CNS lab

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(A) Section of the brain showing a large, discolored, focally hemorrhagic region in the left middle cerebral artery distribution (hemorrhagic, or red, infarction).

(B) An infarct with punctate hemorrhages, consistent with ischemia-reperfusion injury, is present in the temporal lobe.

tissue loss

Old cystic infarct shows destruction of cortex and surrounding gliosis.



cytoplasmic vaculation , early, cells didn't die , eiosonophilic cytoplasm marigination of cells around the BV





necrosis no viable cells vascular proliferation + macrophages repair mechanism in brain not neoplasic

Subacute changes, occurring at 24 hours to 2 weeks, include necrosis of tissue, influx of macrophages, vascular proliferation, and reactive gliosis).



areaof fibrosis

Repair, seen after 2 weeks, is characterized by removal of necrotic tissue and gliosis Cerebral hemorrhage. Massive hypertensive hemorrhage rupturing into a lateral ventricle hypertenion --> aneurysm in BV (macroanerysm)

> Lacunar infarct in the Pons



slit hemorrhage by HTN --> also causes aneurysm calles charcot bouchad aneurysm NOT BERRY ANEURYSMS



Slit Hemorrhage

Early contusions at orbital gyri of frontal lobes



bone not intact

A - fresh blood



Fig. 23.12 Cerebral trauma. (A) Acute contusions are present in both temporal lobes, with areas of hemorrhage and tissue disruption. (B) Remote contusions, seen as discolored yellow areas are present on the inferior frontal surface of this brain.

B old tissue

Color -> yellow to brown

A saccular berry aneyrysm B using angiogram



Fig. 23.10 Saccular aneurysms. (A) View of the base of the brain, dissected to show the circle of Willis with an aneurysm of the anterior cerebral artery (arrow). (B) The circle of Willis is dissected to show a large aneurysm. (C) Section through a saccular aneurysm showing the hyalinized fibrous vessel wall. Hematoxylin-eosin stain.

most comon site of saccular aneurysm is anterior cerebra; art



epidural hematoma -> commonly a consequence of middle miningeal art tear subdural hematoma from tearing of bridging veins



has led to accumulation of arterial blood between the dura and the skull. In a subdural hematoma (nght), damage to bridging veins between the brain and the superior sagittal sinus has led to the accumulation of blood between the the two layers of dura. (B) Epidural hematoma covering a portion of the dura. (C) Large organizing subdural hematoma attached to the dura, (B. Courtesy of the late Dr. Raymond D. Adams, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts.)

can not be differentiated from otehr types of cerebral heamorrhage depending on morpho only, imaging *clinical* history are important for diagnosis



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Epidural hematoma covering a portion of the dura. Multiple small contusions are seen in the temporal lobe.



multiple ring anhacment lesions in high grade malegnancy



single glioblastoma in adult and medulloblastoma in children



low grade





Stereotactic Biopsy

in diagnosis diagnositic therapeutic

Craniotomy

ring enhancment lesion



A, Post-contrast T1-weighted coronal MRI shows a large mass in the right parietal lobe with "ring" enhancement. B, Glioblastoma appearing as a necrotic, hemorrhagic, infiltrating mass.



Pilocytic astrocytoma - A relatively well-defined cystic tumor

- **Bipolar cells with:**
- Long, thin processes.



histological features = yeallow arrows rosenthal fibers + green arrows eosinophilic granular bodies



low grade in brain infiltrative no chance of complete surgical resuction





Diffuse astrocytoma.

A, The right frontal tumor has expanded gyri, which led to flattening (arrows).

B, There is bilateral expansion of the septum pellucidum by gray, glassy tumor.



GBM is fetal with no cure

palisading necro and microvascular proliferation grade 4

fried egg appearance + calcification grade 2 + 3



Fig. 23.30 In oligodendroglioma, tumor cells have round nuclei, often with a clear cytoplasmic halo. Blood vessels in the background are thin and can form an interlacing pattern.

psusdorosette and true rosette with fibrillary core (not BV)



Fig. 23.31 Microscopic appearance of ependymoma.





high mitosis and necro and have a certain immunostain



Fig. 23.32 Medulloblastoma. (A) Sagittal section of a brain showing medulloblastoma involving the superior vermis of the cerebellum. (B) Microscopic appearance of medulloblastoma, showing mostly small, blue, primitive-appearing tumor cells.

A) primitive enoplasm

diagnosis only done after immunostaining to differentiate from ewing sarcoma, rhabdomyosarcoma, lymphoma





Psammoma bodies are diagnostic of meningiomas in brain tumors



Fig. 23.33 Meningioma. (A) Parasagittal multilobular meningioma attached to the dura with compression of underlying brain. (B) Meningioma with a whorled pattern of cell growth and psammoma bodies.



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