

# In the name of God

Case presentation

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22<sup>th</sup> Khordad 1402

# Patient ID:

- A 66-year-old woman
- Born and live in Tehran
- Married
- Education: uneducated
- Source of history: patient, reliable

# Chief Complaint:

- She was referred for evaluation due to hypoglycemic symptoms during prolonged fasting, which are resolved by eating foods since five years ago.

# Present Illness:

- A 66-year-old woman
- No health problems until 5 years ago.
- History of recurrent episodes of hypoglycemic during prolonged fasting, which are resolved by eating foods since five years ago.

# Present Illness:

- At first hypoglycemic symptoms happened 4-5 times in month.
- In the last three to four months, the number of hypoglycemic attacks has increased so that in some days the patient had this symptoms 2-3 times.

# Present Illness:

- Since the beginning of the disease, the patient has never checked her BS.
- With the increase in attacks, the patient suspected heart problems and went to the hospital for further investigation.

# Present Illness:

- After her heart problems were ruled out, she was referred to another doctor.
- The doctor requests blood tests, and she noticed the low BS.
- The patient was referred to Taleghani hospital for Examination.

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test	Result
FBS	<b>58 mg/dl</b>
2hpp	80 mg/dl
HbA1c	6.1%
Na	140 mEq/l
K	3.9 mEq/l
Calcium	9.4 mg/dl
Phosphor	2.6 mg/dl
(25-OH)D3	52 ng/ml
TSH	1.72 mlu/ml
T4	1.22 ng/ml
T3	1.38 ng/ml

test	Result
WBC	13900/cumm
Hb	12.2 g/dl
plt	216000/cumm
BUN	62 mg/dl
Creatinine	1.5 mg/dl
ALT	20 iu/l
AST	31 iu/l
Triglycerides	120 mg/dl
Cholestrol	107 mg/dl
HDL	45 mg/dl
LDL	38 mg/dl



# Present Illness:

- Fasting test was performed for patient during hospitalization.
- After the fasting test, the patient was discharged.

# Fasting test:

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left hand			Right hand		
BS	51 mg/dl		BS	52 mg/dl	
Insulin	28.4 miu/ml	2-22	Insulin	25.6 miu/ml	2-22
C-peptide	6.7 ng/ml	0.9-7.1	C-peptide	6.6 ng/ml	0.9-7.1

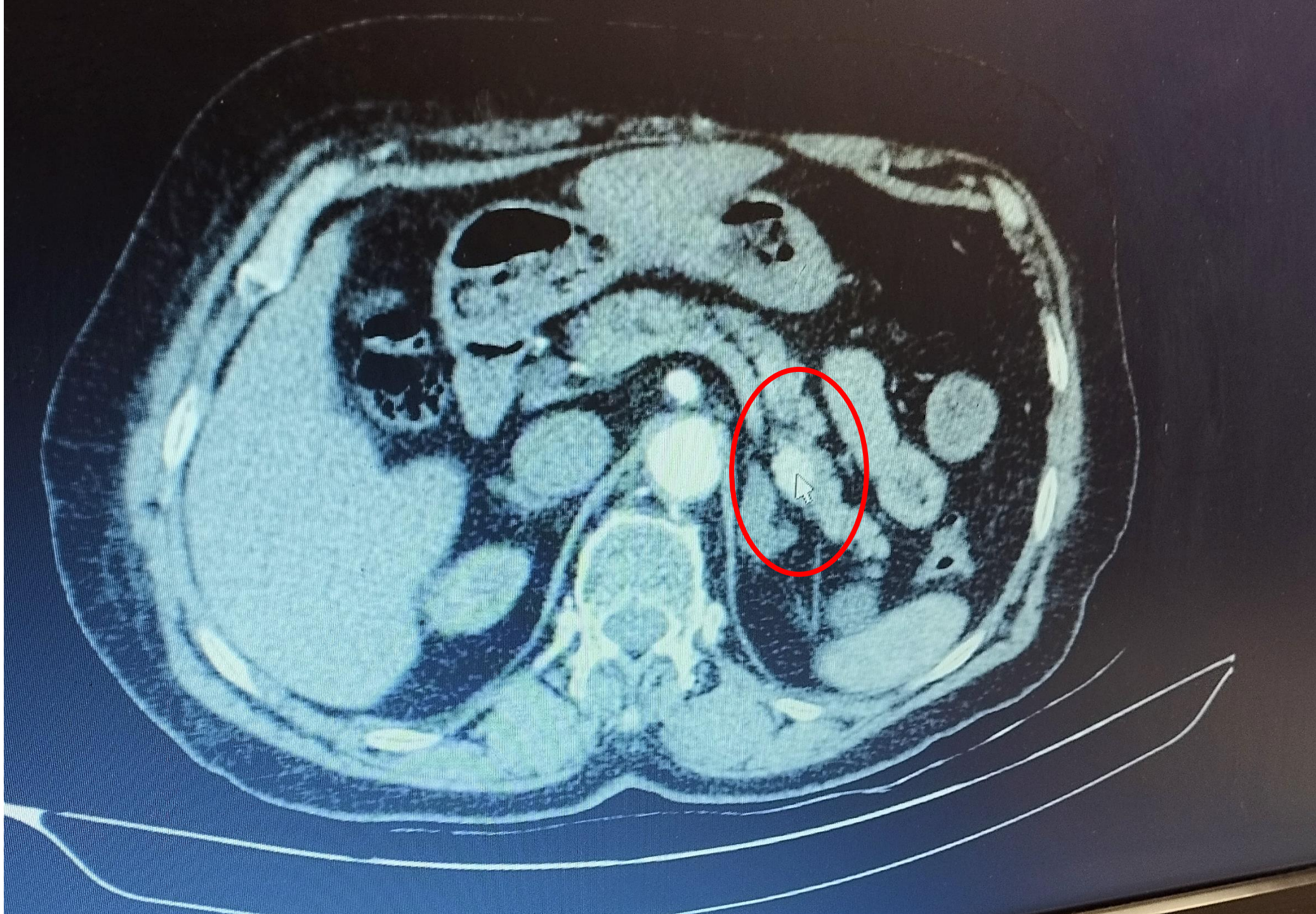
Sulfonyl urea (negative)

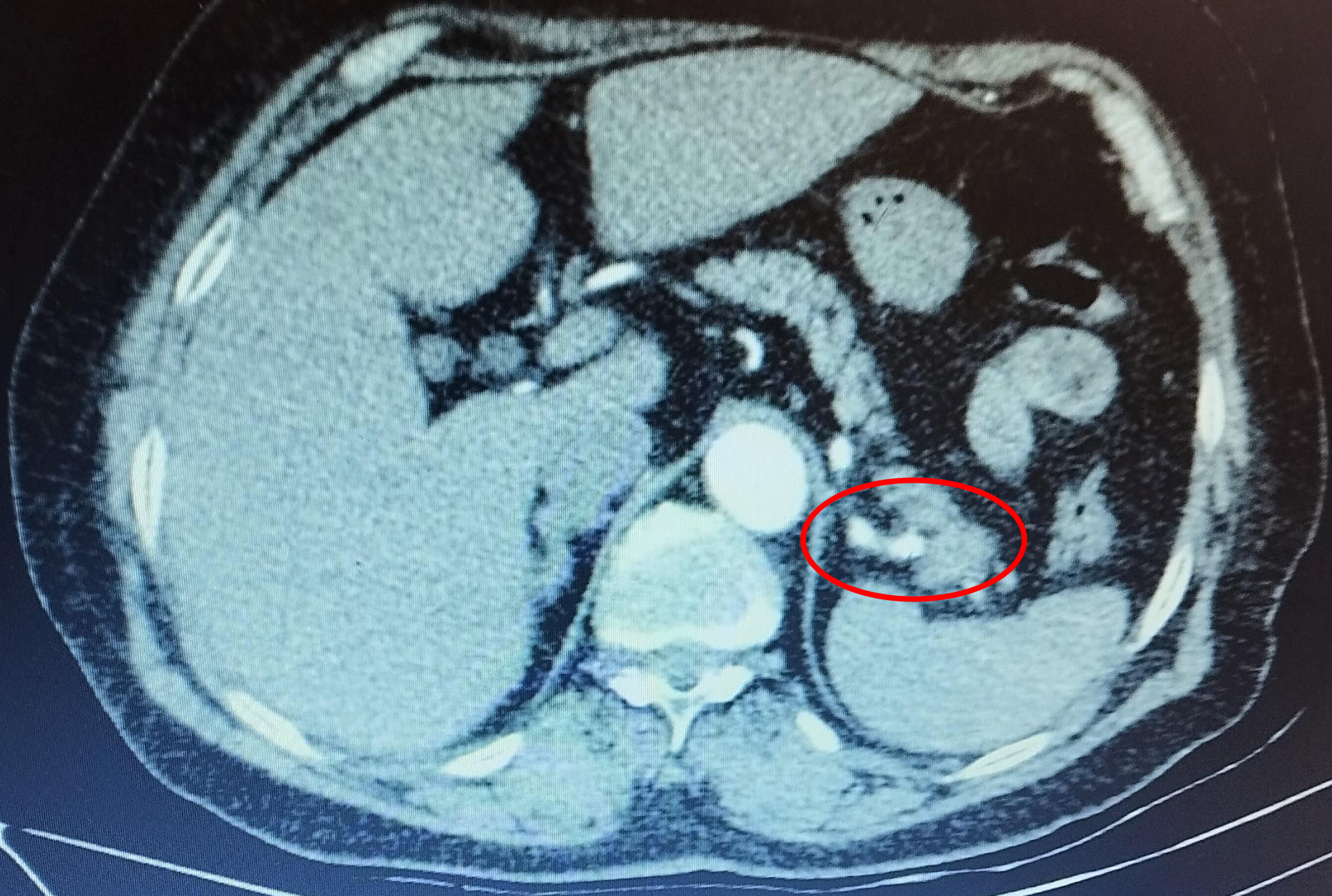
**TABLE 38.9** Patterns of Findings During Fasting or After a Mixed Meal in Normal Individuals<sup>a</sup> and in Individuals With Hyperinsulinemic (or IGF-Mediated) Hypoglycemia or Hypoglycemia Caused by Other Mechanisms

Symptoms, Signs, or Both	Glucose (mg/dL)	Insulin (μU/mL)	C-Peptide (nmol/L)	Proinsulin (pmol/L)	β-Hydroxybutyrate (mmol/L)	Glucose Increase After Glucagon (mg/dL)	Circulating Oral Hypoglycemic Agent	Antibody to Insulin	Diagnostic Interpretation
No	<55	<3	<0.2	<5	>2.7	<25	No	No	Normal
Yes	<55	»3	<0.2	<5	≤2.7	>25	No	Neg (Pos)	Exogenous insulin
Yes	<55	≥3	≥0.2	≥5	≤2.7	>25	No	Neg	Insulinoma, NIPHS, PGBH

# Present Illness:

- On 1401/12/14 the patient was re-admitted to investigate hyperinsulinism.
  - Abdominal CT scan
  - EUS





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 کد شناسایی: ۲۰۱۰۹۷۲

**خدمت درخواستی: سی تی اسکن شکم و لگن با و بدون تزریق (پروتکل پانکراس)**

در این بررسی که با مقاطع آگزیمال از قسمتهای فوقانی شکم تا انتهای لگن با تزریق وریدی ماده حاجب بعمل آمده، نتایج زیر بدست آمده:

- کبد دارای اندازه و پارانشیم یکنواخت و طبیعی است و نشانه ای از توده فضاگیر در آن دیده نمی شود.
- شواهدی از ضایعه های پروواسکولار در پارانشیم کبد مشاهده نشد.
- شواهد کوله سیستومی رویت شد.
- طحال دارای اندازه و پارانشیم یکنواخت و طبیعی است و نشانه ای از توده فضاگیر در آن دیده نمی شود.
- **توده بیضی با حدود مشخص و هایپراننسی در فاز آرتیال 16\*11mm در Tail پانکراس به نفع توده های هایپروواسکولار از جمله Insulinoma مشاهده می شود.**
- **فدولاریته آدرنال سمت چپ با شدت بیشتر در Medial Limb به حداکثر دایمتر تونسورس 12mm مشهود است.**
- کلیه ها به ابعاد و پارانشیم نرمال فاقد شواهدی بنفع سنگ و هیدرونفروز می باشد.
- کیست های کورتیکال کلیه هر دو سمت رویت شد.
- در فاز ترشحی کلیه ها ترشح نرمال دارند.
- عروق اصلی شکم از جمله آئورت شکمی و IVC قطر و نمای طبیعی دارند.
- در فضای رتروپریتونئال لنفادنوباتی و ضایعه قابل ذکر مشاهده نمی شود.
- رحم و آدنکس ها نمای نرمال دارند.
- ساختمانهای لگنی و عضلات لگن نمای طبیعی دارند.
- مثانه با شکل طبیعی و بدون نقص پرشدگی دیده شد.
- نمای روده ها غیر اختصاصی است.

# CT scan

- An oval shape mass with regular border and hyper enhancement in the arterial phase of **16\*11 mm** is observed in the tail of the pancreas in favor of hyper vascular masses including insulinoma.
- The nodularity of the left adrenal is more intense in the medial limb and the maximum diameter is **12 mm**

Hu  
 5-10  
 45  
 23  
 نام: [Redacted]  
 در مورد ضایعه آدرنال می بیند  
 Washout 50%  
 در وقت زمان 4 دقیقه بعد از تزریق  
 است (در اسکن) Hu قبل از تزریق کمتر از 10 Hu است  
 delay (با 24 ثانیه)  
 30 ثانیه (پورتل)  
 41  
 [Redacted]

# Adrenal tests:

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## Pheochromocytoma tests

Urine volume 24hr	1500ml/24hr	
Urine creatinine	1530mg/24hr	
VMA	1.6 mg/24hr	
metanephrin	111mcg/24hr	44-265
normetanephrin	302 mcg/24hr	65-560
Protein	45 mg/24hr	

# Adrenal tests:

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Cushing tests		
ACTH	11	
Cortisol 8 Am	15.2	4.5-24
ODST	2.3	

hyperaldosteronism tests		
K	4.3	
PRA	0.51 ng/ml/hr	0.5-4
Aldosterone	24.5 ng/dl	

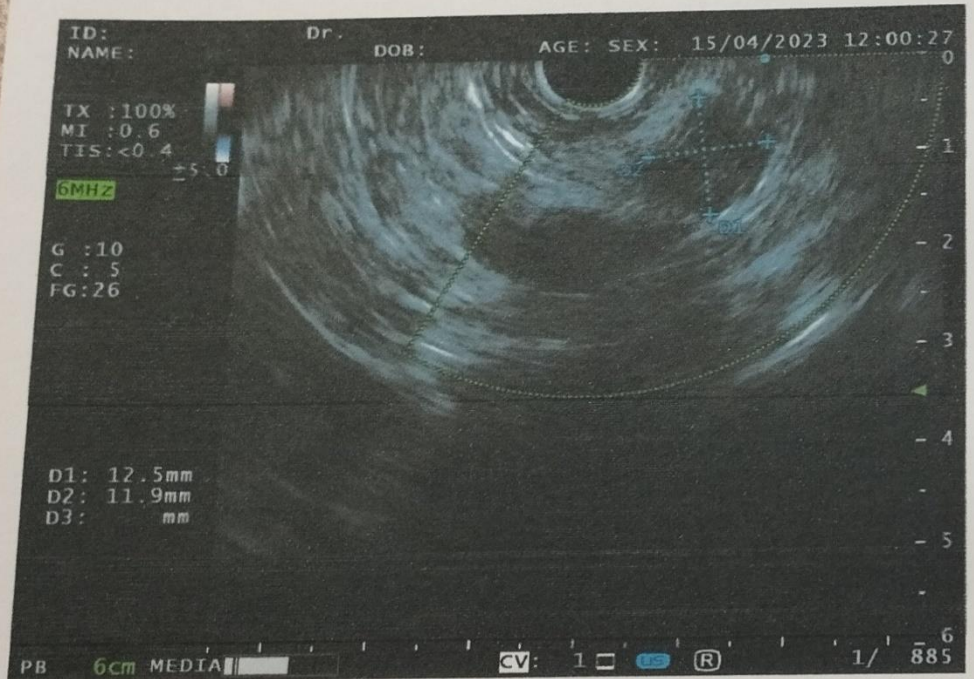
Aldosterone/PRA Ratio: 49

Saline loading test  
Aldosterone: 25.5 ng/dl



# Present Illness:

- After performing the adrenal tests, the patient was discharged because the EUS could not be performed due to the use of Aspirin.
- On 1402/01/19 the patient was re-admitted for EUS



# EUS:

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**Report Description:**

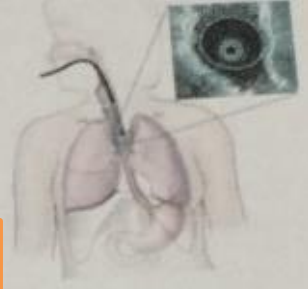
- **Endosonography:**  
Indication: suspicious to insulinoma  
Procedure: Upper EUS with linear scope

Mediastinum: was normal

Pancreas: The pancreas was normal in body and head. PD was normal in size and contour. there was one 13x11mm homogenous, hypoechoic and hypervascular lesion with well-defined border in pancreatic tail in favor of pancreatic NET. PD was in normal size and contour.

Liver and biliary tract: Left lobe of liver was normal. CBD was measured up to 5mm in diameter and contained no stone or sludge. Gallbladder was not seen due to previous cholecystectomy. Ampulla of vater was in normal size and appearance.

- **Recommendation:** EUS-FNA with needle 25G



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# Present Illness:

- At the time of hospitalization, her doctor notice the *high calcium level*, In addition, a *thyroid nodule* was also observed during the examination and the patient was tested for these problems.

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Na	140 mEq/l
K	3.8 mEq/l
Calcium	11.5 mg/dl
Phosphor	2.9 mg/dl
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AST	28 iu/l
Triglycerides	160 mg/dl
Cholestrol	147 mg/dl
HDL	41 mg/dl
LDL	89 mg/dl

# 1402/01/19

parathyroid test		
Calcium	11/1 mg/dl	8.6-10.3mg/dl
Phosphorus	2.5 mg/dl	2.8- 4.5mg/dl
Albumin	4.8 g/dl	3.4- 5.4g/dl
PTH	122 Pg/ml	10-55Pg/ml

# 1402/01/19

test		
Urine volume 24h	1250 ml/24hr	
Urine Cr 24h	1125 mg/dl	600-1800
Urine protein 24h	145 g/dl	20-150
Urine Ca 24h	110 mg/24hr	Up to 250

# 1402/01/28

tests	Result
prolactin	276 mIU/L
IGF-1	104 ng/ml

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NUCLEAR MEDICINE DEPARTMENT

PARATHYROID SCAN

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20 MIN

60 MIN

120MIN



3H

THYROID

# Parathyroid scintigraphy

1402/01/29



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۶۵ سال

## Parathyroid Scintigraphy

### History:

The patient is a 66-year-old woman with insulinoma, suspected case of MEN1 disease, with recent abnormal lab data indicating elevated PTH in presence of high serum calcium levels (PTH = 122, Ca = 10.9), who is referred for further evaluation.

### Procedure:

Acquisition of neck and chest was performed after IV injection of 15mCi Tc-99m-MIBI, at 20, 60 and 180 minutes, in multiple planar and SPECT views. Thyroid scan was performed on a separate day after IV injection of 5mCi Tc99m pertechnetate.

### Description:

The study reveals heterogeneous radiotracer uptake of an enlarged thyroid gland with gradual, heterogeneous washout on delayed images. Three foci of increased MIBI uptake are persistently visualized on late phase images, the most prominent one located adjacent the superior pole of right thyroid lobe, and the remaining two adjacent the medial border of lower half of either thyroid lobes. No abnormally increased uptake is detected in remainder of the neck or thorax.

The subsequently performed thyroid scan reveals diffuse, heterogeneously decreased uptake of the thyroid gland, which was enlarged and multinodular on physical examination.

### Impression:

*With respect to patient's history, the study indicates:*

- At least 3 hyper-functioning parathyroid glands, likely parathyroid hyperplasia, located adjacent the superior pole of right thyroid lobe and medial border of lower half of both thyroid lobes, as described above.

- *Hypo-functioning multinodular goiter\**

*\*Causes such as exposure to high amount of iodine (IV CT contrast, Amiodarone, etc.) or levothyroxine intake may mimic this thyroid scan pattern.*

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# BMD

## 1402/01/27

### BONE MINERAL DENSITOMETRY

This patient attended for bone densitometry of lumbar spine, forearm and hip regions on the HOLOGIC Explorer QDR series DXA.

**Risk factors** of the patient for low bone density and fracture are:

- **menopause**

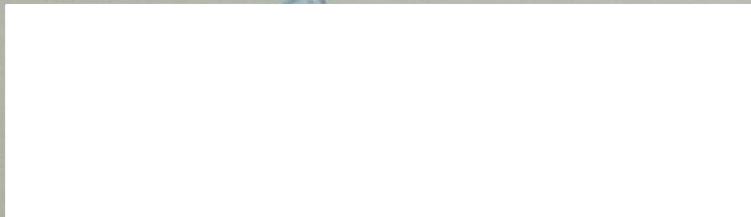
The young normal adult and age matched T and Z scores for BMD are:

Scan	BMD(g/cm <sup>2</sup> )	T-Score	Fracture Risk	Z-Score
Lumbar Spine	0.650	-3.6	High	-1.8
Total Femur	0.757	-1.5	Intermediate	-0.3
Femoral Neck	0.742	-1.0	Low	0.6
Forearm	0.486	-3.5	high	-1.8

**Impression:** According to WHO classification, the BMD of this patient is

**osteoporosis.**

**Fracture risk:** 10-year fracture risk of the patient is estimated 0.9% for major osteoporotic fracture, and 0.1% hip fracture.



خدمت درخواستی سونوگرافی تیروئید با پارائترولید

در سونوگرافی انجام شده لوب راست تیروئید با ابعاد 48\*22\*20mm و لوب چپ تیروئید با ابعاد 41\*22\*19mm و ایسم به ضخامت 2.7mm و اکوی هتروژن رویت گردید.

تصویر یک ندول به ابعاد 30\*17mm هیپر اکو solid dominant solid cystic حاوی میکروکلسیفیکاسیون در لوب راست رویت شد TIRADS=5 ← FNA

تصویر یک ندول به ابعاد 11.3\*7mm هیپر اکو solid dominant solid cystic حاوی میکروکلسیفیکاسیون در لوب راست متمایل به ایسم رویت شد TIRADS=5 ← FNA

تصویر یک ندول به ابعاد 18\*16mm solid cystic solid dominant، ایزواکو و حاوی میکرو و ماکرو کلسیفیکاسیون رویت شد TIRADS=4 ← FNA

تصویر تعدادی لنف نود های reactive به max SAD=2.3mm در سمت چپ رویت شد

# Sonography 1402/01/22

## • R.L:

### • Nodule:

- 30\*17 mm solid cystic solid dominant/microcalcification
- 11.3\*7 mm solid cystic solid dominant/microcalcification

## • L.L:

### • Nodule:

- 18\*16 mm solid cystic solid dominant/microcalcification

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خدمت درخواستی:

Clinical Data:

**Palpation:** Single nodule  Multinodular   
**Size:** cm × cm  
**Isotope Scan:** Cold  Warm  Hot   
**Side:** Right \*  Left  Bilateral  Isthmus   
**Consistency:** Soft  Rubbery  Firm  Hard   
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**Nondiagnostic or Unsatisfactory**

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**Follicular Neoplasm or Suspicious for a Follicular Neoplasm**

- Specify if Hurthle cell (Oncocytic) type

**Suspicious For Malignancy**

- Suspicious for papillary carcinoma.
- Suspicious for metastatic carcinoma

- Suspicious for medullary carcinoma.
- Suspicious for lymphoma  Other

**Malignant**

- Papillary carcinoma
- Medullary thyroid carcinoma
- Squamous cell carcinoma
- Metastatic carcinoma
- Poorly differentiated carcinoma
- Undifferentiated (anaplastic) carcinoma
- Carcinoma with mixed features (specify)
- Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma  Other

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# FNA

# 1402/02/14

• Benign

- Past medical:
  - History of PCI 2 years ago.
  - HTN (10 years ago)
  - Cholecystectomy (1 year ago)
- Drug history:
  - Aspirin 80 mg Daily
  - Losartan 25 mg BD
  - Metoprolol 50 BD
  - Rosuvastatin 20 mg Daily

## • Family History :

- The patient's father died in an accident at the age of 28.
- The patient's mother was healthy until the age of 90.
- The patient has one healthy brother and she had a sister who died from intestinal cancer 6 years ago.
- The patient has four children with an age range of 36 to 50 years old.

- Habitual History:
  - Neg
- Social History :
  - Married
  - 4 children
  - Education: uneducated

# Review of Systems:

- ▶ **Headache (+)** Nausea & Vomiting (-) Visual problems (-)
- ▶ Weight changes (-) Appetite changes (-) Sexual problems (-)
- ▶ Skin:Pigmentation (-) Diaphoresis (-) Dry & Fragile Hair (-)
- ▶ Ears, nose, mouth: N1
- ▶ Cardiovascular: N1, **Palpitation (+)**
- ▶ Respiratory: N1
- ▶ Gastrointestinal: N1, Epigastric pain (-)
- ▶ Musculoskeletal: N1
- ▶ Neurological: N1
- ▶ Psychiatric:N1



# Physical Examination:

- General Appearance:
  - A 66-year-old woman , awake and alert
- Vital Sign:
  - BP: 140/90 mmHg
  - HR: 98 / min
- BMI:
  - Wight: 78Kg    Hight:1.58m    BMI:30

# Physical Examination:

- Neck: thyroid mass was palpated in R.L
- Thorax: Nl
- Lungs : Clear
- Heart : Normal
- Abdomen : Normal
- Skin: No pigmentation
- Extremities :
  - Upper : Normal
  - Lower : Normal

# Problem list:

- **Insulinoma**

- Hypoglycemia
- Pancreatic NET

- **Benign thyroid nodules**

- **Small size left adrenal mass**

- Hypertension
- laboratory evidence of hyperaldosteronism
- ODST (No suppression)

- **Hyperparathyroidism:**

- PTH-dependent Hypercalcemia
- osteoporosis

# Present Illness:

- After completing the examinations, the patient was scheduled for pancreatic surgery.
- Since the patient also had a mass in the left adrenal gland, it was decided to perform adrenalectomy at the time of pancreatic surgery.
- The patient was operated on 1402/02/14

Attending Physician: پزشک معالج: ربانی امیر حسین	Ward: بخش: جراحی بیوند اعصاب	Name: نام: محمد اسماعیل	Family Name: نام خانوادگی: ربانی
Date Of Admission: تاریخ پذیرش: ۱۴۰۲/۰۲/۱۶	Room: اتاق: ۱۳۳۰/۰۵/۰۷	Date of Birth: تاریخ تولد: ۱۳۳۰/۰۵/۰۷	Father's Name: نام پدر: محمد اسماعیل
Date: تاریخ: ۱۴۰۲/۰۲/۱۶	Second Assistant: کمک دوم: -	First Assistant: کمک اول: عباسی - امید	Surgeon: جراح: ربانی - امیر حسین
Assistant Nurse: پرستار کمک: پروتوی - عبداللطیف	Nurse Of OP Room: پرستار اتاق عمل: شرفی - محمد	Kind Of Anesthesia: نوع بی‌هوشی: General	Anesthetist: بی‌هوش کننده: طربوشی - سیده
Kind Of Operation: نوع عمل: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> بستری Hosp <input type="checkbox"/> سرپایی O.P.D	End Time: ساعت خاتمه: ۱۰:۳۰	Start Time: ساعت شروع: ۸:۱۵	Time Of OP: زمان عمل:

Pre - OP Diagnosis: تشخیص قبل از عمل: توده پانکراس توده آدنوکال چپ

Post - OP Diagnosis: تشخیص بعد از عمل:

Type Of Operation: نوع عمل جراحی: ۴۰۱۹۴۵ - پانکراتکتومی دیستال، ساب تونال، با یا بدون اسپلنک  
 ۶۰۷۵۵ - آدنرالکتومی ناقص یا کامل، یا اسپیلوراستیون غده فوقک  
 ۳۰۱۹۳۵ - ترمیم عروق خونی، مستقیم داخل قفسه سینه، با یا بدون  
 ۳۰۲۹۱۵ - لنفادنکتومی کامل توراسیک یا شکمی

Specimen: نمونه برداشته شده:  بلی  خیر  تعداد: ۱۹ - اسپیلنکتومی کامل یا ناقص یا ترمیم طحال پاره شده یا  No  Yes

Procedure and Findings: شرح عمل و مشاهدات

Nurses Of OP. Room Signature: امضاء پرستار اتاق عمل:

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- Distal pancreatectomy
- Splenectomy
- Left adrenalectomy





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**Specimen :** A) Pancreas, distal pancreatectomy.  
B) Spleen, splenectomy.  
C) Adrenal, adrenalectomy.  
CD: History of MEN syndrome.

**Macroscopic :**  
Received specimens in three formalin containers labeled as above and consist of:  
A) A portion of pancreas weighing 65gr and measuring 9x6x2.5cm. On serial sections, there is a creamy firm nodular mass measuring 1.3x0.9x0.8cm. RSS in 6 blocks as follows:  
1-4) Mass  
5, 6) Random  
B) A spleen weighing 100gr and measuring 11x7.5x3cm. The capsule is intact. On serial sections, there is no grossly visible pathologic change. RSS in 5 blocks as follows:  
1, 2) Hilum of spleen  
3-5) Random  
C) An adrenalectomy specimen covered by fatty tissue measuring 8x6x2.5cm, including adrenal gland measuring 7x3x1cm and weighing 20gr. On serial sections, no grossly visible pathologic change is seen. RSS in 4 blocks.

**Microscopic :**  
Histologic findings, confirm the following diagnosis.

**Diagnosis :**



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A) Pancreas, distal pancreatectomy:  
- Well differentiated neuroendocrine tumor (G1).  
- Tumor site: Distal pancreas.  
- Tumor size: 1.3x0.9x0.8cm.  
- Tumor extension: Tumor is confined to pancreas.  
- Margins: All margins are free of tumor.  
- Mitotic index < 2/20 HPF.  
- Necrosis: Absent.  
- Lymphovascular and perineural invasion are not identified.  
- Pathologic stage: pT1c N<sub>x</sub>M<sub>x</sub>

B) Spleen, splenectomy:  
- Unremarkable spleen

C) Adrenal, adrenalectomy:  
- Adrenal tissue with micronodular cortical hyperplasia.

ICD-O code: C: 25.9 M: 8240/3

# Present Illness:

- After pancreatic surgery and left adrenalectomy the patient's blood sugar has normalized, but the blood pressure is still high.

<b>FBS</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>139</b>
<b>2hpp</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>171</b>

<b>BP</b>	<b>140/90</b>	<b>170/100</b>	<b>160/90</b>
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On hypertensive drug





# Problem list:

- **Insulinoma**

- Hypoglycemia
- Pancreatic NET

**MEN I**

- **Small size left adrenal mass**

- Hypertension
- laboratory evidence of hyperaldosteronism
- ODST (No suppression)

- **Hyperparathyroidism:**

- PTH-dependent Hypercalcemia
- osteoporosis

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# Epidemiology

- **The incidence of MEN1: 1/30000**
  - Rare (prevalence estimated from randomly chosen postmortem studies to be 0.25%)
  - 1–18% in patients with primary hyperparathyroidism
  - 10–38% in patients with gastrinomas
  - less than 3% in patients with pituitary tumors.
- The disorder affects all age groups, with a reported age range of 5 to 81 yr

**TABLE 148-1 Multiple Endocrine Neoplasia (MEN) Syndromes and Their Characteristic Tumors and Associated Genetic Abnormalities**

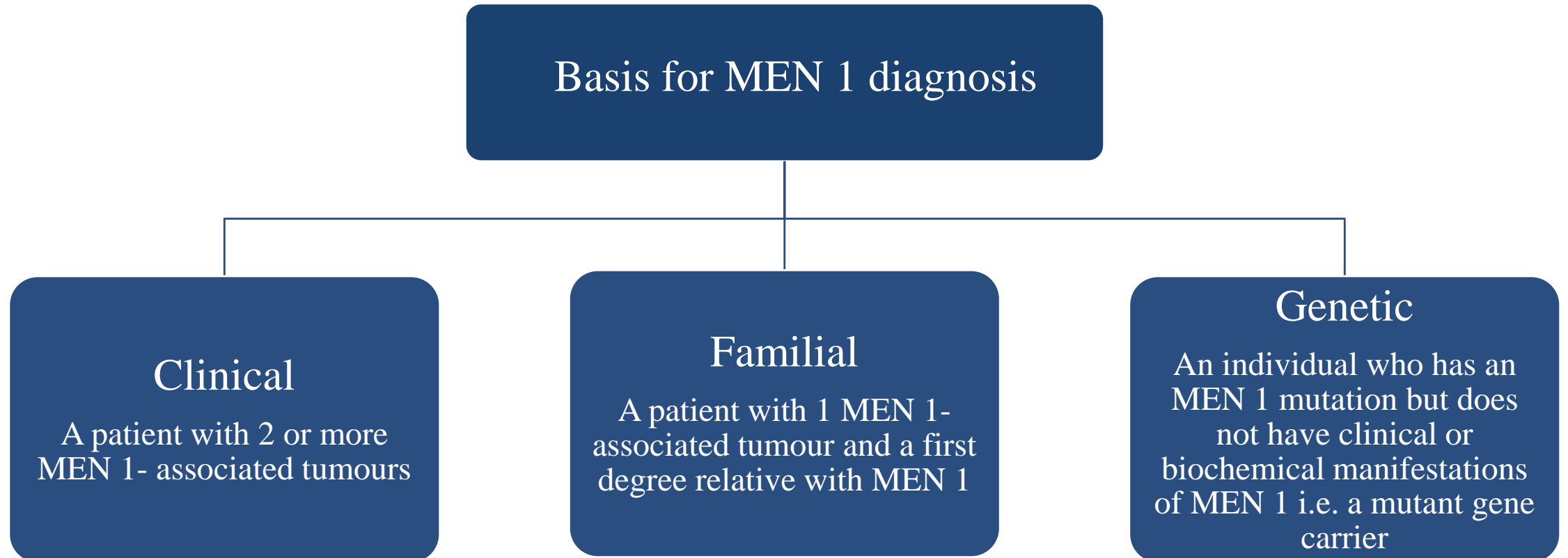
Type (Chromosomal Location)	Tumors (Estimated Penetrance)	Gene; Most Frequently Mutated Codons
MEN 1 (11q13)	<p>Parathyroid adenoma (90%)</p> <p>Entero-pancreatic tumor (30% to 70%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Gastrinoma (40%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Insulinoma (10%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Nonfunctioning and PPoma (20% to 55%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Glucagonoma (&lt;1%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">VIPoma (&lt;1%)</p> <p>Pituitary adenoma (30% to 40%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Prolactinoma (20%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Somatotropinoma (10%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Corticotropinoma (&lt;5%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Non-functioning (&lt;5%)</p> <p>Associated Tumors</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Adrenal cortical tumor (40%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Pheochromocytoma (&lt;1%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Brochopulmonary NET (2%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Thymic NET (2%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Gastric NET (10%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Lipomas (30%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Angiofibromas (85%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Collagenomas (70%)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Meningiomas (8%)</p>	<p><i>MEN 1</i></p> <p>83/84, 4-bp del (<math>\approx</math>4%)</p> <p>119, 3-bp del (<math>\approx</math>3%)</p> <p>210-211, 4-bp del (<math>\approx</math>8%)</p> <p>418, 3-bp del (<math>\approx</math>4%)</p> <p>514-516, del or ins (<math>\approx</math>7%)</p> <p>Intron 4 ss (<math>\approx</math>10%)</p>

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# Diagnosis

- A diagnosis of MEN1 may be established in an individual by *one of three criteria*.



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# Genetics:

- An autosomal dominant disorder
- Mutations in the tumor suppressor gene *MEN1*
- located on chromosome 11q13
- The MEN1 encodes a 610-amino acid protein, menin.
- More than 10% of *MEN1* germline mutations arise *de novo* and may be transmitted to subsequent generations



# MEN1 phenocopies:

- Approximately 5 to 25% of patients with MEN1 may not have mutations of the *MEN1* gene:
  1. may partly be attributable to differences in methods used to identify the mutations (do not systematically examine for large gene deletions)
  2. Phenocopies
    - development of disease manifestations
    - usually associated with mutations of a particular gene but instead are due to another etiology.

# MEN1 phenocopies:

- These phenocopies occurred in two settings:
  1. *In the context of clinical MEN1*, in which patients with two MEN1-associated tumors, who did not have an *MEN1* mutation,
  2. *In the context of familial MEN1*, in which a patient with one MEN1-associated tumor, *e.g.* a prolactinoma, did not have the familial mutation

# MEN1 mutational analysis in clinical practice:

1. Confirmation of the clinical diagnosis
2. Identification of family members who harbor the *MEN1* mutation and *require screening* for tumor detection and early/appropriate treatment
3. Identification of the 50% of family members who do not harbor the familial germline *MEN1* mutation and can therefore be *reassured* and alleviated of the anxiety burden of developing future tumors.

## Who should be tested?

### In an index case

- Meeting the clinical criteria for MEN 1 (i.e., two or more MEN 1–associated tumors or a diagnosis of familial MEN 1)
- Suspicious (i.e., multiple parathyroid adenomas before 40 years of age; recurrent hyperparathyroidism; gastrinoma or multiple pancreatic NETs at any age) or
- Atypical for MEN 1 (i.e., development of two nonclassical MEN 1–associated tumors, e.g., parathyroid and adrenal tumor)

### A first-degree relative of family member with known MEN 1 mutation

- Asymptomatic first-degree relative
- First-degree relative with familial MEN 1 (i.e., one MEN 1– associated tumor)

## When should testing be undertaken?

- As early as possible. (e.g. before 5 years of age in asymptomatic individuals)

the earliest reported ages of onset for a MEN1-associated tumors:

- pituitary tumor: 5 yr
- parathyroid tumor: 8 yr
- Insulinoma: 8 yr
- nonfunctioning pancreatic NET: 12 yr.

# Genetic testing:

MEN I mutational analysis in index case



If confirmed

Identification of first degree family members who harbor the MEN I mutation

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# Pancreatic Tumors:

- Pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors are estimated to occur in 30–80% of patients with MEN1, and in up to 80–100% of patients in postmortem studies.
- These pancreatic NET have an earlier age of onset in patients with MEN1 than in patients without MEN1.
- Given that MEN1- associated pancreatic NET are frequently *multiple* and their behavior uncertain, their accurate diagnosis and management presents significant challenges.



# Pancreatic Tumors:

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Gastrinomas	more than 50%
Glucagonomas	fewer than 3%
<b>Insulinomas</b>	<b>10 to 30%</b>
(VIPomas)	in only a few patients
nonfunctioning pancreatic NET	in approximately 55%

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# Insulinoma in MEN1

- Insulinomas, represent 10 to 30% of all pancreatic tumors in patients with MEN1.
- Insulinomas are usually a single lesion more than 5 mm in diameter.
- They can be associated with other neuroendocrine pancreatic tumors at the time of diagnosis in 10% of patients with MEN1, and *the two tumors may arise at different times.*

# Insulinoma in MEN1

- Insulinomas occur more often in patients with MEN1 who are younger than 40 yr.
- Many of them arise in individuals younger than 20 yr.
- Insulinomas may be the first manifestation of MEN1 in 10% of patient.

# Insulinoma in MEN1

- **Treatment is complicated:**
  - the possible presence of **multiple insulinomas**
  - other pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors
  - localization techniques **may miss small tumors**
  - and the **continuing risk for pancreatic tumors after surgery.**
- Multidisciplinary teams

# Insulinoma in MEN1

- There is no consensus on the optimal extent of surgical resection in patients with insulinoma,
- can range from
  - enucleation of a single tumor,
  - distal pancreatectomy
  - partial pancreatectomy,
  - excision of all the macroscopic pancreatic neoplasms and enucleation of nodules in the remaining pancreas.

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# Parathyroid tumors:

- Primary hyperparathyroidism is the most common feature of MEN1 and occurs in approximately 95% of all patients with MEN1.
- The primary hyperparathyroidism associated with MEN1 has
  - earlier age at onset (20 to 25 yr vs. 55 yr),
  - greater reduction in bone mineral density,
  - and an equal male/female ratio (1:1 vs. 1:3)

# Guidelines for surgery in MEN 1-associated PHPT

Serum calcium	>10 mg/dL elevation(>300 mmol/l)
Renal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• U Ca &gt;400 mg/24hr</li><li>• eGFR &lt;60 mL/min</li><li>• Nephrolithiasis</li><li>• Calcification on renal imaging</li></ul>
Bone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• T-score &lt; -2.5</li><li>• Vertebral fracture on imaging</li><li>• Previous fragility fracture</li></ul>

The indications for referral to surgery are similar to those in sporadic PHPT.



# Surgery:

- Conventional open bilateral exploration with subtotal parathyroidectomy (at least 3.5 glands) or total parathyroidectomy is recommended (1 ⊕⊕⊕○).
- Concurrent transcervical thymectomy is also suggested at the time of surgery (2 ⊕⊕○○).
- Total parathyroidectomy with autotransplantation may be considered (2 ⊕⊕⊕○).
- Minimally invasive parathyroidectomy is usually not recommended because multiple glands are typically affected (1 ⊕⊕⊕○).

# Surgery:

- Preoperative imaging is of limited benefit
- All parathyroid glands may be affected.
- **Medical treatment ( Calcimimetics)**

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# Adrenocortical involvement:

- 20-55% (~75%)
  - most of tumors are asymptomatic, nonfunctional
  - <10% : primary hyperaldo, Cushing
- Include: cortical adenomas, multiple adenomas, hyperplasia, nodular hyperplasia, cysts, or carcinomas.
- F=M

715 MEN1 patients and 144 patients with sporadic adrenal incidentalomas.

	Sporadic incidentaloma	MEN1	P-value
Mean age(years)	55±0.9	46.1±1.4	P<0.05
bilateral	7.3%	12.5%	P=0.24
Endocrine hypersecretion	6.9%	15.3%	P=0.03
ACC	1.3%	13.8%	P<0.05
pheo	5%	1%	P<0.05

Compared with incidentalomas, MEN1-related tumours exhibited more cases of primary hyperaldosteronism, fewer pheochromocytomas and more adrenocortical carcinomas .

# Adrenocortical involvement:

- Adrenocortical tumors in MEN1 patients always are observed in conjunction with tumors in the endocrine pancreas.
- Bilateral nodular hyperplasia
  - 49 patient (36patient had adrenal lesion (35% nodular hyperplasia)).

# Radiologic characteristics of adrenal lesions

- The mean adrenal lesion diameter at diagnosis was 17.4 mm (9-36 mm), with most of the lesions (78%) being 20 mm diameter or smaller,
- Most of the patients (67%) had bilateral adrenal involvement.
- All the adrenal lesions identified had less than 10 Hounsfield units on CT scan and had a fast washout of the contrast agent.

# Treatment:

- The risk for malignancy is increased if the tumor has a diameter greater than 4 cm
- Atypical or suspicious radiologic features and are 1 to 4 cm in diameter; or show significant measurable growth over a 6-month interval.
- The treatment of functioning (i.e., secreting) adrenal tumors in MEN 1 patients is similar to that for tumors occurring in non–MEN 1 patients.



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# Surveillance:

- In the absence of treatment, endocrine tumors are associated with an earlier mortality in patients with MEN 1.
- Untreated patients with MEN 1 have a decreased life expectancy with a *50% probability of death by 50 years of age*, and the cause of death in 50% to 70% of patients with MEN 1 is usually a malignant tumor process or sequelae of the disease.
- More than *~65% individuals with MEN 1 die of causes directly related to MEN 1*.

**TABLE 42.2 Suggested Screening Guidelines for Individuals at Risk of MEN1**

MEN1-Associated Tumor	Age to Begin Screening (Years)	Biochemical Screening Test (Annually)	Imaging Screening Test (Time Interval)
Parathyroid	8	Calcium, PTH	None
<b>Pancreatic</b>			
Gastrinoma	20	Fasting gastrin	None
Insulinoma	5	Fasting glucose ( $\pm$ insulin)	None
Other pancreatic NET (e.g., nonfunctioning)	10	Chromogranin A, gastrointestinal hormone profile <sup>a</sup> (e.g., glucagon, pancreatic polypeptide, vasoactive intestinal peptide)	MRI abdomen, EUS (annually)
<b>Pituitary</b>			
Prolactinoma	5	Prolactin	None
Somatotropinoma	5	Insulin-like growth factor 1	None
Other pituitary adenoma (e.g., nonfunctioning NET)	10 <sup>b</sup>	None, unless signs or symptoms of functioning tumor (e.g., corticotroph adenoma)	MRI pituitary (every 3 years)
Adrenocortical	<10	None, unless signs or symptoms of functioning tumor or tumor >1 cm on imaging	MRI abdomen (annually)
Thymic/bronchial carcinoid	15	None	CT or MRI chest (every 1–2 years)

<sup>a</sup>Although chromogranin A, pancreatic polypeptide, and glucagon concentrations can be elevated with nonfunctioning PNETs, they have low sensitivity and specificity such that their value is debated.

<sup>b</sup>Although pituitary tumors are reported in MEN1 patients as young as 5 years of age, in the absence of symptoms, signs, or biochemical evidence of a pituitary adenoma, pituitary imaging may be delayed until after 10 years of age to coincide with pancreatic imaging.

CT, Computed tomography; EUS, endoscopic ultrasound; MEN1, multiple endocrine neoplasia type 1; MRI, magnetic resonance imaging; NET, neuroendocrine tumor; PTH, parathyroid hormone.

Modified from Thakker RV, Newey PJ, Walls GV, et al. Clinical practice guidelines for multiple endocrine neoplasia type 1 (MEN1). *J Clin Endocrinol Metab.* 2012;97(9):2990–3011.

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- **Hyperparathyroidism:**

- **PTH-dependent Hypercalcemia**

- **osteoporosis**



subtotal parathyroidectomy  
(removal of 3.5 glands)  
+  
transcervical thymectomy

# Treatment Plan

- **Hyperaldosteronism:**
- **Possible autonomous cortisol secretion:**



- Stopping the evening dose of Hydrocortisone one month after surgery and checking cortisol at 8 am.
- Checking aldosterone and PRA (After two weeks of changing the hypertensive medicine)

# Treatment Plan

## Genetic testing:

MEN I mutational analysis in index case



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## surveillance:

## Screening:

Checking Ca, Ph, PTH



first degree family members

## surveillance:





**Thank you for your attention!**