypoplasia w/ Class III. Radiograph similar to Florid cemento-osseous dysplasia
- Type I - common + mild form. Type II - Most severe form (90% stillborn) Type III - Mod. - severe bone fragility 2/3 die in childhood Type IV - mild - mod. bone fragility

OSTEOPETROSIS - Increased Bone Density from non-functioning osteoclasts = ~~no~~ no remodelling.

- Bone growth without resorption → Thickened Bone.

INFANTILE Form (malignant Form): Marrow failure, Fracture, Cranial Nerve Compressions (with fracture).

- Kidney, Liver Growth, Infections, osteomyelitis
- Delayed tooth eruption, extraction osteomyelitis

Adult (Benign) Form → limited to Axial skeleton, rare marrow failure, sometimes Bone Pain → Cranial Nerve Compression (w/ or w/out Fracture)

- Tx -

CLEIDOCRANIAL DYSPLASIA → defect in osteoblast differentiation + Bone Formation.

- Malformed / absent clavicles, Short, large head w/ Bossing, Hypertelorism, depressed Bridge of nose.
- Persistent open Fontanels + Cranial Sutures
- Dental: high palate (no cleft), deciduous retention / delayed perm. eruption, numerous unerupted teeth.
- Narrow Ramus, pointed coronoid Processes, thin zygomatic arch, prognathism.

FOCAL OSTEOPOROTIC MARROW DEFECT - Non-Pathologic area of marrow big enough to be a radiolucency.

- Ill defined lucency a few cm in size. 75% are Adult Females, Post. Mandible

IDIOPATHIC OSTEOSCLEROSIS - Focal increased Radiodensity ^{usually} around roots of teeth.

- ~~AKA Jansen's Bone Islands~~ - Age: 20's - well defined Rounded mass 3-20 mm.
- Mandibular Molar/PM area. Must rule out Condensing Osteitis (pulp disease).
- No treatment, biopsy if expansion present.

MASSIVE OSTEOLYSIS - Rare Spontaneous destruction of bone. Vanishing bone disease

- Young. Pelvis, humerus, Axial skeleton. Maxillofacial ~~bone~~ involvement
- mobile teeth, pain, malocclusion, Midline deviation, pathologic Fracture, sleep apnea.
- loss of Lamina dura

PAGET'S DISEASE (OSTEITIS DEFORMANS)

- Abnormal anarchic Resorption + Deposition.
- Common age 40 Male white.
- usually Polyostotic. Leg Bowing, Fracture, bone + joint pain, pressure neuropathy.
- progressive alveolar ridge expansion → Teeth spacing, dentures don't fit.
- Patchy sclerotic areas w/ Cotton wool Appearance. MOSAIC Pattern (microscopic), Marrow is replaced by vascular Fibrous CT (radiographic)
- elevated Alkaline Phosphatase, elevated urinary hydroxyproline levels
- Risk of osteosarcoma

CENTRAL GIANT CELL GRANULOMA - Not a real granuloma, non-neoplastic, UNIQUE TO JAW

- Anterior Mandible
- Painless expansion
- Aggressive ones = pain, rapid growth, cortical perforation, root resorption.
- Uni locular or M.L. 5mm - 10cm⁺
- Indistinguishable from Hyperparathyroid, Cherubism, aneurysmal bone cyst - must do differential diagnosis.
- Many multinucleated Giant cells in stroma of spindle-shaped mesenchymal cells.
- usually non-aggressive.
- w/ lots of vessels + hemorrhage.

GIANT CELL Tumor - a true neoplasm, found in long Bones

- can't distinguish from CGCG histologically but behavior is diff - 10% metastasis and higher recurrence.

CHERUBISM - Happens in kids, stabilizes at puberty then slowly regresses. This is a developmental Jaw disease.

- Rounded face, Eyes pointed upwards
- posterior Mandible = symmetrical Multilocular expansion
- Maxillary - in tuberosity areas.
- The bone widens + distorts alveolar ridges = Tooth displacement, altered eruption
- Almost always in jaws but sometimes in clavicle, ribs + humerus
- Microscopically similar to CGCG. Longstanding lesions become more fibrous w/ less Giant Cells.

SIMPLE BONE CYST - a benign cavity in bone w/ NO epithelial lining = (a pseudocyst)

- Mostly long bones, sometimes Mandible - PM/Molar Region - well delineated RL, scalloped upward between roots of teeth (UL)
- Do a Pulp Test, can be associated w/ cemento-osseous dysplasia.
↳ The tooth is vital.

ANEURYSMAL BONE CYST - Non-Neoplastic but mimics neoplasm, NOT A TRUE CYST

- Cause: Trauma, Vascular malformation - disrupts the bone hemodynamics.
- Tons of blood filled spaces surrounded by fibrous CT and reactive bone. Blood-soaked sponge.
- Usually in long bone 2% in Jaw - post. Mand.
- Rapid swelling/pain. UL or ML RL w/ cortical expansion, Ballooning Bone contour (blow-out) Sometimes has R.O. foci or small trabeculae.

FIBRO-OSSEOUS LESIONS - have Fibrous Tissue + Osseous (bone/cementum) tissue.

① FIBROUS DYSPLASIA → Normal bone replaced by excessive fibrous CT intermixed w/ irregular bone trabeculae. (The normal bone is regressing back to woven bone stage)

- MONOSTOTIC, Jaws common (MAXILLA > mand)
- Ground Glass appearance w/ expansion ^{in jaws}, Long bones are RL (microscopically the same though).
- Narrow PDL, Lamina dura indistinct, I.A. Nerve displaced superiorly.

POLYOSTOTIC (PFD) → Jaffe-Lichtenstein = PFD w/ cafe-o-lait
→ McCune Albright = PFD, Cafe-o-lait, and Endocrinopathies

- Histo: CHINESE CHARACTERS - woven trabeculae in fibrous stroma

• Can get Osteosarcoma

② CEMENTO-OSSEOUS DYSPLASIA → Focal Periapical Florid. - only in jaw (cemento), non-neoplastic
- ↑ in R.O. over Time
- has Histo of: Woven Bone, Lamellar bone + cementum-like particles mixed in cellular CT.

③ FOCAL - only one lesion. young white Females. Less than 1.5cm. Post Mand.

- if R.O. - has a thin R.L. rim.
- gritty tissue not easily separated from bone.

b) Periapical - Black middle aged Females, anterior Mand. * Vital teeth (pulp test). < 1cm
- PDL Intact - opacity not fused to tooth.

c) FLORID - Black mid-age Females - MULTIFOCAL but not limited to ant. mand.
- RL or RO. Sometimes assoc. w/ Simple Bone Cyst

③ OSSIFYING FIBROMA - True Neoplasm - Mix of Fibrous Tissue + bony trabeculae, or cementum spherules
• Female 30 PM/M region Mand. usually single lesions
• Large lesions produce painless swelling. + downward bow of inferior mandible.
• Well defined RL w/ sclerotic border that has varying amounts of radiopacity.

Juvenile Ossifying Fibroma - more aggressive, found in Maxilla

- Maxilla impinges on sinuses, orbit, nose + cranium.
- Cellular fibrous tissue w/ strands of osteoid.
- Growth variable - faster in younger kids

OSTEOMA - Benign tumor of mature bone restricted to Craniofacial skeleton.

- Periosteal = slow growing mass Endosteal = asymptomatic or slow enlargement.
- on condyle - deviates midline - lobular mass
- Radiograph: Circumscribed Sclerotic Mass

GARDNER SYNDROME - Osteomas, supernumerary teeth, epidermoid cysts, Colon Polyps / colon cancer.

OSTEOBLASTOMA + OSTEIOD OSTEOMA - microscopically identical bone neoplasms

Osteoblastoma - in vertebrae, Sacrum, calvarium, long bones, digits, - no pain

Osteoid osteoma - Femur, tibia + Phalanges. - opaque center RL edge, Pain.

CEMENTOBLASTOMA → Same as osteoblastoma but attached to tooth.

- Post. Mand - 1st Molar 50%. Children / Young Adults.
- opaque mass fused to Root w/ RL Rim
- Extract mass, Root amputation + endo

CHONDROMA - Benign Neoplasm of hyaline cartilage. Uncommon in Jaw - usually in fingers + toes

- Multiple chondromas in Ollier dx or Maffucci Syndrome
- RL w/ central opacity.

CHONDROMYXOID FIBROMA - Benign Neoplasm at metaphysis of long bones - Jaw lesions Rare.

- Circumscribed RL w/ sclerotic margin 1-6 cm. Can confuse w/ chondrosarcoma histologically.

SYNOVIAL CHONDROMATOSIS - non-neoplastic arthropathy - cartilaginous nodules form within synovial membrane

- usually in one large joint - knee elbo hip shoulder. (condyle is rare)
- Radiographically - Loose Bodies in joint - Round + irregular radiopacities, widened joint space.

Desmoplastic FIBROMA - Bone tumor of fibroblast tissue.

- Metaphyseal region of humerus most common. Molar - ramus region of mandible. at age 14.
- Painless swelling w/ RL in bone
- composed of bland collagenous CT, sometimes locally destructive

OSTEO SARCOMA - Most common 1° Malignancy of Bone (non-hematopoietic).

- Young - distal femur / proximal tibia Old - assoc. w/ Paget's dx in axial skeleton.
- 6-8% in jaws. Swelling/pain, loose teeth, paresthesia, nasal obstruction
- 3 subtypes: Osteoblastic, chondroblastic, Fibroblastic histologically.
- RL or RO, ill defined. Widening of PDL. Osteophytic Rxn (Sun Ray) in 25%.
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CHONDROSARCOMA - malignant neoplasm forming cartilage. Rare in Jaws (maxilla)

- painless mass. loosening of teeth, epistaxis, nasal obstruction, visual disturbances.

EWING'S SARCOMA: 1° bone malignancy - Neuroendocrine origin

- 90% show Reciprocal translocation. Jaw lesions Rare.
- Peak is 2nd Decade ~~for~~ 80% less than 20 yrs Rare in Brotha's
- Pain, Paresthesia, loose teeth
- ONION SKIN periosteal Reaction (in long bones)
- Histo: ROUND cells, *angiotropism (congregate around Blood vessels), Necrosis

Metastatic Jaw Tumors - Uncommon for met's - but can commonly involve the mandible Microscopically.

- Most Jaw Met's in Mandible.
- Pain, loose teeth, paresthesia
- Lucent lesion well or ill defined (moth eaten)
- Can mimic Periapical dx - occasional widened PDL space.
- Some carcinoma met's can stimulate bone growth - (usually osteolytic but can be osteosclerotic)
- Stage IV - less than 1 yr survival

Neuroblastoma - most common solid tumor of Childhood