D I G E S T I V E Endoscopic Corner

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Case 1

A 15-year old male patient, with a history of hematochezia for 1 month.

Figure 1, 2 Colonoscopy revealed diffuse hydropic swelling with mild inflammation of colonic mucosa lying as mosaic-liked pattern. From these figures, what is the most likely diagnosis?

Figure 3, 4 Colonoscopy revealed bluish, dilated, tortuous submucosal vessel of colonic mucosa. From these figures, what is the most likely diagnosis?

Portal Hypertensive Colopathy

- Associated with colonic vascular ectasia
 - Arterial spider liked
 - Angiodysplasia liked
 - Cherry red spot liked
 - Multiple lesions, most located at left- sided

colon

• Not related to severity of cirrhosis, HVPG, EV, PHG or glucagon level

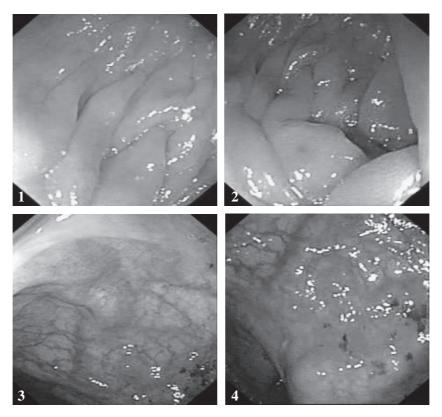


Figure 1, 2 The diagnosis was portal hypertensive colopathy.

3, 4 The diagnosis was colonic varices.

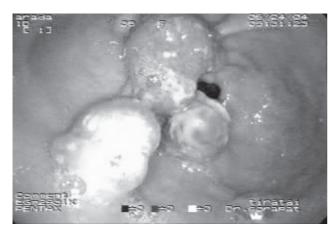


Figure 5 Gastroscopy revealed a few erythematous sessile polyps in the antrum, 0.5-1 cm. in diameter.

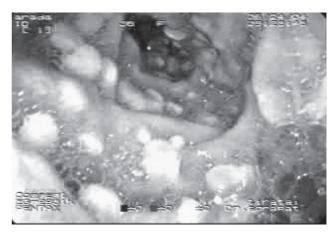


Figure 6 Gastroscopy revealed multiple sessile polyps in the second part of duodenum, 0.3-0.5 cm. in diameter. From these figures, what is the most likely diagnosis?

Colonic Varices

- Most common site is rectosigmoid region
- Bluish, dilated, tortuous submucosal vein
- Not related to severity of cirrhosis, HPVG

Case 2

A 35-year old, with annual surveillance endoscopy. The gastroscopy findings were shown in figure 5, 6.

Case 2: The diagnosis was Peutz-Jeghers syndrome.

Peutz-Jeghers Syndrome

• Unusual inherited GI harmatomatous polypo-

sis syndrome associated with mucocutaneous pigmentation.

- Autosomal dominant
- Skin lesion : Black pigmented spot on the lip and inside the mouth
 - GI polyposis
- Manifest early in life (average age in male = 22 years, female = 26 years)
- Common location : small bowel > large bowel, stomach
 - Small and large bowel: pedunculated polyp
 - Stomach : sessile polyp
- Increased risk of malignancy : GI, GU, breast, pancreas, thyroid, MM, skin