

* extramedullary hematopoiesis : spleen & liver
 Bone marrow is *عظمي الجذع*

* anemia: reduce oxygen transport capacity (not diagnosis)

↑ bleeding

↑ RBCs destruction

↓ RBCs production

- Clinical cues :

1) fainting 2) pallor 3) tachycardia 4) jaundice 5) gall bladder/sten

6) red urine

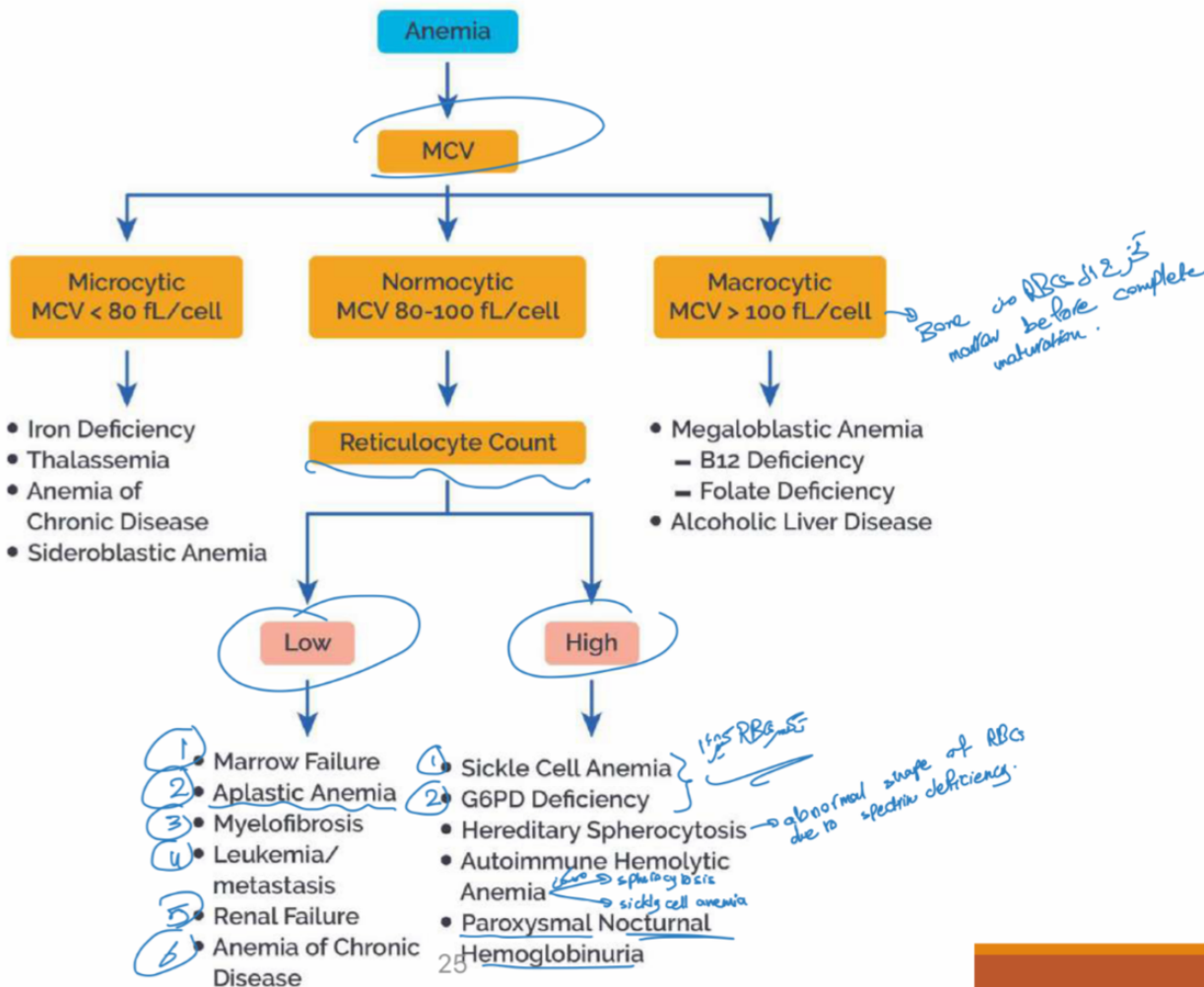
- work up : 1) CBC 2) blood smear

- reticulocytes corrected count
 ↑ 3% → bone marrow good
 ↓ 2% → defective bone marrow

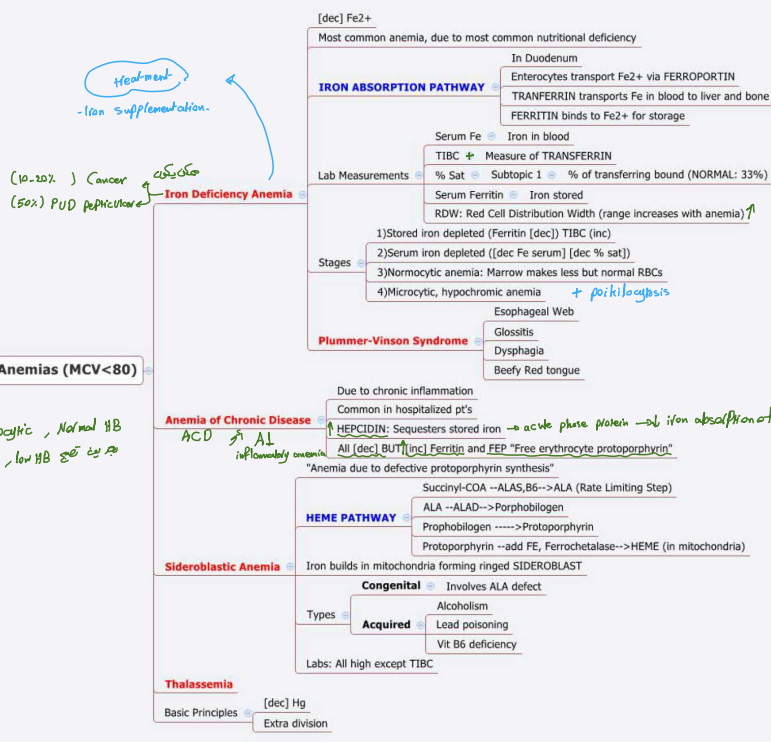
↑ hemolysis
 → chronic blood loss

reticulocyte % X $\frac{\text{Acute HCT}}{\text{Normal HCT}}$

CLASSIFICATION OF ANEMIAS



Iron deficiency anemia



* every 3 transferrin bound to one molecule of Fe

* hepcidine → inhibit the absorption of GI
 liver cells → liver cells → not specific

* Causes of Iron deficiency anemia:

- 1- malnutrition
- 2- malabsorption (celiac disease), gastritis
- 3- ↑ demand pregnancy, labor
- 4- chronic blood loss

inflammation GI bleeding peptic ulcer Cancer

* Clinical presentation of iron deficiency anemia:

- 1) Usually is Asymptomatic
- 2) weakness → severe cases.
- 3) spooning of finger nails (koilonychia)
- 4) pica (أكل التراب)
- 5) glossitis & cheilitis

anemia of chronic disease

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 ↓ Microcytic, Normal HB
 = low HB

↓ hepcidine ← macrophages → { IL-10, IL-6 }

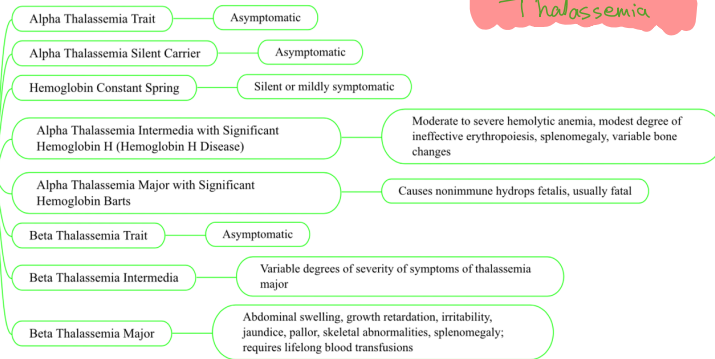
↓ erythropoietin production ← { IL-10, TNF }

① ↓ hepcidine ② exogenous erythropoietin : Treatment ACD ✗
 in Cancer patients ↓

Microcytic Anemias (MCV < 80)

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Thalassemia Type + Symptoms



Thalassemia

↓ MCV ↓ MCH ↓ CBC ↓ Hct ↓ Hb

↓ production of α, β AB

* ↓ the production of unaffected globin chain

* α thalassemia: ↓ HB ↓ MCV ↓ MCH

* diagnosis of thalassemia ① CBC ② blood smear ③ electrophoresis ④ family hx.

Normal MCV & MCH.

