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## INTRAPARENCHYMAL CONTAMINATED EPIDERMAL GROWTH IN THYROID FINE NEEDLE ASPIRATION CYTOLOGY-A SURPRISING FINDING

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**ABSTRACT:** Epidermal inclusion cysts are pervasive in the human body however uncommon in thyroid. Epidermal inclusion cysts are unilocular and very much surrounded. Epidermal inclusion cyst utilizing fine needle aspiration cytology has been accounted for from different sites. However presence of epidermal growth in thyroid suction has been infrequently detailed. Here, we report an abnormal case where aspiration cytology uncovered presence of epidermal growth in thyroid with superadded disease.

**KEYWORDS:** Epidermal growth, Fine needle aspiration cytology.

### INTRODUCTION

Epidermal inclusion cysts are normal, considerate subcutaneous regularly asymptomatic masses going from 1 to 4cm in size. They may happen anywhere in body, with an inclination for face, neck and trunk.

Unprecedented instances of epidermal cyst were reported in bone, brain, breast, kidney and spleen. However, presence of an intra parenchymal epidermal inclusion cyst of thyroid were seldom detailed by Fine Needle Aspiration Cytology.

A 55-year old female patient was admitted to otorhinolaryngology division with the complaint of midline neck expanding with hyperemia and agony. At that point she was alluded to the cytology area with the historical backdrop of growing in thyroid region since 15 years. The growing was slippery in beginning and gradually reformist in size which got agonizing and quickly amplifying since about fourteen days. Tolerant additionally whined of trouble in eating, drinking. Expanding was moving with deglutition. On assessment a 8x4cms growing was available in mid line neck reaching out in left side. Growing was delicate to firm in consistency, overlying skin was extended and temperature was additionally raised. Patient likewise whined of fever since 3 days with chills and afflictions. She denied earlier injury to the territory. USG of thyroid was completed which uncovered a space possessing sore in isthmus stretching out to left lobe of thyroid with internal echogenicity. FNAC was performed by 25G needle fitted with a 10cc syringe. Thick yellowish material blended in with tanish fluid came out. The smears were readied, air-dried and stained with May-Grünwald-Giemsa (MGG) stain. The smears were cell and indicated presence of various

anucleate squames, few squamous cells, polymer phonu clear cells, macrophages, pseudo goliath cells and thyroid follicular cells in a foundation of colloid and red platelets.

## DISCUSSION

Epidermal pimples are kindhearted growths creating from epidermal tissue. Characteristic to every single delicate tissue, epidermal consideration blister is the relocation of epidermal cells into dermis. In the dermis, epidermal cells multiply, gathering trash and keratin leading to development of cystic space. Histologically epidermal sores are lined by squamous epithelium and encompassed by a stringy layer. Squamous cells are not a part of ordinary thyroid organ. Just 8 such cases of thyroid epidermal pimple have been accounted for with no sex preference, the age range was 4 to 60 years with mean of long term. The objective of introduction was to acquaint the cytologist with rare presence of epidermal incorporation growth in thyroid.

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