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DERMATOSIS PARANEOPLÁSICAS

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Dermatomiositis Paraneoplásica

- 15-20% de los casos
- Más asociado a dermatomiositis (32%) que a miositis (14.9%). En más del 50% de los casos es la forma amiopática
- La forma juvenil no se asocia con neoplasias
- Suele manifestarse tras el debut del cáncer o como reflejo de su recaída. Curso paralelo. Media de 7 meses
- Si es previa al Ca. este aparece el 1º año

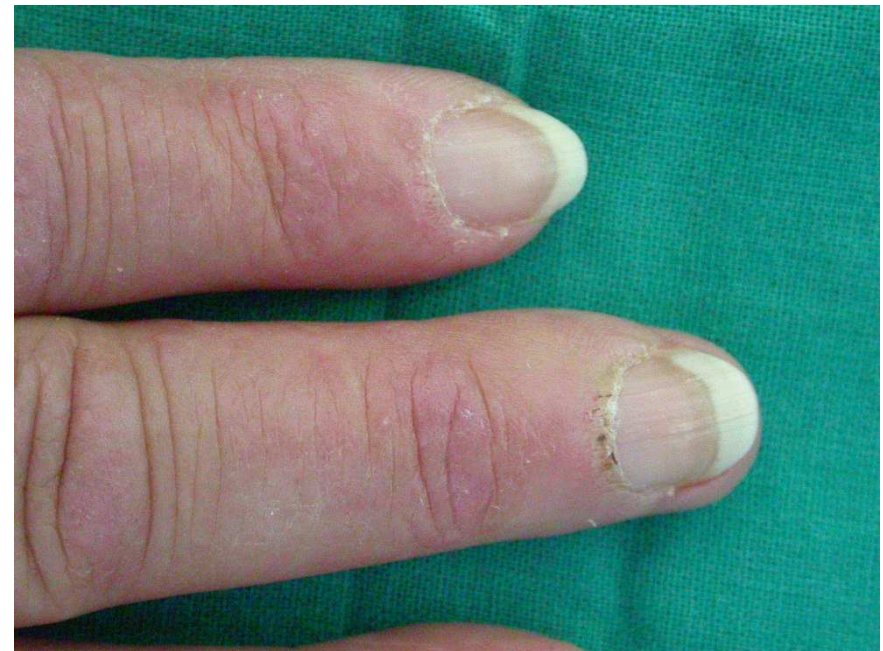
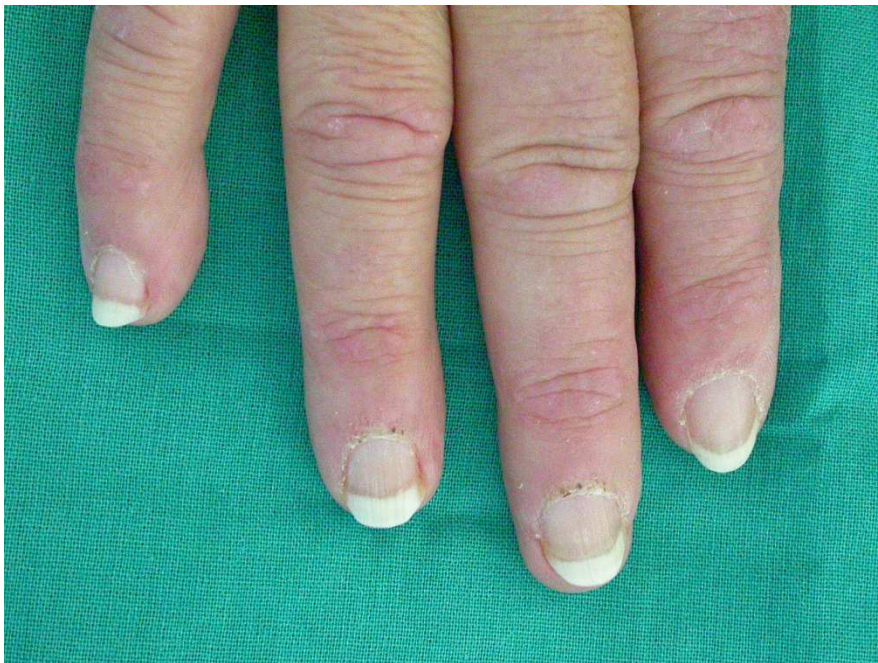
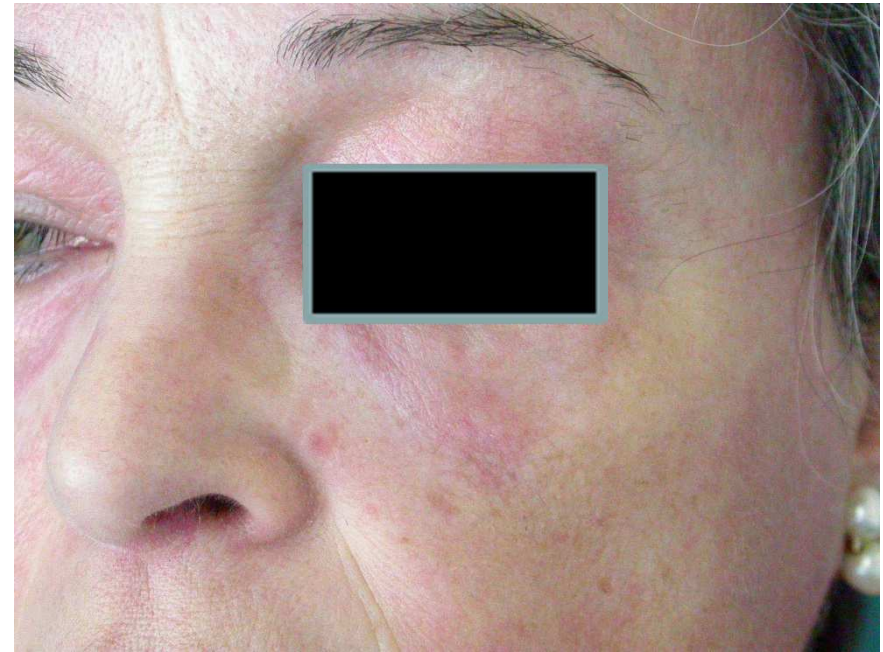


Dermatomiositis Paraneoplásica

- No existe ningún rasgo clínico, histológico o analítico absolutamente específico de paraneoplasia en dermatomiositis
- Erupción eritemato violácea fotodistribuida, a veces poiquilodérmica
- Cara, V torácica y superficies de extensión de mmss
- Eritema y edema periocular
- Pápulas de Gottron y afectación cuticular







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Incidence and predictive factors for malignancies with dermatomyositis: a cohort from southern China

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Abstract Objective

We aimed to explore the incidence of malignancy in dermatomyositis and assess the potential risk factors of occurrence of malignancy in DM from southern China.

Methods

A retrospective cohort study of patients admitted in the 1st affiliated university hospital between 2003 and 2012 was performed. Demographic information, clinical symptoms, laboratory findings, medications were documented. The endpoint of the study was defined as occurrence of malignancy or death.

Results

For this approximately 10-year retrospective study, 60 out of 246 dermatomyositis patients developed malignancies with the overall incidence of 24.4%. Nasopharyngeal carcinoma (NPC) and ovarian carcinoma were the most common malignant disease, accounting for 35% (21/60) and 15% (9/60) of malignancies, respectively. Lung and colon were followed as the third most common carcinoma (5 out of 60, 8.3%).

Among these 60 patients with malignancies, 39 (65.0%, 39/60) cases occurred within 1 year after DM diagnosis. Subsequently, malignancies were detected in 13 (21.7%, 13/60) patients during the second year and 8 (13.3%, 8/60) during the third year. One patient developed cancer at the 35th month after DM as the latest.

The logistic regression multivariate analysis indicated that male gender [odds ratio (OR) = 3.76, 95% confidence interval (CI) 1.86–7.61, $p < 0.01$], dysphagia (OR = 2.21, 95% CI 1.10–4.48, $p = 0.03$) and elevated erythrocyte sedimentation rate (ESR) (OR = 2.37, 95% CI 1.18–4.75, $p = 0.02$) were risk factors for the occurrence of malignancies, while interstitial lung disease (ILD) acted as a protective factor (OR = 0.13, 95% CI 0.06–0.28, $p < 0.01$).

Conclusion

It was necessary to carry out routine malignancy screening for Chinese DM patients due to its high incidence. Nasopharyngeal carcinoma and ovarian cancer were the most common malignant disease. The risk of malignancy was highest in the first year after DM diagnosis and reduced thereafter. Extensive work-ups for malignancy screening should be carried out at the first year. Male gender, dysphagia and elevated ESR were risk factors for occurrence of malignancy. The presence of ILD could diminish the risk of coexisting of malignancy.

Key words

prediction analysis, dermatomyositis, malignancy

CLINICAL AND LABORATORY INVESTIGATION

Meta-analysis of the association between polymyositis with cancer

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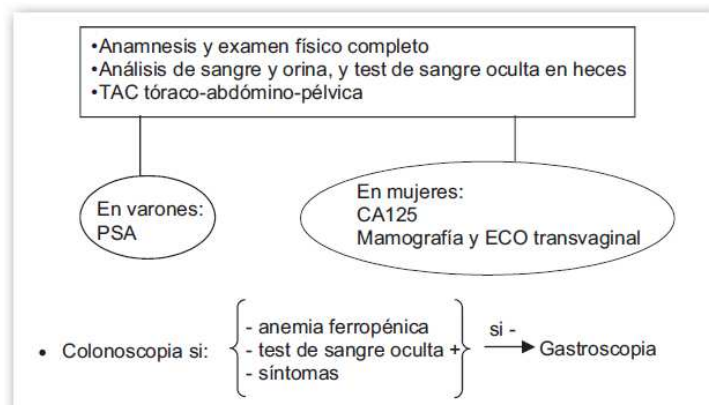
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Dermatomiositis Paraneoplásica

- Si Ac p155 +: estudio de extensión
- Si estudio de extensión -: repetir cada 3 años
- Si Ac p155 -: controles según edad del paciente
- Estudio de extensión mediante PET con resultados similares a estudio convencional



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BRIEF OBSERVATIONS

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Conventional Cancer Screening versus PET/CT in Dermatomyositis/Polymyositis

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Dermatomiositis Paraneoplásica

- En Europa los cánceres asociados a dermatomiositis del adulto son por orden de frecuencia :cáncer de ovario, pulmón, mama, colorrectal, estómago y páncreas (otros: próstata, linfomas no Hodgkin, etc.)
- Por sexos en las mujeres los más frecuentes son el de mama y ovario y en varones el de pulmón y el colorrectal.
- Sin embargo, si nos encontramos con un paciente que proceda del Sudeste asiático, el perfil de riesgo cambia, ya que allí el cáncer más frecuentemente asociado a la dermatomiositis paraneoplásica es el cáncer de cavum



Sweet syndrome: Clinical presentation, associations, and response to treatment in 77 patients

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• DERMATOSIS AGUDA FEBRIL NEUTROFILICA

CRITERIOS MAYORES

- 1.-PLACAS O NUDULOS ERITEMATOVIOLÁCEOS. DOLOROSOS DE INICIO BRUSCO.
- 2.-INFILTRADO NEUTROFILICO DÉRMICO, SIN VASCULITIS.

CRITERIOS MENORES

- 1.-CUADRO PRODROMICO DE FIEBRE O INFECCION > 38°.
- 2.- ASOCIACIÓN CON NEOPLASIA HEMATOLÓGICA O VISCERAL SUBYACENTE, ENF. INFLAMATORIA, EMBARAZO, INFECCIÓN GASTROINTESTINAL O DE VÍAS RESPIRATORIAS O VACUNACIÓN
- 3.-BUENA RESPUESTA A ESTEROIDES SISTEMICOS
- 4.- ANOMALÍAS ANALÍTICAS INICIALES (3 o 4):
 - VSG > 20 MM/H
 - ELEVACIÓN DE PROTEINA C REACTIVA
 - LEUCOCITOSIS > $8 \times 10^9/L$
 - NEUTROFILIA > 70%

Conclusions: Sweet syndrome is a distinctive disorder with certain clinical and histologic characteristics, which usually has a complete response to systemic corticosteroids. It is important to evaluate Sweet syndrome patients who have laboratory evidence of anemia for an underlying malignancy. (J Am Acad Dermatol 2013;69:557-64.)



LOS 2 CRITERIOS MAYORES Y AL MENOS 2 MENORES



NB.:SINTOMAS SISTEMICOS POR INFILTRADOS NEUTROFILICOS

Insight into Sweet's syndrome and associated-malignancy: A review of the current literature

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DERMATOSIS AGUDA FEBRIL NEUTROFILICA

- SS clásico o idiopático: habitualmente precedido por infección de vías respiratorias, puede estar asociado a enf. Inflamatoria intestinal o embarazo
- SS paraneoplásico: 21%. 15% Hematológicas y 6% sólidos
- SS causado por fármacos:

Diagnostic criteria for medications-induced Sweet syndrome

1. Acute onset of painful erythematous plaques or nodules
2. Dermal neutrophilic infiltrate without evidence of vasculitis on histopathological examination
3. Temperature >38°C
4. Temporal relationship between drug ingestion and clinical presentation or temporally-related recurrence after rechallenge
5. Temporally related resolution of lesions after drug withdrawal or treatment with systemic corticosteroids

Anticancer drugs associated with Sweet's syndrome

1. Granulocyte colony stimulating factor (23,26,32,33)
2. Bortezomib (34,35)
3. Azacitidine (36,37)
4. Decitabine (36,37)
5. Imatinib mesylate (38-40)
6. Lenalidomide (41-44)
7. All-trans retinoic acid (21,45,46)



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- **79% % SON IDIOPATICOS/FÁRMACOS**
- **21% ASOCIADOS A CÁNCERES: 81% ENFERMEDADES HEMATOLOGICAS MALIGNAS, CON UN 42% DE LMA Y T. SÓLIDOS, 57% ADENOCA. DE TRACTO GENITOURINARIO, MAMA Y GASTROINTESTINAL**
- **SUELE SER EL PRIMER SIGNO DE UN CÁNCER NO DIAGNOSTICADO O DE SU RECURRENCIA**
- **EL S.SWEET ASOCIADO A HEMOPATIAS, PRESENTA NEUTROFILIA SOLO EN EL 42%**
- **SÍNTOMAS EXTRACUTANEOS EN EL 50% DE LOS CASOS ASOCIADOS A MALIGNIDAD**

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- **A favor de neoplasia asociada:**
 - Ausencia de proceso respiratorio previo. Solo 20%.
 - Ausencia de fiebre y neutrofilia
 - Anemia. 85%. Anomalías recuento plaquetario (68%). Neutropenia.
 - Mayor gravedad e intensidad de las lesiones
 - Mayor tendencia a recurrencias
 - Mayor incidencia en manifestaciones extracutáneas



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CASOS CLÍNICO

Dermatosis

Subcutaneous Sweet syndrome in the setting of myeloid disorders: A case series and review of the literature

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[Vasculitis in Sweet's Syndrome].

[Article in French]

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Abstract

BACKGROUND: Also called acute febrile neutrophilic dermatosis, Sweet's syndrome is non-infective dermatoses that exhibit a predominantly neutrophilic inflammatory infiltrate. Absence of vasculitis is a histologic criterion for diagnosis. However, recent reports suggest that vasculitis should not exclude the diagnosis.

AIM: To describe their clinical, pathological and therapeutic characteristics.

METHODS: We report a series of 47 cases of Sweet's syndrome, collected in our institution between 1997 and 2011.

RESULTS: The patient population consisted of 11 males and 36 females. The mean age was 47 years (28-74). An associated disease process was seen in 10 patients: inflammatory disease (3 cases), inflammatory bowel disease (2 cases), tuberculosis (3 cases) and diabetes (3 cases). One case of pregnancy was observed. In the prodromal phase, functional symptoms were reported in 38 cases (80.8%). Cutaneous lesions consisted of erythematous plaques or nodules. Lesions were located mainly on the upper or lower extremities. All biopsy specimens demonstrated a dermal infiltrate composed predominantly of neutrophils. Fibrinoid necrosis and intramural inflammation were observed in 8 cases.

CONCLUSION: The dermatosis can precede, follow, or appear concurrent with the diagnosis of the patient's diseases which requires careful surveillance.

Conclusion: we propose that these cases represent a new variant of neutrophilic dermatosis, "necrotizing Sweet syndrome," an acute necrotizing neutrophilic dermatosis. This subtype is also characterized by the rapid onset of progressive erythematous, warm, edematous cutaneous lesions with deep-tissue neutrophilic infiltration and soft-tissue necrosis, in the absence of infectious cause. Awareness of this entity and early dermatologic consultation is critical as debridement results in expansion of the process, resulting in additional and aggressive resection—a vicious cycle with significant possible morbidity. (J Am Acad Dermatol 2012;67:945-54.)



Pyoderma gangrenosum: a retrospective review of patient characteristics, comorbidities and therapy in 103 patients

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- Poco especificidad diagnóstica, clínica o patológicamente
- Predominio femenino 76%
- El 78% de la úlceras se sitúan en mmii y el 67% tiene más de 2.
- 34% asociado a enfermedad inflamatoria intestinal
- 20% trastornos hematológicos- **10.7% malignos**
- 14% depresión
- 19% artritis seronegativa
- 11% psoriasis
- 9% hepatitis

Incidence, Mortality, and Disease Associations of Pyoderma Gangrenosum in the United Kingdom: A Retrospective Cohort Study

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Journal of Investigative Dermatology (2012) 132, 2166–2170



- 3 veces mayor la tasa de mortalidad

Bullous pyoderma gangrenosum: a case report and review of the published work.

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Abstract

Pyoderma gangrenosum (PG) is an ulcerative skin disorder characterized by neutrophilic infiltrations. PG is generally classified into four types: (i) ulcerative; (ii) pustular; (iii) bullous; and (iv) vegetative. Among them, bullous PG is known as a rare type. Herein, we report a case of bullous PG together with a summary of the 12 PG cases treated in our department over the previous 15 years, and we review 38 well-documented bullous PG cases (65.8% female; aged 18-80 years [mean $\pm$ standard deviation, 51.6 $\pm$ 16.8]) in the published work, including the present case, from 1972-2011. Although the disease most frequently associated with PG is inflammatory bowel disease, bullous PG is most commonly associated with hematological disorders (25/38, 65.8%), which indicates the characteristic pathophysiology specific to bullous PG.

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Pioderma gangrenoso: revisión de cinco casos

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Tabla 1. Formas clínicas de pioderma gangrenoso

Morfología clínica	Características	Localización	Enfermedades asociadas
Ulcerativa	Ulceración con rápida evolución en profundidad y extensión	Indiferente	Ninguna conocida
Pustulosa	Pápula o grupo de pápulas que confluyen, se transforman en pústulas y se ulceran	Tronco y superficies extensoras de los miembros	Enfermedad inflamatoria intestinal
Ampollosa	Ampolla superficial que se ulcera	Miembros superiores y cara	Enfermedades hematológicas
Superficial granulomatoso	Tejido vegetante, erosionado, de evolución crónica	Tronco	Ninguna conocida



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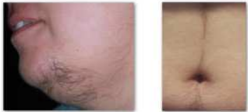
DERMATOSIS PARANEOPLÁSICAS FACULTATIVAS

- ➡ • Eritrodermias
- Herpes zoster
- Dermatosis ampollosas (penfigoide ampuloso, herpes gestationis, pénfigo, dermatitis herpetiforme)
- Paniculitis pancreática
- ➡ • Amiloidosis sistémica
- Hirsutismo

Ann Dermatol Venerol. 2002 May; 128(5 Pt 2):884-12.
[Hirsutism and hypertrichosis in adults: investigations and treatment].
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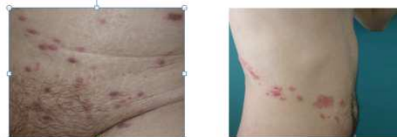
Abstract
 Hypertrichosis, characterized by increased hair growth located in non-androgen-dependent areas, does not justify the monitoring of hormone levels, conversely to hirsutism, with increased hair growth in androgen-dependent areas of the female genitalia. Adult hypertrichosis is idiopathic (penicillid, ciclosporina, diazoxide or glucocorticosteroids), of metabolic origin (porphyria), nutritional (anorexia) or paraneoplastic (hypertrichosis lanuginosa). Metabolic or general assessment can help clinical diagnosis. In non-hirsutic hirsutism the following must be eliminated: 1) a virilizing tumor (ovarian, adrenal) when confronted with rapid progression or recent hirsutism, plasma testosterone (T) > 5 ng/ml and/or (adrenal tumor) DHEA-sulfate (DHEAS) > 700 microgram/dl and associated with hypertension; 2) when confronted with characteristic signs of hirsutism, Cushing's syndrome (post-decortisone cortisol), hyperparathyroidism (isolated PRL), or acromegaly (IGF-1). Measurement of 17-OH-progesterone at 8 am on the 4th day of the cycle detects the late manifestation homozygous forms of a 21-hydroxylase (21OHD) block. The more frequent forms are: 1) ovarian polycystic or hirsutism-anovulation syndromes without other causes (LH/FSH, T, hypertrichosis, sonography); 2) functional adrenal hyperandrogenism (increased DHEAS without organic cause); 3) idiopathic hirsutism. Treatment can be local (depilation, electrolysis, diathermy-coagulation, laser). Treatment of hirsutism of organic origin is etiologic. The inhibitory effects of glucocorticosteroids are mediated by 21OHD. The most effective treatments are anti-androgenic: cyproterone acetate, progesterone-like and anti-gonadotropic (contraceptive) agents, and the only product in France officially indicated in hirsutism, spironolactone (anti-mineralocorticosteroid), and flutamide, pure anti-androgen (probably hepatotoxic). Finasteride (type 5 alpha-reductase inhibitor) appears less effective. Estrogen-progestagen-like agents can be associated with anti-androgens. We should also mention the GnRH-agonists, and finally, dietetics and metformin (in cases of insulin-resistance).

Tumores virilizantes:
 • ováricos y adrenales
 Tumores hipofisarios:
 • prolactinomas, acromegalia



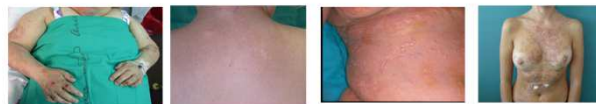
HERPES ZOSTER

- Frecuente en el grupo de población con riesgo de cáncer
- Neoplasia relacionada con mayor frecuencia: PROCESOS LINFOPROLIFERATIVOS
- Sospechar cáncer ante lesiones más severas: hemorrágicas, necróticas, multimetaméricas, diseminadas.



OTRAS ENFERMEDADES AMPOLLOSAS

- PENFIGOIDE: edad avanzada?
- DERMATITIS HERPETIFORME: Posible asociación con linfomas intestinales
- HERPES GESTATIONIS Posible asociación con coriocarcinoma
- PÉNFIGO SEBORREICO Descrita asociación con timoma y miastenia gravis



NECROSIS GRASA NODULAR PANICULITIS PANCREÁTICA

- Paniculitis lobulillar, sobre todo EEL
- Necrosis grasa, con células fantasma
- Etiopatogenia: lipasa y amilasa pancreáticas
- Posible asociación a carcinoma páncreas
- Otras causas: pancreatitis aguda o crónica



Erythroderma: A clinical-etiological study of 82 cases.

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Abstract

Erythroderma is an uncommon skin disorder characterized by generalized reddening and scaling of over 90% of the skin. It represents a maximal stage of skin irritation induced by several skin diseases such as psoriasis, contact dermatitis, drug reactions, and mycosis fungoides. Data including the clinical symptoms, laboratory examinations and skin biopsies were collected from 82 erythroderma patients admitted to our hospital in the period between Jan.1st, 2003 and Dec.31st, 2008. According to clinical findings, laboratory findings and biopsy results, the most common causative factors were pre-existing dermatoses (72.0%), followed by drug reactions (17.0%), idiopathic causes (6.1%) and malignancies (4.9%). Among the pre-existing dermatoses, psoriasis is the most common cause of erythroderma. In the drug series, with 9 of the 14 cases (64.3%) received treatment. In our series we found erythroderma secondary to malignancy. Among the cases studied, the prognosis of most patients was poor.

J Eur Acad Dermatol Venereol. 2012 Jun;26(6):710-3. doi: 10.1111/j.1468-3083.2011.04150.x. Epub 2011 Jun 25.

Erythroderma as a paraneoplastic cutaneous disorder in systemic anaplastic large cell lymphoma.

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Abstract

BACKGROUND: Paraneoplastic cutaneous disorders (PCDs) or dermatomes are skin conditions that have an association with internal malignancies but are not themselves malignant. We report the first two cases of systemic anaplastic large cell lymphoma (s-ALCL) accompanied by erythroderma and multiple leg ulcers as PCDs. **CASE 1:** A 52-year-old Japanese man presented with disseminated itchy annular erythemas which he had over his entire body for the previous 3 months. Superficial lymph nodes (LNs) were enlarged. In contrast, lymphocytes infiltrating into the dermis were negative in skin biopsy specimens. He responded well to chemotherapy. **CASE 2:** A 71-year-old woman presented with erythroderma and multiple leg ulcers. She had a history of mastectomy. At her initial hospital visit, skin biopsies were negative in skin samples with normal histology. It was considered a PCD.

Paraneoplastic erythroderma: an unusual manifestation of diffuse large B-cell lymphoma

To the Editor,

Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBL) is the most common type of adult non-Hodgkin lymphoma. In most patients, cutaneous DLBL occurs as a single nodule on the scalp, face, or neck. Erythrodermic manifestations of DLBL are very rare, and there have been no previous reports of erythroderma as a paraneoplastic syndrome of DLBL.

A 36-year-old Korean man presented with a 2-month history of generalized erythema and right neck mass. Skin lesions first appeared on both hands, rapidly progressing throughout his entire body. He began to experience severe scaling and generalized edema about 10 days before visiting our clinic. He complained of severe itching.

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Figure 1 Patient photograph, showing generalized erythroderma with scaling

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Breast cancer presenting as paraneoplastic erythroderma: an extremely rare case.

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Abstract

The skin may exhibit the first clinical evidence of a systemic disease and may provide the first clues to a diagnosis in malignancies. Erythroderma is defined as generalized redness and scaling and it is a clinical manifestation of a variety of underlying diseases including, rarely, solid tumors. Breast cancer is associated with a variety of skin paraneoplastic manifestations like acanthosis nigricans, erythromelalgia, thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura, acrokeratosis paraneoplastica, dermatomyositis, systemic sclerosis, and scleroderma. However, in the literature, the correlation of erythroderma with breast cancer is quite infrequent. Here, we describe a case of a 76-year-old woman who presented with a paraneoplastic manifestation of erythroderma due to breast cancer.

ERITRODERMIA

- La dermatitis exfoliativa generalizada, 90%) de aparición brusca en un paciente, generalmente adulto, sin antecedentes de dermatosis (atopia, psoriasis) ni toxicodermia, debe siempre **sugerir malignidad subyacente**.
- 4-21 % de eritrodermias se asocia con malignidad. Linfoma-leucemia
- A veces es por el propio proceso (síndrome de Sézary)



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Systemic amyloidosis associated with multiple myeloma presenting as periorbital purpura**AMILOIDOSIS SISTÉMICA**

A case of systemic amyloidosis associated with multiple myeloma presenting as periorbital purpura

Ann Oncol. 2014 Feb;25(2):511-8. doi: 10.1093/annonc/mdt544. Epub 2014 Jan 9.**Cancer risk in amyloidosis patients in Sweden with novel findings on non-Hodgkin lymphoma and skin cancer.**Hemminki K¹, Li X, Försti A, Sundquist J, Sundquist K.

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Abstract

BACKGROUND: Systemic amyloidoses include immunoglobulin light chain (AL) amyloidosis, serum amyloid (AA)-related amyloidosis and senile systemic amyloidosis (SSA). AL amyloidosis is associated with myeloma, and we showed recently that transthyretin-related hereditary amyloidosis was related to non-Hodgkin lymphoma (NHL). In SSA, amyloids constitute wild-type transthyretin. We wanted to analyze cancer risks in amyloidosis, particularly in SSA.

PATIENTS AND METHODS: Nonhereditary amyloidosis patients were identified from the Swedish Hospital Discharge and Outpatients Registers from years 1997 through 2010. Their cancer risk was assessed based on the Swedish Cancer Registry using standardized incidence ratio (SIR) between amyloidosis patients and the remaining population. To gain information about amyloidosis subtypes, we used the Swedish Prescribed Drug Register from years 2005 through 2010 to find out the specific medication prescribed.

RESULTS: Among 1400 identified amyloidosis patients, cancer risk was increased for myeloma, NHL and squamous cell skin cancer. Myeloma and skin cancers were diagnosed 7-8 years earlier than in the population, whereas NHL was diagnosed in elderly patients. The SIR was 204 for myeloma in patients who received AL amyloidosis medication, and it was 17.22 in patients receiving rheumatoid arthritis medication, suggesting AA amyloidosis. In remaining patients, including SSA, NHL risk was 14.78, including lymphoplasmacytic lymphoma and Waldenstrom macroglobulinemia (51.41) and diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (18.69). In these patients, endometrial cancer (7.04) and cancer of unknown primary site (6.56) were also increased.

CONCLUSIONS: SSA is likely to be a main cause of NHL in the elderly population. The present findings suggest a novel mechanism for amyloidosis-related cancer, highlighting the role of chronic stimulation by amyloid.





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ry of bilateral carpal tunnel surgery complained of worsening hand pains, generalized arthralgias, symmetric polyarthritis of the hands and feet, skin tightening, and photosensitivity. The only laboratory abnormality found then was a plasma cell dyscrasia. She was treated with low-dose prednisone and hydroxychloroquine. However, the skin tightening persisted. At that point, more specific autoimmune work-up showed negative relevant results. She reported dysphagia and hoarseness, and ecchymotic rashes appeared on her arms. Staining for amyloid was negative. Subsequently, she was treated with low-dose prednisone and hydroxychloroquine. The progression of her skin symptoms provoked a repeat skin biopsy with special stains. The biopsy showed 10% plasma cells, skeletal survey revealed multiple lytic lesions, and a diagnosis of multiple myeloma was made. Despite the initial features of connective tissue disease in this young woman, a steadfast workup revealed the source of her problem.

presented with skin tightening, tender joints, and dysphagia. She had a positive serum IgG antibody to the kappa chain of the immunoglobulin. The diagnosis was multiple myeloma associated with amyloidosis.

DERMATOSIS PARANEOPLÁSICAS

FACULTATIVAS

- Queratosis seborreicas eruptivas. S. de Lesser Trelat
- Reticulo histiocitosis multicéntrica
- Escleromixedema
- Xantogranuloma necrobiótico y otros xantomas
- Calcinosis cutánea tumoral
- Vasculitis paraneoplásicas
- Síndrome acral vascular paraneoplásico

RETICULOHISTIOCIDIOSIS MULTICÉNTRICA

- La reticulohistiocitosis multicéntrica (RHM) es una enfermedad de etiología desconocida que afecta principalmente a mujeres en la cuarta década de la vida.
- La afección articular se caracteriza por la presencia de sinovitis simétrica de miembros superiores especialmente en manos
- afección de piel presentando lesiones de diferente morfología más comúnmente nódulos y pápulas localizadas principalmente en cara y miembros superiores.
- Puede existir además compromiso de órganos internos como pulmón, corazón, tracto gastrointestinal y glándulas salivales.
- Esta patología se ha relacionado con la aparición de neoplasias malignas: como mama, gástrico, ovario, cérvix y linfomas, en el 25% de los casos



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ESCLEREDEMA Y ESCLEROMIXEDEMA



- Mucinosiis cutánea
- Paraproteinemia
(gammapatía monoclonal IgG).
- Leucemias, Linfomas
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Scleromyxedema: a cutaneous paraneoplastic syndrome associated with thymic carcinoma.

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CALCINOSIS CUTÁNEA TUMORAL

- Carcinoma de esófago
- Cáncer de mama
- Mieloma múltiple
- Linfoma
- Metástasis osteolíticas

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Calcinosis in Adult-Onset Dermatomyositis: Metastatic or Dystrophic?

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Causes and mechanisms of paraneoplastic calcium deposition of the dermis and subcutis

Tumor product	Serum Ca	Serum PO ₄	PTH	Tumor type
PTH secreting tumors	↑	↓	↑	Parathyroid adenoma, other tumors
PTHrP secreting tumors	↑	↓	nl/↓	Breast cancer, SCC, lymphoma, myeloma
Osteolytic metastases	↑	↓	nl/↓	Tumor secretion of cytokines and PTHrP
Vitamin D secreting tumors	↑	↑	nl/↓	Lymphomas

Abbreviations: Ca, Calcium; nl, normal; PO₄, phosphate; PTH, parathyroid hormone; PTHrP, parathyroid hormone-related peptide; SCC, squamous cell carcinoma.

The Spectrum of Paraneoplastic Cutaneous Vasculitis in a Defined Population

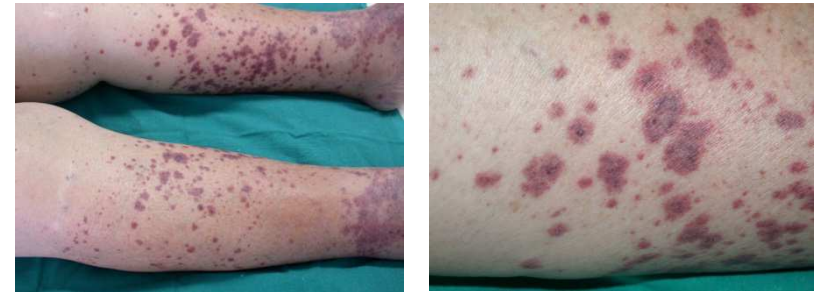
Incidence and Clinical Features

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TABLE 1. Main Clinical Features of 16 Patients Presenting With Cutaneous Vasculitis, Confirmed by a Skin Biopsy Showing Leukocytoclastic Vasculitis, Who Were Finally Diagnosed as Having a Malignancy

Patient	Age/Sex (yr)	Main Clinical Feature	Peripheral Blood Smear	Neoplasia
1	83/M	Palpable purpura, necrotic ulcer, constitutional symptoms	Anemia, leukopenia	Myelodysplastic syndrome
2	52/W	Palpable purpura, constitutional symptoms	Pancytopenia, immature cells	Myelodysplastic syndrome
3	56/M	Palpable purpura, constitutional symptoms, fever	Anemia, leukopenia, immature cells	Myelodysplastic syndrome
4	70/M	Palpable purpura, constitutional symptoms, polyarthrititis	Anemia, leukopenia, immature cells	Non-Hodgkin lymphoma
5	78/M	Palpable purpura, constitutional symptoms, fever, arthralgia, abdominal pain	Anemia	Waldestrom macroglobulinemia
6	61/W	Palpable purpura, hematuria, polyneuropathy	Anemia	Waldestrom macroglobulinemia
7	76/M	Palpable purpura, urticarial lesions, constitutional symptoms, fever	Pancytopenia, immature cells	Hairy cell leukemia
8	81/W	Palpable purpura, erythema, constitutional symptoms, fever	Anemia, immature cells	Mantle cell lymphoma
9	40/W	Urticarial lesions, fever, polyarthrititis	Anemia, immature cells	Megakaryocytic leukemia
10	49/W	Palpable purpura, constitutional symptoms, fever	Anemia	Infiltrating breast carcinoma
11	80/M	Palpable purpura, constitutional symptoms	Anemia	Lung adenocarcinoma
12	85/W	Palpable purpura, ulcers	Normal	Breast carcinoma
13	53/M	Palpable purpura, arthralgia	Normal	Pyriform sinus squamous cell carcinoma
14	71/M	Palpable purpura, constitutional symptoms	Normal	Bladder carcinoma
15	70/M	Palpable purpura	Normal	Glotic squamous cell carcinoma
16	82/M	Palpable purpura, abdominal pain, fecal occult blood, hematuria	Normal	Oropharyngeal squamous cell carcinoma

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- 3.80%
- 100% 1º signo
- 56% Hematológicos
- 44% T. sólidos
- Comparando con Vasculitis no Paraneo.
 - ❖ Edad elevada
 - ❖ Sin factores precipitantes
 - ❖ Clínica mas intensa y persistente
 - ❖ Mayor clínica constitucional y menor clínica digestiva o renal
 - ❖ Citopenia, anemia y VSG elevada



Paraneoplastic acral vascular syndrome: Epidemiologic features, clinical manifestations, and disease sequelae

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Background: Acral vascular syndromes associated with malignancy have rarely been reported.

Objective: Our purpose was to assess the clinical and evolving features of paraneoplastic acral vascular syndromes.

Patients and Methods: Two cases of paraneoplastic gangrene are described and analyzed together with previously reported cases identified by a MEDLINE search.

Results: Among the 68 patients identified, 40 had gangrene, 16 had acrocyanosis, and 12 had Raynaud's phenomenon. The male to female ratio was 0.89; median age was 59 years. Fingers were affected in 94%. Adenocarcinomas were the predominant associated malignancies (41%), and metastases were observed in 41%. The acral vascular syndromes in 48% of the patients definitively regressed after tumor treatment. Forty-four percent of the patients died within 2 years. A favorable cutaneous outcome was obtained with prostacyclin infusions in 6 patients.

Conclusion: A neoplastic origin of acral vascular syndrome should be considered in elderly patients, especially men, in the absence of usual causative conditions. (J Am Acad Dermatol 2002;47:47-52.)

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- **Clínica**
- Gangrena digital (40 pacientes, 59%)
- Fenomeno de Raynaud precediendo a la gangrena (21 pacientes 53%)
- Acrocianosis (16 pacientes, 24%)
- Fenómeno de Raynaud no complicado (12 pacientes, 18%)

- **Epidemiología**
- 28 (41%) tenían adenocarcinomas, sobre todo pulmón (6) y ovario (6)
- 13 (19%) tenían neoplasias hematológicas (linfomas, distintos tipos de leucemia...)
- 12 (18%) asociaban carcinomas anaplásicos y epidermoides

Síndromes Urticariales

- **S. de Schnitzler: Urticaria crónica no pruriginosa, fiebre recurrente, dolor óseo y otoesclerosis, adenopatías, megalias, aumento VSG, asociado a gammopatía monoclonal Ig M con o sin cambios de enfermedad linfoproliferativa.**



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