# Diagnostic Slide Session Case #11

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## Clinical History

• 45-year-old woman presented to outside hospital with non-specific neurological symptoms.

 MRI revealed a 4.6 cm mass within the right frontal horn of the lateral ventricle which extended into the right frontal lobe with surrounding vasogenic edema, which enhanced post-contrast.

## Imaging

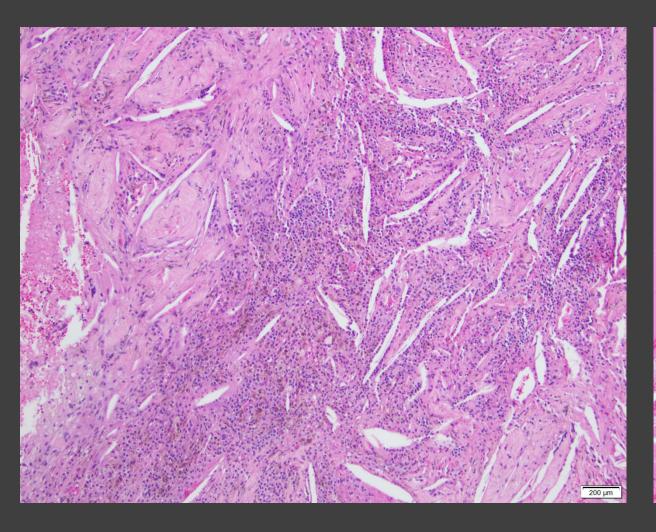
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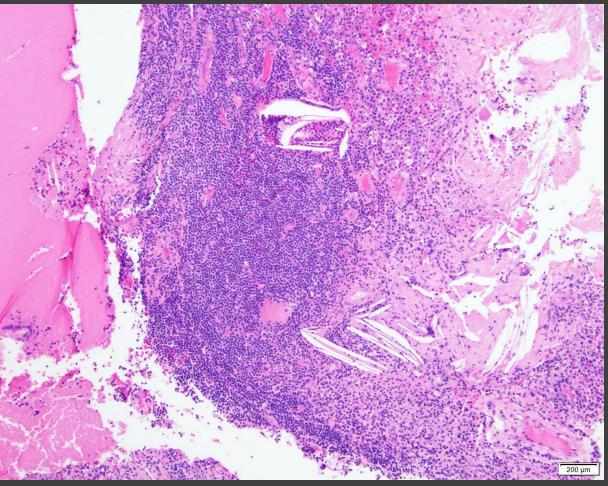


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## H&E





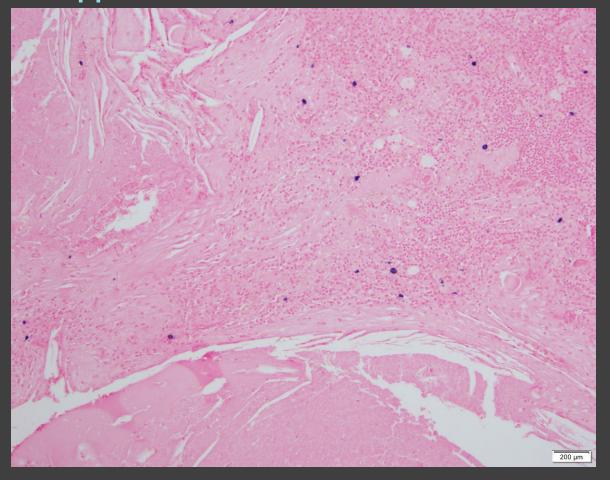
## Thoughts?



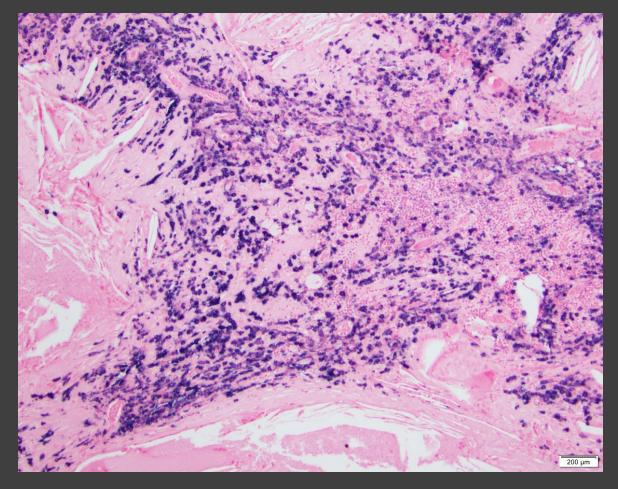
### Differential

- Reactive
- Leukemic infiltrate (e.g. CLL)
- Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma
- Lymphoplasmacytic Lymphoma/ Waldenström's
- Low-Grade B-Cell Lymphoma
- T-Cell Lymphoma

CD20 CD3 Kappa ISH



#### Lambda ISH



## Microscopic Findings

#### Neuro:

- H&E stained sections show a tumefactive response of mixed inflammatory cells with cholesterol clefts and fibrosis, consistent with xanthogranuloma of the choroid plexus.
- Monomorphic lymphocytic infiltrate.
- Abundant extracellular proteinaceous debris.

#### Heme:

- H&E stained sections demonstrate an atypical lymphoplasmacytic infiltrate.
- CD2o(+)/Pax-5(+) B-cells.
- Kappa and lambda in-situ hybridization show apparent lambda light chain restriction.

## IHC of Lymphomatous Cells

- Positive
  - CD20
  - Pax-5
  - BCL-2

#### Negative

- BCL-6
- CD30
- CD10
- C-kit/CD117
- CD56
- Cyclin-D1
- S-100
- CD1a
- CD3
- CD5

### Molecular

 Monoclonal B-Cell Population demonstrating an IgH-FR1-3 rearrangement, likely representing marginal zone lymphoma.

• MYD88 mutation not detected.

### Mass Spec

- Extracellular deposits of:
  - Lambda Ig light chains.
  - Alpha Ig heavy chains.

### Diagnosis

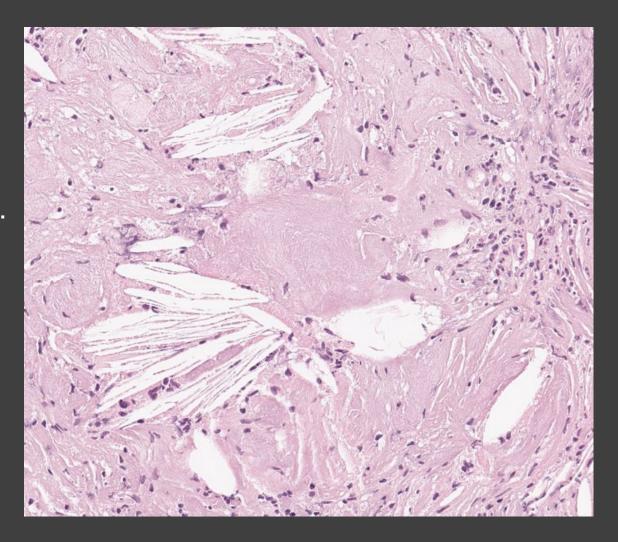
• Atypical lymphoplasmacytic infiltrate of the choroid plexus with background xanthogranulomatous reaction, most consistent with marginal zone B-cell lymphoma.

### Discussion

- Marginal Zone B-cell lymphoma:
  - Significant female predominance.
  - Most often dural-based (80%).
  - 3 previously described in the choroid plexus.
  - Good prognosis.
    - Complete response 77%.

### Discussion

- Xanthogranuloma of choroid plexus:
  - Usually an incidental finding (found in 1.6-7.0% of autopsies).
  - Could lead to hydrocephalus.
  - Commonly bilateral, within the lateral ventricles.



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