



* Anemia *

1) Microcytic MCV (< 80 fL/cell) :-

A) Iron deficiency - B) Anemia of chronic disease C) Thalassemia

(A & B) \rightarrow problem in heme (iron) (C) \rightarrow problem in globin

A) Cause: malabsorption as in celiac disease (damaged villi of duodenum)

or gastrectomy (we need acid to absorb Fe) or in chronic blood loss (GIT resection,

lab msmt: Serum Fe \downarrow , TIBC \uparrow , % Saturation \downarrow , Serum ferritin \downarrow , RDW

ferritin \downarrow , TIBC \uparrow & vice versa

clinical: koilonychia, glossitis, Angular stomatitis

B) Cause: inflammation or chronic disease which leads to reducing Serum Fe

so that body can protect itself & not allow bacteria to feed on Fe.

lab msmt: \uparrow ferritin, TIBC \downarrow , \downarrow Serum Fe, % Saturation \downarrow .

\hookrightarrow ferritin increased \uparrow bcz hepcidin didn't allow macrophages to release it

C) we have α -Thal. & β -Thal. To start with α -Thal \rightarrow Chromosome 16:-

gene deletion of alpha chain of hemoglobin, inherited autosomal recessive.

\downarrow HB, \downarrow MCV, \downarrow MCH & it's of 4 types \downarrow

1) ^{severe} Barts Δ Syndrome (Δ hydrops fetalis) absence of all α chains \rightarrow No HbA. (y)

2) ^{increased} HBH disease absence of 3 α chains. (By) transfusion rare need

3) ^{mild} α -Thal. trait absence of 2 " α " (cys / trans) \rightarrow no treatment

4) ^{Normal} " silent carrier " " 1 " \rightarrow no abnormalities

(Notes RDW changes) $\begin{cases} \text{shape} \rightarrow \text{poikilocytosis} \\ \text{size} \rightarrow \text{anisocytosis} \end{cases}$

1) Now for β -thalassaemia \rightarrow mutation of their genes on chromo. 11

Note: β گلوبولن کی پیداوار میں کمی یا عدم موجودگی، رکن آلفا کی جینوں میں کمی کو کہتے ہیں۔

* Mutations: 1) absent (B^0) 2) diminished (B^+) \rightarrow 3 types:

1) Minor (heterozygous) only 1 has mutation B/B^+ or B/B^0 (normal)

2) Intermedia (homozygous) B^+/B^+ or B^+/B^0 (normal-mild)

3) Major (homozygous) B^0/B^0 \rightarrow no Beta Production (severe)

(bone marrow) Intramedullary \rightarrow Apoptosis of RBC Extramedullary \rightarrow RBC hemolysis (spleen) ^{liver, spleen}

bone & appear

* Major \rightarrow target cells $\&$ bone marrow \rightarrow erythroid hyperplasia $\&$ splenomegaly
ineffective erythropoiesis \rightarrow \uparrow erythropoietin \rightarrow erythroid hyperplasia + deformities

"hair on end" on skull + "chipmunk" appearance of face + 2nd degree hemochromatosis

Lab msmt \rightarrow \downarrow HbA, \uparrow HbA2 treat \rightarrow iron chelate + splenectomy

Note: - B19 virus close RBC production, thalassaemia protect from malaria

* Iron Fe absorbed in "duodenum"

* B12 absorbed in "ileum"

* Folic Acid absorbed in "jejunum"

NOTES

• Cobalamin \rightarrow B12, • pyridoxine \rightarrow B6

for DNA synthesis for iron formation

* Megaloblasts

enlargement of erythrocyte precursors

* Giant Metamyelocytes

enlargement of granulocyte precursors



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② Macrocytic (MCV > 100 fL/cell)

A) Megaloblastic cause B) Non-Megaloblastic

A) Cause is deficiency in B12 or in folate → both imp for DNA & protein
we will have * megaloblasts (abnormal erythroid precursor) ^{large} showing

"Nucleo-cytoplasmic asynchrony" & will have macrocytes (mature RBC with ↑MCV)

impaired DNA synthesis → ineffective erythropoiesis → macrocytes in peripheral

blood & hypersegmented neutrophils & nucleated RBC (immature nucleus) &

Pancytopenia (↓WBC ↓RBC ↓Platelet) & ↓retic count & giant metamyelocytes

Cobalamin (B12) deficiency leads → Neurological disorders!

* B12 defncy → ① Intake ② disorder ③ absorption.

2 → Autoimmune antibodies against IF (intrinsic factor) or against Parietal cells
as in (Pernicious Anemia) * so no absorption of B12 (becc. disease)

3 → damage to ileum as in Crohn's disease.

* Note → ② ↑ homocystein → ↑ thrombosis

متى هم كثير لى Patho

① ↓ B12 / ↓ folate why?

③ becc. activated tetrahydrofolate THF will give:

methy → B12 → methylated → give methy to

homocysteine → methione.

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③ Normocytic. (80-100 fL/cell) → RT count $\begin{matrix} \nearrow \text{low} \\ \searrow \text{high} \end{matrix}$

if RT is low → "Aplastic Anemia", but first remember ↓

* Corrected reticulocyte Count = $RT\% \times \frac{\text{Actual HCT}}{\text{Normal HCT}}$ $\begin{matrix} \nearrow ? \\ \searrow \end{matrix}$ $\begin{matrix} > 3\% \text{ high} \\ < 2\% \text{ low} \end{matrix}$

④ "Aplastic Anemia" = bone marrow disorder → Pancytopenia

normochromic normocytic Anemia with low reticulocyte count (<3%)

(it's Aplastic anemia in case of NO neoplasia or fibrosis) but may

be bec of drugs, disease (SLE → autoimmune), Infections (B19, EBV)

You should give immunosuppression for T cell activation

⑤ "Hemolytic Anemia" → Sickle, G6PD, hereditary spherocytosis, Autoimmune...

↓ RBC survival, ↑ BT, ↑ indirect Bilirubin, ↑ LDH

① Intravascular

② Extravascular

No break of Hb & ↓ in

break down of Hb so ↑ in

haptoglobin that captures it

unconjugated bilirubin but

hemoglobinemia, "urea,

no Hb in urine or blood, ↑ LDH

hemosideruria after days, ↑ LDH

- ① hemoglobin- opathies Sickle
- ② membrane defects Spherocytosis
- ③ Enzyme deficiency G6PD

We will start with sickle on next page →



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* **Sickle Cell Anemia** (Normocytic) → autosomal recessive

1) more common than β -thalassaemia ... 2) Point mutation on chrom. 11
it's reversibly sickling due to hypoxia, dehydration, acidosis but may
later be irreversible & damage its membrane & closes narrow vessels

"vasoocclusion" → infarction (kidney, liver, spleen, BM)

Hb S (Glu → val) Hb C (Glu → lys) • We will have ↓

(1) Chronic hemolysis gall stones ↑, erythropoiesis ↑, "hair on end skull", ...

(2) Ischemic Manifestation obstructions, "Dactylitis" → infarcts in bones ^{swelling}
also autosplenectomy → ↑ encapsulated infections & will show Howel-Jolly bodies

* **G6PD deficiency** aka "favism" → **↓ G6PD Anemia** ✓

X linked recessive disorder, ↓ G6PD → ↑ ROS (oxidative stress ↑) → ↑ hemolytic Anemia

Why G6PD? "PPP" pentose phosphate pathway → ↑ NADPH → ↑ reduced glutathione

oxidant stress? Drugs (sulfonamides, purantins, antimalarial, ...) + favism + ROS

leads to **Heinz bodies** & bite cells (by denaturation of globin chains)

* **Hereditary Spherocytosis** → congenital hemolytic Anemia

abnormal spectin and Ankyrin tethering proteins → RBC membrane blebs →

Spherical RBC → killed at spleen before 120 days → Splenomegaly +

Jaundice + Anemia + ↑ RT • loss of central Pallor + high MCHC ↑ + howel -

Jelly bodies (nuclear DNA remnant) to treat → splenectomy (to reduce hemolysis)

↑ osmotic fragility (when kept in hypotonic saline solution)

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* Immune Hemolytic Anemia (AIHA) → 3 categories 

Complement cascade → Classical (extravascular) + Alternative (intravascular)

Classical → C1 complex (Antigen + IgG) Alternative → C3 → MAC

① Warm antibody (IgG / IgA) → extravas, spherocytes, Primary & 2nd reasons
2nd :- lymphoproliferative disorders, Autoimmune disease (SLE), Drugs (cephalosporins & penicillin)

② Cold Antibody (IgM) → Clumping & complement fixation → IgM agglutinate

(intra & extra vascular) → hemolysis in hand/feet in cold weather.
reasons :- Infectious Mononucleosis (EBV), mycoplasma infection, lymphoproliferative disorders

* Paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria (PNH)

Caused by acquired somatic mutation in X-linked PIGA gene.

↑CO₂ → ↑acidosis (PH↓) → fixation of complement system → becz of mutated PIGA gene there's no GPI anchor protein to hold CD55 & CD59 then → activation of complements → MAC complex → hemolyse RBC

* Anemias due to mechanical trauma to RBC's

Cells disrupted by physical trauma due to :- Cardiac valve prosthesis, Microangiopathic hemolytic Anemia, HUS, TTP so RBC appear as spherocytes, burr cells, helmet cells

disorders of coagulation




* Coagulation Disorders *

- 1) Primary Hemostasis → vessel / Platelet / VWF
 - 2) Secondary → Coagulation & Anticoagulant factors
 - 3) Plasmin Activation & fibrin dissolution
 - 1 → prothrombin → extrinsic → common → intrinsic
 - 2 → fibrinogen → 7 → 1, 2, 5, 10 → 9, 11, 12, 8
 - Anticoagulants → Protein S / Protein C
 - vitamin K dependent / bound to * uWf
- BT (bleeding time), PTT (partial thromboplastin time: intrinsic), PT (prothrombin: extrinsic)
- FT (thrombin time: final step of converting to → fibrin)
- Primary clinical presentation → mucosal / skin bleeding, 2nd → deep bleeding

* Hemostasis disease *

- | ① Hypocoagulability | ② Hypercoagulability | ③ Platelet disease |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| A) hemophilia A (factor 8) | A) factor 5 leiden disease | المرض الوراثي |
| B) " B (" 9) chimeras | (most common) → makes it | المرض المكتسب |
| C) vWD (most common) | resistant to Protein C | type → ① thrombocytopenia |
| A → X-linked recessive, 2 nd hemo | | type → ② Qualitative |
| B → " " | | |
- C → binds to GPIb & we use Ristocetin test
- C → Autosomal dominant disorder
- to treat we use desmopressin "DDAVP"

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autosomal R ^{12x5}

② A: Bernard Soulier ...

B: Glanzman thrombasth.

↓ GP1b, enlarged platelet, ↑ BT

↓ GP2b, ↓ GP3A, ↑ BT

response to ADP ✓

normal morphology, agg. to

" to vwf & ristocetin X

ADP X, to vwf ✓

A:

① Idiopathic (most common) ^{acute} _{chronic} ↑ BT

child

acute → infection (varicella, bruising & petechia, IgG against GP2B & 3A)

adult

chronic → same but no infection. 2nd day: SLE, HIV, drugs, ...

treat → IV immunoglobins + steroids & immunosuppression + splenectomy (severe)

B:

② Microangiopathic thrombocytopenia / hemolytic anemia (MAHA)

نفسى ابراف
intravascular
hemolytic

1) TTP → inherited / sporadic → antibodies in ADAMTS(13) (cleaves vWF)

2) HUS → E-coli → bloody diarrhea, ... → more in children

3) DIC → Consumptive coagulopathy → thrombo hemorrhagic disorder

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DIC: disseminated intravascular coagulation → D↑ dimers, widespread

HUS: hemolytic uremic syndrome → non immune → kidney

TTP: Thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura → Neurologic & fever