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Preface

Dear students,

ENT, an important subject in the MBBS curriculum is a high mark fetching subject. To score good, it is not only essential to understand the important topics, but also to be able to recall them when you need it the most. Yes, Revision is the key to success. So, keep revising not only till you can get it right but till you can never get it wrong.

One Touch ENT is an effort from my side which will enable the students to:

- · Revise entire ENT quickly before exam
- · Think clinically
- Know the approach to the diagnosis and treatment of the ENT diseases as asked in the current exams
- Answer all the questions including clinical questions, fact-based questions as well as image-based questions with ease.

The salient features of this book are:

- The entire subject has been covered in a very crisp manner with the help of flowcharts and high-yield tables to make the revision a cakewalk for students.
- Although the content is in the form of tables and flowcharts, a clinical approach has been maintained which will help the students in doing well in the current clinical-based exam pattern.
- · All PYQs of NEET and INICET have been marked as PYQ next to it.
- All the clinical images that are important have been given alongside the text.

I have left no stone unturned in making this book student friendly and exam oriented, now it's your turn to utilize my efforts and convert it in your success.

Always remember that success is neither magical nor mysterious. Success is the natural consequence of your consistent hard work toward your goal with infinite patience, infinite enthusiasm and infinite passion till you reach your destination.

"Take up one idea. Make that one idea your life. Think of it, dream of it, live on that idea.

Let the brain, muscles, nerves, every part of your body, be full of that idea,

and just leave every other idea alone— this is the way to success."

- Swami Vivekananda

With lots of love!

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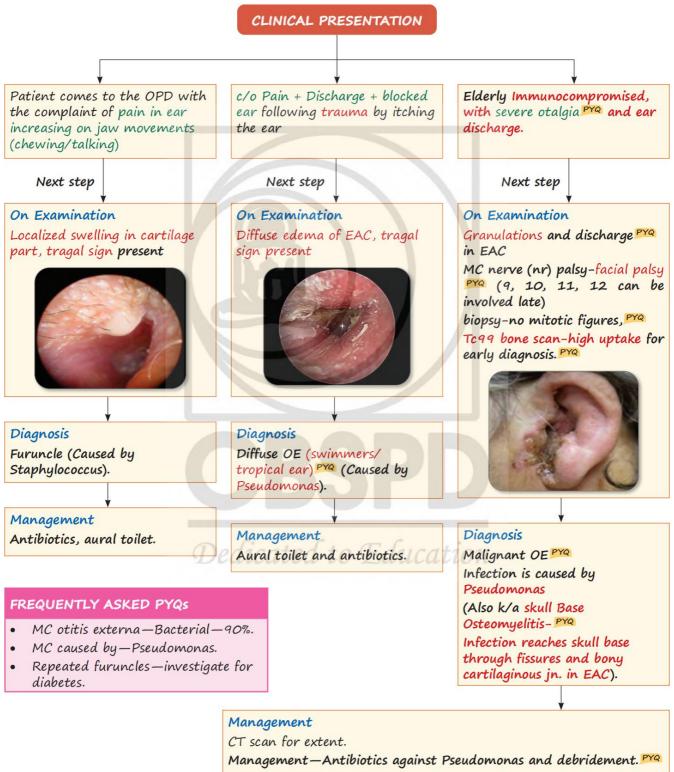
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APPROACH TO DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT OF IMPORTANT CONDITIONS OF EXTERNAL AUDITORY CANAL PRESENTING WITH PAIN/EAR DISCHARGE



Correct immunosuppression.

To see resolution—Gallium-67, Indium -111, ESR PYQ.

6. EMBRYOLOGY AND ANATOMY OF MASTOID

IMPORTANT POINTS ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF MASTOID

Part of EAR	Develops from	Developmental anomaly/ Developmental significance	
Mastoid	Petrous and squamous part of temporal bone. PYQ Mastoid air cells except mastoid antrum PYQ (completely developed at birth) continue to develop till 18 years of age. Mastoid tip develops at 2 years. PYQ	Persistent petrosqamosal suture k/a Korner's septum PYQ can be present leading to incomplete clearance of disease from mastoid antrum during surgery. Mastoid tip develops at 2 years of age so facial nerve not protected before that. Postaural incision before 2 years should be superior and horizontal to protect facial nerve PYQ.	Squamous — Rorner's septum Petrous part Antrum Korner's septum (Petrosquamosal sutrue)

FREQUENTLY ASKED PYQS

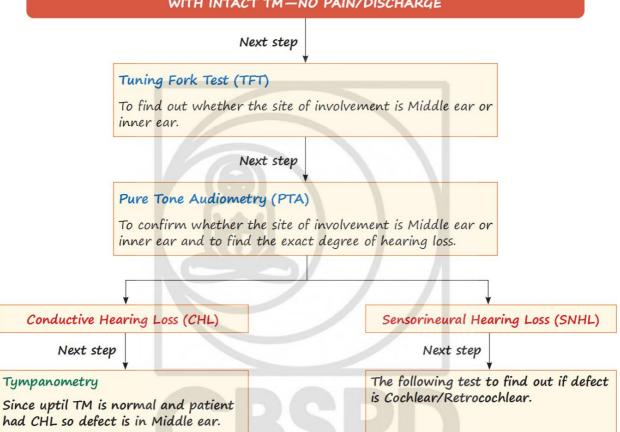
Completely developed at birth

- Middle Ear, Inner Ear—Organ of Corti, Mastoid antrum
 Not completely developed at birth
- · Mastoid tip, EAC—bony part

Identify. Description MacEwen's/ Suprame atal triangle Spine of Henle

13. STEPWISE APPROACH WHEN PATIENT PRESENTS WITH ONLY HEARING LOSS WITH INTACT TM—NO PAIN/DISCHARGE

STEPWISE APPROACH WHEN PATIENT PRESENTS WITH ONLY HEARING LOSS WITH INTACT TM—NO PAIN/DISCHARGE



Test	Cochlear pathology	Retrocochlear pathology
Recruitment, i.e. abnormal growth of loudness (ABLB test)	Present cated to Education	Absent
SISI score, i.e., ability to identify short increments (1 dB) of sound	70-100%	0-20%
Acoustic reflex threshold	Decreased due to recruitment	Increased
Tone decay (nerve fatigue)	Absent	Present
Acoustic reflex decay (nerve fatigue)	Absent	Present
OAEs	Absent	Present
BERA (best test)	Delayed wave 1, but remaining waves normal	Only wave I is present, rest are absent or affected
Speech discrimination score (SDS) or word discrimination score	Reduced. Rollover phenomenon absent	Very poor. Rollover phenomenon present

16. IMPEDANCE AUDIOMETRY (IA)

Components of IA and its Use

Impedance Audiometry consists of →
Tympanometry + Stapedial reflex. PYQ

Use \rightarrow To find the condition of ME if TM is intact and the patient has CHL. PYQ



Tympanometer

When to do Tympanometry

When patient presents with Only Hearing Loss with intact TM— no pain/ discharge and test shows CHL (TFT-bc>ac, Weber's—same side, PTA— AB gap + BC normal) indicating the defect to be in the middle ear.

Next Step

Tympanometry to rule out and find out the defect in middle ear, e.g., SOM, Ossicular discontinuity, otosclerosis.

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT TYMPANOMETRY

Important PYQs to remember about Tympanometry

- It is an Objective test. PYQ
- Frequency of tone given by probe in adults – 226 or 220 Hz PYQ
- Tympanometry measures compliance (TM mobility) and Middle ear pressure (ET function) PYQ
- It is the Best investigation for Eustachian tube function.

Also know:

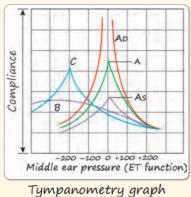
Other tests for Eustachian tube function.

Valsalva, Politzer, Toynbee, Frenzel, ET Catheterization

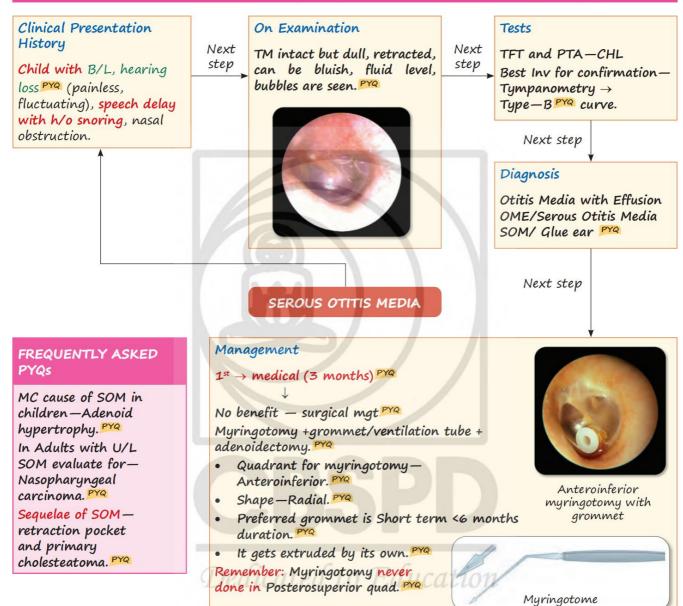
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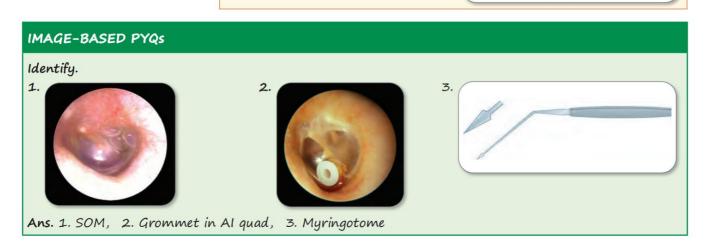
Diagnosis based on Tympanometry graph

Type of Tympa- nogram	Finding	Interpretation/Diagnosis
A	Normal compliance and normal ME pr	Normal ear
As	Reduced compliance with normal ME pr	Otosclerosis/ Tympanosclerosis PYQ
Ad	Increased compliance with normal ME pr	Ossicular Discontinuity PYQ
B/Dome	reduced compliance and negative ME pr	Serous Otitis Media PYQ
c dicated to	normal compliance and negative ME pr	Early ET obstruction PYQ
Flat	No curve	TM perforation, fluid completely filling middle ear ^{PYQ}



19. OTITIS MEDIA WITH EFFUSION (OME)/SEROUS OTITIS MEDIA (SOM)/GLUE EAR





EAR 65

27. PHYSIOLOGY OF VESTIBULAR SYSTEM

THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT NYSTAGMUS OF PERIPHERAL ORIGIN IN A PATIENT OF VERTIGO

Differences between Peripheral and Central Nystagmus

	Peripheral nystagmus	Central nystagmus
Latency PYQ	Present PYQ	Absent PYQ
Duration PYQ	Limited (1.5 min-2min) PYQ	Not Limited PYQ
Fatigability	Present	Absent
Direction PYQ	Fixed PYQ	Changing PYQ
Optic fixation PYQ	Nystagmus disappears PYQ	Nystagmus does NOT disappear PYQ
Torsion with horizontal/vertical Pro	Present PYQ	Pure horizontal/Pure Vertical/Pure tortional PYQ



Frenzel goggles-to remove optic fixation and magnify patient's eyes

NYSTAGMUS

Nystagmus Type in Different Conditions of Inner Ear

Due to involvement of	Type of Peripheral origin Nys-	Seen in which conditions
Vertical canal (PSC, SSC) PYQ	tagmus seen Vertical nystagmus with Torsion. PYQ	Posterior and superior canal BPPV, Superior SCC dehiscence.
Horizontal SCC PYQ	Horizontal nystagmus PYQ	Horizontal SCC, BPPV.
Complete involvement of labyrinth (hypo- active) PYQ	Horizontal nystagmus with Torsion. PYQ	Vestibular neuritis (Complete destruction of vestibular nerve) PYQ, purulent labyrin- thitis, late stages of Meniere's.

Direction of Peripheral Origin Nystagmus

Direction of Nystagmus is—direction of fast component PYQ — fixed—toward more active side

Type of lesion	Seen in which condition	Direction of nystagmus
Hyperactive lesion of labyrinth PYQ	BPPV PYQ	Toward more active side → i.e., Toward the involved ear. PYQ
Hypoactive lesion of labyrinth PYQ	Vestibular neuritis, purulent labyrinthitis.	Toward more active side → i.e., Toward the normal ear. PYQ

For example:

- In right PSC BPPV—vertical nystagmus toward right.
- Right vestibular neuritis—Horizontal nystagmus to left (active) side.
- Q. A patient is found to have acute vertigo and horizontal nystagmus with the slow component toward the left. In which of the following conditions would you see this finding?
 - A. Posterior canal BPPV
- B. Superior canal BPPV
- C. Right hypoactive labyrinth
- D. Left hypoactive labyrinth
- Ans: D. Left hypoactive labyrinth

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11. ANATOMY OF PARANASAL SINUSES

PYQS ON FRONTAL SINUS

- · Absent at birth.
- · Last to completely develop.
- Last to be seen on X-ray.
- Superiormost sinus.
- Opens in middle meatus.

PYQS ON MAXILLARY SINUS

- · Most pneumatized at birth.
- · Largest.
- Also K/a Antrum of Highmore.
- Shape of maxillary sinus—pyramidal; base—lateral wall of nose.
- Apex—toward zygoma.
- Floor related to 2nd premolar and 1st molar (extraction can lead to oroantral fistula).

PARANASAL SINUSES

Nose as well as all sinuses lined by respiratory epithelium i.e., ciliated columnar epithelium like nasal cavity. PYQ

PYQS ON ANTERIOR ETHMOIDS

Opens in middle meatus anterior ethmoidal cells are as follows:

- Bulla ethmoidalis → Most prominent.
- Agger nasi → Anterior most.
- Haller's cells → In relation to floor of orbit (Infraorbital)/ roof of max sinus.

PYQS ON POSTERIOR ETHMOIDS

- · Open in—superior meatus
- Posterior ethmoidal Cell— Onodi Cell.
- Onodi cell is in relation to sphenoid sinus.

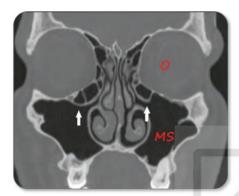
And is closely related to

- · Optic nerve and
- · ICA.

PYQS ON SPHENOID SINUS

- Present in—body of sphenoid.
- Drains in—sphenoethmoidal recess.
- Related to—optic nerve and Pituitary—related to superior wall; ICA related to lateral wall.
- Most common Sphenoid sinus Pneumatization—sellar (pneumatization below and posterior to sella turcica).

IMPORTANT CT IMAGES OF PARANASAL SINUSES

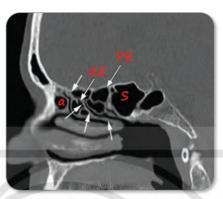


CT—coronal cut arrow showing

Haller cell

0 — Orbit

MS - Maxillary sinus



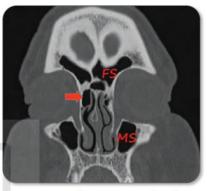
CT—Sagittal cut—agger nasi (a)

Arrow showing:

AE - Anterior ethmoid

PE - Posterior ethmoid

5 - Sphenoid sinus



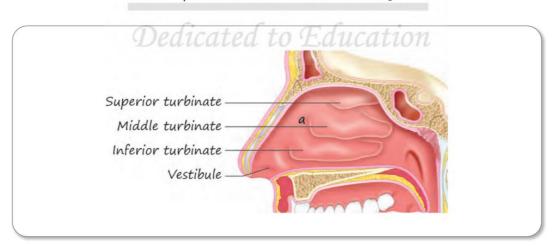
CT—coronal cut arrow showing agger nasi

FS - Frontal sinus

MS - Maxillary sinus



CT—coronal cut: 1. Onodi cell, 2. Optic nerve, 3. Internal Carotid artery



Agger nasi (a) cell PYQ

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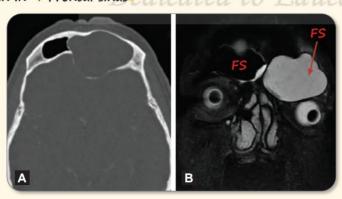
IMPORTANT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN ORBITAL COMPLICATIONS AND CAVERNOUS SINUS THROMBOSIS

Orbital cellulitis	Cavernous sinus thrombosis
Presents with gradual onset of unilateral—eyelid edema, conjunctival chemosis, proptosis, restricted ocular movements, ophthalmoplegia.	Abrupt onset of fever with associated chills and rigor. PYQ
Ophthalmoplegia (3, 4, 6 together)	First nerve involved is 6th. PYQ Then 3, 4.
Unilateral	Unilateral chemosis, proptosis, restricted ocular movements progresses to B/L involvement. PYQ
Absent	Trigeminal paresthesia + nt
Orbital cellulitis of left eye	Cavernous sinus thrombosis— B/L

CHRONIC COMPLICATIONS OF SINUSITIS

• Mucocele $\overset{PYQ}{\longrightarrow}$ Cystic swelling in the superomedial quadrant of orbit pushing orbit downward, forward (nonaxial proptosis), laterally

MC seen in → Frontal sinus PYQ



Mucocele of Frontal Sinus (FS) \rightarrow can also follow trauma (latrogenic, e.g., FESS or noniatrogenic leading to stenosis obstruction of frontal sinus drainage.)

Pyocele

Due to secondary infection of mucocele.

MANAGEMENT OF NASAL POLYPS

Surgical

- In Allergic Fungal Sinusitis (AFS) and AC polyp the first line of management is FESS.
- Postoperative oral and local steroids are given in AFS.
- No role of steroids in AC polyp. PYQ

Medical

- In rest the first line of management is medical with topical steroids, saline nasal spray and management of the underlying systemic condition.
- If not benefitting → FESS. PYQ

Note

Chances of recurrence of nasal polyps which follow systemic condition is very high. In recurrent nasal poyps management remains same.

CONDITIONS WHICH MIMIC POLYP/LOOKS LIKE POLYP

CONDITIONS WHICH MIMIC POLYP /LOOKS LIKE POLYPPYQ

in elderly

- Inverted papilloma/ carcinoma. PYQ
- * Any elderly with elderly—Nasal obstruction +blood tinged nasal discharge with polypoidal mass from middle meatal area, biopsy should be taken to rule out tumor PYQ.

In a child

- Meningoencephalocele
 PYQ
- * Polypoidal compressible, transilluminant, mass in the nostril of an infant.

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* Furstenberg test +ve.

All age groups

- Concha bullosa PYQ It is pneumatized turbinate (MC seen in middle turbinate PYQ).
- * Probe test Properties is done to differentiate it from polyp—
 A turbinate bleeds and pains on probing but a polyp does not bleed or pain on probing Properties.

A probe can be passed all around a polyp but not all around turbinate.



CT showing B/L concha bullosa of middle turbinate PYQ(*)



Endoscopic appearance of polyp PYQ



Concha bullosa

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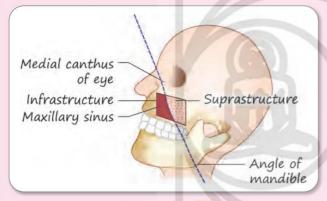
IMPORTANT PYQS ON TUMORS OF NOSE

Ohngren's line: Imaginary line passing from medial canthus to angle of mandible dividing maxillary sinus into upper (suprastructure) and lower (infrastructure) part.

Ohngren's Classification: Suprastructure has worse prognosis than infrastructure.

- Incisions/Approaches for maxillectomy: Weber Fergusson, lateral rhinotomy (Moure's incision), midfacial degloving approach.
- Esthesioneuroblastoma PYQ/olfactory neuroblastoma is a highly vascular, tumor of olfactory mucosa PYQ with rare LN metastasis appears as cherry red polypoidal mass.
- MC carcinoma of Ext nose $^{PYQ} \rightarrow BCC \rightarrow Also K/a-rodent ulcer.$
- MC carcinoma of Nasal cavity $\stackrel{PYQ}{\longrightarrow} SCC \rightarrow Also K/a-nose pickers Carcinoma.$

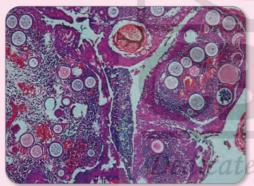
Important Images:



Ohngren's line PYQ



Rhinosporidiosis — Mulberry/strawberry mass PYQ



Rhinosporidiosis Sporangium filled with sporangiospores



Inverted papilloma—Endoscopy PYQ



Histopathology of inverted papilloma



Inverted papilloma-CT PYQ

19. ARTERIAL SUPPLY OF NOSE AND EPISTAXIS ARTERIAL SUPPLY OF NOSE Internal carotid PYQ External carotid Ophthalmic artery PYQ Maxillary PYQ Facial Superior labial Anterior Posterior Septal branch ethmoidal PYQ ethmoidal Sphenopalatine Greater palatine (Main artery) PYQ Kiesselbach's plexus on Little's area on anteroinferior part of septum PYQ Anterior ethmoidal artery Little's Posterior.

artery Anterior Sphenopalatine Greater Superior palatine labial artery artery (septal branch) artery

area

Arterial supply of nose

ethmoidal

Posterior

IMPORTANT PYQS ON EPISTAXIS

- MC site of epistaxis in children and young—Little's area.
 - Location of Littles area—Al part of septum.
 - Arterial Plexus in Little's area is K/a—Kiesselbach's plexus.
 - Artery of epistaxis → Sphenopalatine artery.
 - MC cause of anterior and posterior epistaxis → Sphenopalatine artery.
 - Ligation site of Sphenopalatine artery—at Sphenopalatine foramen 1 cm behind middle turbinate.
 - Artery not contributing to Kiesselbach's plexus—Posterior ethmoidal.
 - Which artery is never ligated to control epistaxis—Internal carotid.
 - Woodruff's plexus—location—behind inferior turbinate.
 - Artery injured during FESS resulting in orbital hematoma—Anterior ethmoidal.
 - Incision for ligation of ethmoidal artery—Lynch Howarth incision.
- · MC cause of epistaxis in adults—idiopathic.
- MC cause of epistaxis in Children—Trauma.
- Recurrent epistaxis in young male—Angiofibroma.
- Foreign body in children presentation—MC presentation \rightarrow unilateral foul smelling nasal discharge.

STEPS FOR MANAGEMENT OF EPISTAXIS PYQ

Check ABC/Vitals



Hippocratic/trotter's method

Hippocratic technique/trotter's method (with Oxymetazoline if available)

Identify source and Local chemical (silver nitrate)/bipolar electro cautery

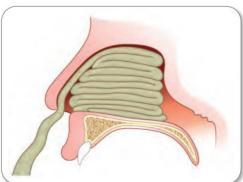
Anterior nasal pack
(All nasal packing admitted and
antibiotic coverage)

Posterior nasal pack
Dedicated Lo Laucation



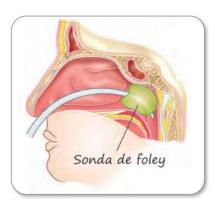
Local chemical (silver nitrate)/bipolar electro cauteru

Ligation





All nasal packing admitted and antibiotic coverage



Posterior nasal pack with foley's catheter

IMAGE-BASED PYQS

Identify.

1.



2.



3.





Ans.

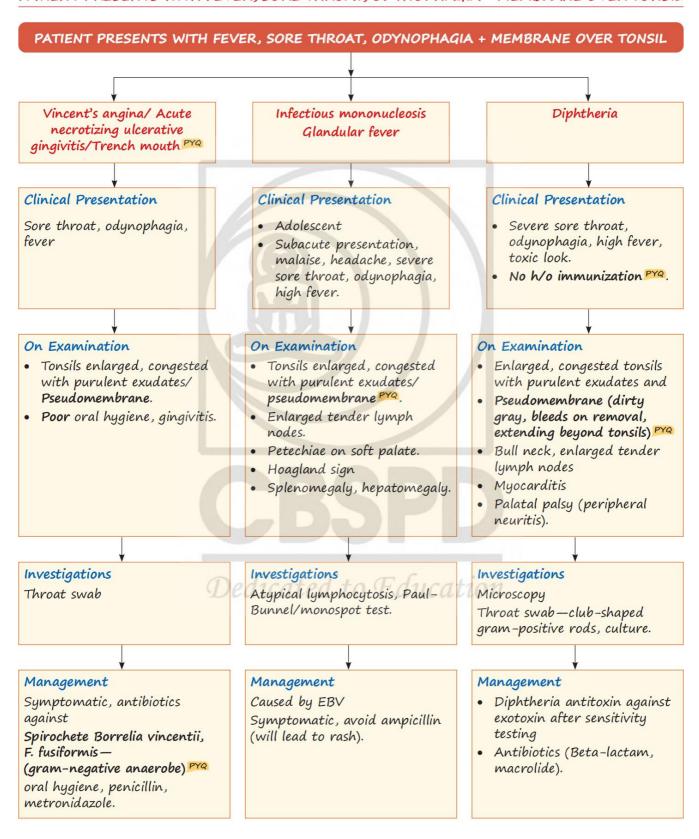
- 1. Hypertrophied adenoid on endoscopy
- 2. X-ray nose and nasopharynx lateral view (Dodd/crescent sign –ve), A → Adenoid
- 3. Adenoidectomy by blind curettage in Rose's position
- 4. Adenoidectomy by microdebrider under endoscopic visualization

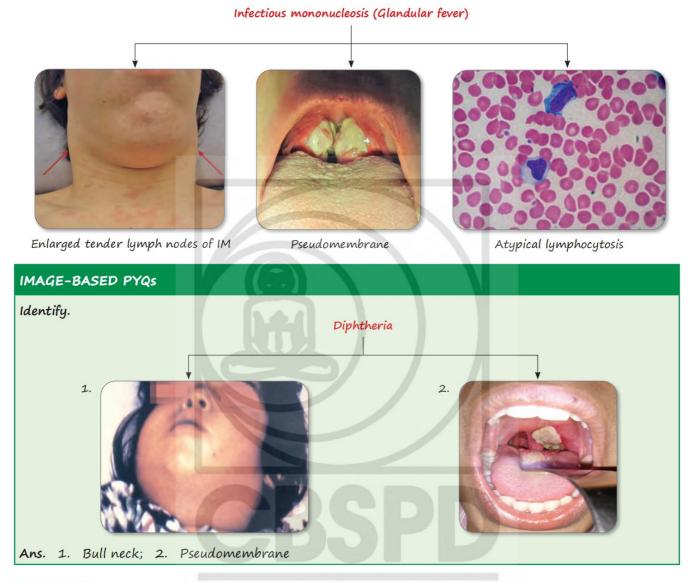
ALSO KNOW

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- Passavant's ridge is formed by superior constrictor and palatopharyngeus.
- Incomplete closure of nasopharyngeal isthmus → Velopharyngeal insufficiency (VPI). Voice in VPI rhinolalia aperta/hypernasality.
- Any obstruction of nose/nasopharynx → Rhinolalia clausa. PYQ
- Child with adenoid hypertrophy with Eustachian tube obstruction has future risk of primary acquired cholesteatoma.
- Thornwaldt's bursa PYQ/pharyngeal bursa represents the persistence of embryonic communication between the roof of primitive pharynx and notochord. It presents as a blind sac at the junction of the roof and posterior wall of nasopharynx in the midline. It can present as a nasopharyngeal cyst PYQ or abscess leading to postnasal drip and occipital headache. It is managed by excision or marsupialization PYQ.

PATIENT PRESENTS WITH FEVER, SORE THROAT, ODYNOPHAGIA + MEMBRANE OVER TONSIL





CAUSES OF PSEUDOMEMBRANE ON TONSIL— AL VITAMIN D (MNEMONIC)

- Agranulocytosis
- Leukemia
- Vincent's angina or Trench mouth
- Infectious mononucleosis
- Trauma
- Aphthous ulcers
- Moniliasis (candidiasis)
- Infections of throat
- Neoplasia
- Diphtheria

IMAGE-BASED PYQS

Identify.

1.



Ans.

- 1. Vincent's angina/Acute necrotizing ulcerative gingivitis/Trench mouth
- 2. Moniliasis (candidiasis)/Oral thrush (Caused by—Candida,
 Predisposing factor—Immunosuppression, due to steroid inhaler)

Contraindication for Tonsillectomy PYQ

- · Acute infection
- · Bleeding diathesis
- · Velopharyngeal insufficiency
- Polio epidemics—virus aggregated in lymphoid tissue—gets access into blood.

Postoperative Care

- Place patient in Recovery/Coma Position → Best protection from airway occlusion or aspiration of fluids into the lungs.
- Watch for bleeding—swallowing, vitals pulse, BP, respiration monitoring.

TONSILLECTOMY → IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER

Complications Following Tonsillectomy PYQ

- · MC C/C following Sx-hemorrhage
 - Primary—during Sx
 - Reactionary—after Sx to 24 hrs
 - Secondary (secondary to infection)—
 24 hrs to 10 days, most commonly at
 5-6 days.

Steps for Management of Hemorrhage PYQ

Re-exploration under $GA \rightarrow clot$ removal (for clipping action of superior constrictor) \rightarrow pressure with vasocontrictor \rightarrow cautery \rightarrow ligate.

IMAGE-BASED PYQS

1. Dedicated b Education



Ans.

- 1. Mollison's tonsil dissector and anterior pillar retractor
- 2. Coblation wand
- 3. Microdebrider

Location

· Between the

to T4. PYQ

buccopharyngeal

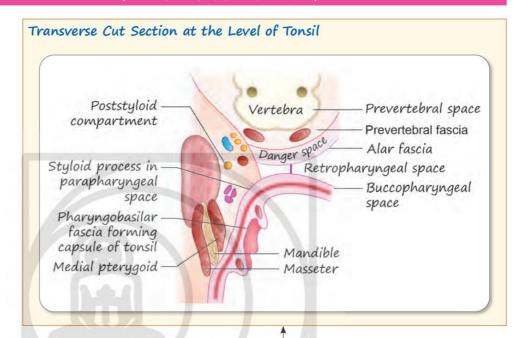
fascia anteriorly

and alar fascia

posteriorly. PYQ

From base of skull

11. RETROPHARYNGEAL SPACE/SPACE OF GILLETTE

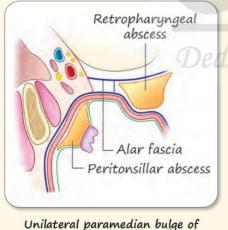


· Has nodes of Rouviere. PYQ

ACUTE RETROPHARYNGEAL ABSCESS-IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER



Dysphagia, stridor and torticollis. PYQ



posterior pharyngeal wall

Examination Finding

- Unilateral paramedian bulge of PPW.
- X-ray—increased prevertebral shadow, Reversal of cervical lordosis and air-fluid level.



Management

- IV antibiotics
- Intraoral 1 and D

3. METHODS OF EXAMINING THE LARYNX METHODS OF EXAMINING THE LARYNX Endoscopy with or without stroboscope Indirect laryngoscopy PYQ Direct laryngoscopy PYQ (visualization of mucosal wave in slow motion to differentiate lesions and site of involvement). PYQ Flexible endoscopy Rigid Endoscopy Tips of different angles (70, 90) Boyce position PYQ/ Chevalier Jackson/Barking dog/sniffing morning air—Flexion at cervical spine and extension at atlanto—occipital joint. Appearance of larynx to Education Epiglottis Posterior commissure TVC TVC Posterior - Epiglottis commissure

Appearance of larynx

Appearance of larynx

4. CONDITIONS OF LARYNX PRESENTING WITH HOARSENESS

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Clinical History

A teacher/singer/person with voice abuse presents with tiredness of voice and hoarseness pro ho voice abuse.

Next step

Examination Finding

O/E—Bilaterally symmetrical <3 mm and sessile junction of anterior 1/3rd and posterior 2/3rd PYQ.



Clinical History

c/o **Hoarseness ^{PYQ},** after a sudden episode of **voice** abuse ^{PYQ}.

Next step

Examination Finding

O/E—Solitary swelling at the junction of anterior 1/3rd and posterior 2/3rd. PQ



Clinical History

c/o Hoarseness following surgery (GA—intubation) or with h/o Laryngopharyngeal reflux or voice abuse.

Next step

Examination Finding

U/L or B/L nodular masses, at the vocal process (posterior 1/3 of TVC) of arytenoids.



Diagnosis

- · Vocal nodule
- · Teacher's, singer's nodule

Management

Voice rest and speech therapy.

Diagnosis

Vocal polyp

Management

Excised by microlaryngeal surgery (MLS).

Diagnosis

Arytenoid granuloma PYQ

- If following Voice abuse then k/a—Contact ulcer/Contact pachydermia.
- If following Laryngopharyngeal reflux. Then k/a—Peptic granuloma.
- If following Trauma by Intubation then k/a— Intubation granuloma.

ALSO KNOW

- Hoarseness is rough/harsh quality of voice.
- Dysphonia is difficulty in speaking or any impairment of voice.
- The term hoarseness and dysphonia can be used interchangeably.

Management

- · Speech therapy
- · Reflux management
- Excision following by Botulinum toxin injection in the thyroarytenoid muscle.

13. ACUTE INFECTIONS OF LARYNX

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Epiglottitis

MC Caused by Streptococcus PYQ.

Croup/Laryngo-Tracheo-Bronchitis

Caused by parainfluenza virus. PYQ

Clinical History

- · 2-8 yrs
- · Acute onset fever, inspiratory stridor
- Odynophagia (drooling of saliva)
- · Normal/muffled cry
- · Prefers leaning forward/tripod position
- Stridor Increases in supine and decreases in prone. PYQ

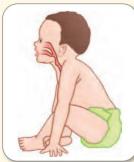
Clinical History

- · 6 months-3yrs, boys>girls. PYQ
- Presents with running nose, cold, fever, malaise, Gradual onset, prodromal symptoms present.
- Hoarseness, barking seal like cough, inspiratory or biphasic stridor.
- Mainly involves—subglottis. PYQ

Examination Finding

Pharyngeal examination—Contraindicated in children PYQ

- · Adults-1/L, FOL
- X-ray soft tissue neck lateral view → Thumb sign. PYQ



Tripod position



Thumb sign

Examination

X-ray STN AP view**—Steeple sign ^{PYQ}/** Pencil tip sign.

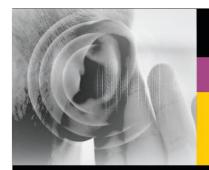


Management PYQ

- Secure airway by—Intubation (first step)
- IV antibiotics (main mgt) PYQ
- Steroids
- · Parenteral fluids
- · Adrenaline nebulization.

Management PYQ

- Steroids (main management)
- Adrenaline nebulization, humidification, hydration.



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