

# ORBITAL DISEASES

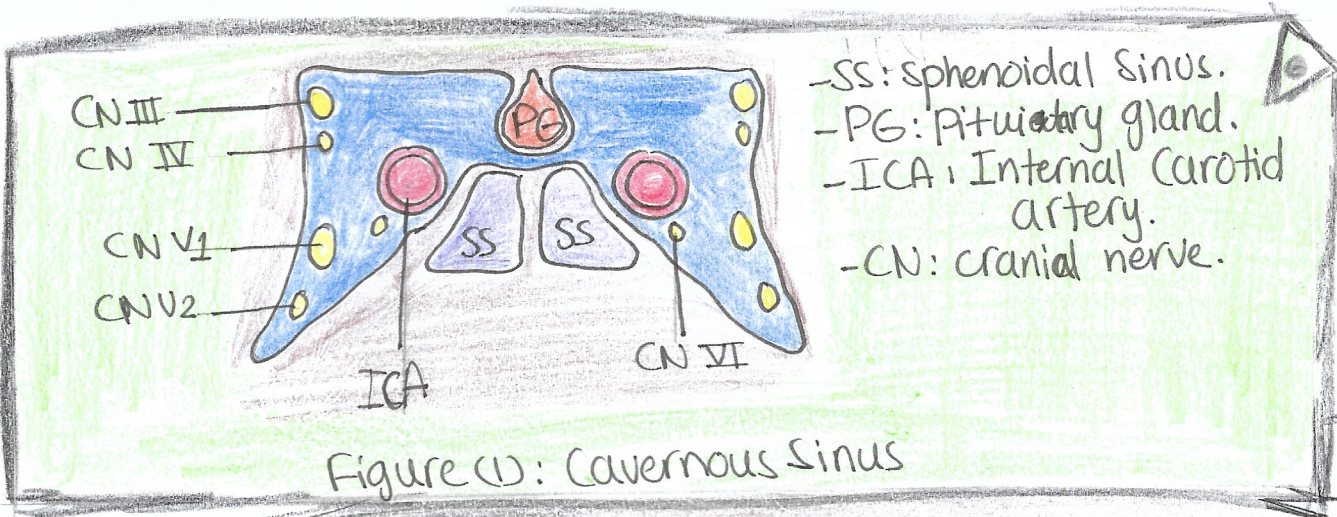
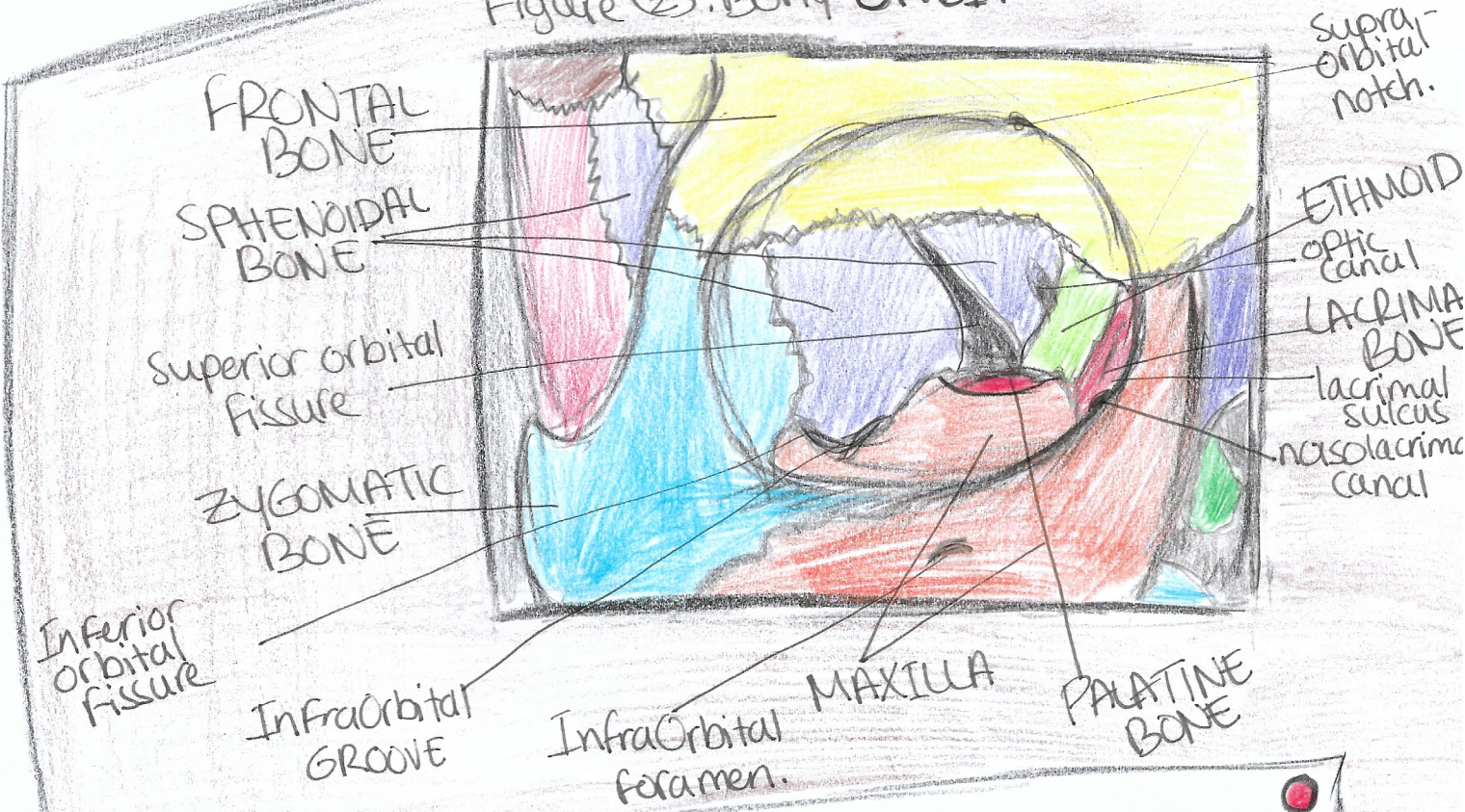


Figure (1): Cavernous Sinus

Figure (2): Bony ORBIT



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# \* ORBITAL DISEASES \*

## \* Orbital infections and inflammations:

- Orbital cellulitis
- Idiopathic Orbital Inflammatory Disease (IOI)
- Dacryoadenitis
- Orbital myositis

## → Orbital Cellulitis:

- an Infection behind Orbital Septum
- usually secondary to ethmoiditis
- Presentation: severe malaise, fever, and orbital signs

## \* ORBITAL SIGNS:

- Severe eyelids edema and redness.
- proptosis; most frequently lateral & Down.
- Painful ophthalmoplegia
- Optic nerve dysfunction if advanced

## \* COMPLICATIONS: - Raised IOP

- Retinal vascular occlusion
- Optic neuropathy

## \* Management: - Hospital Admission

- systemic Antibiotic therapy
- Monitoring of optic nerve function

## \* Indications for SURGERY:

- Resistance to Antibiotics
- Orbital or ~~supra~~ Subperiosteal abscess
- Optic neuropathy



## → Idiopathic Orbital Inflammatory Disease (IOID).

- non-neoplastic, non-infectious orbital lesion (pseudotumor)

- Involves any or all soft tissue components.

\* Presentation: 20-50 years old with abrupt onset.

- usually ~~is~~ Unilateral

- Periorbital swelling and chemosis

- Proptosis

- Ophthalmoplegia

## → Dacryoadenitis

- Occurs in 25% of patients with IOID.

- usually affects otherwise healthy individuals

- No treatment required

\* Presentation: Acute discomfort over lacrimal gland.

## → Orbital myositis:

- Subtype of IOID.

- Involvement of one or more extraocular muscles

- Clinical course is usually short - treat with NSAIDs

\* Presentation: Sudden onset of pain on ocular movement.

# ORBITAL TUMORS\*

1. Vascular tumors.
  - Capillary hemangioma.
  - Cavernous hemangioma.
2. Lacrimal gland tumors.
  - Pleomorphic Adenoma
  - Carcinoma
3. Neural tumors.
  - Optic nerve glioma
  - Optic nerve sheath meningioma
  - Sphenoidal ridge meningioma
4. Miscellaneous tumors:
  - Lymphoma
  - Rhabdomyosarcoma
  - Metastases
  - Invasion from sinuses.

## → Capillary Hemangioma:

- Most Common Orbital tumor in children.
- Presents - 30% at birth and 100% at 6 months
- Most Commonly in Superior orbit.
- May enlarge on cough or straining
- Associated "Strawberry nevus" is common.

## \* TREATMENT:

- STEROID injections
- Systemic steroids
- local resection.

## → Cavernous Hemangioma:

- Most Common benign ~~to~~ Orbital tumor in Adults
- usually located just behind globe
- Female preponderance - 70%
- Presents - 4th or 5th decade.

TREATMENT: surgical Excision.

→ Pleomorphic lacrimal gland tumor (Adeno.)  
- Presents - 4th or 5th Decade of Age.  
- Painless and very slowly growing, smooth mass in lacrimal fossa.

- Inferonasal globe Displacement.  
\* TREATMENT: SURGICAL EXCISION.

→ Lacrimal Gland Carcinoma:

- Presents at 4th or 5th Decade.

- Very poor prognosis

- Painful, fast-growing mass in lacrimal fossa.

\* Management: Biopsy + Radical Surgery and radiotherapy.

→ Optic Nerve Glioma.

- Typically affects young girls.

- Associated with neurofibromatosis I,

- Presents at end of First Decade.

\* TREATMENT:

- Observation

- Excision

- Radiotherapy

→ Optic Nerve Sheath Meningioma.

- Typically affects middle aged women.

\* Rx: Observation - slow growing tumors.

- Excision.

- Radiotherapy.

→ Lymphoma.

- Presents at 6th - 8th Decade.

- Affects any part of orbit and may be Bilateral

- Anterior lesions are rubbery and may be Confined to lacrimal gland.

\* Rx: Radio- and Chemotherapy.

## Rhabdomyosarcoma.

- most common primary childhood orbital malignancy

- Rapid onset in first decade.

- May involve any part of Orbit.

- Palpable mass & proptosis.

\*Rx: \*Radiotherapy & chemotherapy

o Exenteration for Radio-resistant or recurrent tumors.

→ ADULT metastatic tumors.

- Common primary sites:

Breast, lung, Prostate, Bronchus, melanoma, Kidney.

→ Orbital invasion by Sinus tumor.

- Maxillary CA: upward ~~base~~ Globe Displacement with epiphora.

- Ethmoidal CA: lateral globe Displacement.

→ Childhood metastatic tumors;

- Neuroblastoma: presents in early childhood.

Maybe bilateral, & Involves superior orbit.

- choroma.

- present about age of 7.

- Rapid onset PROPTOSIS.

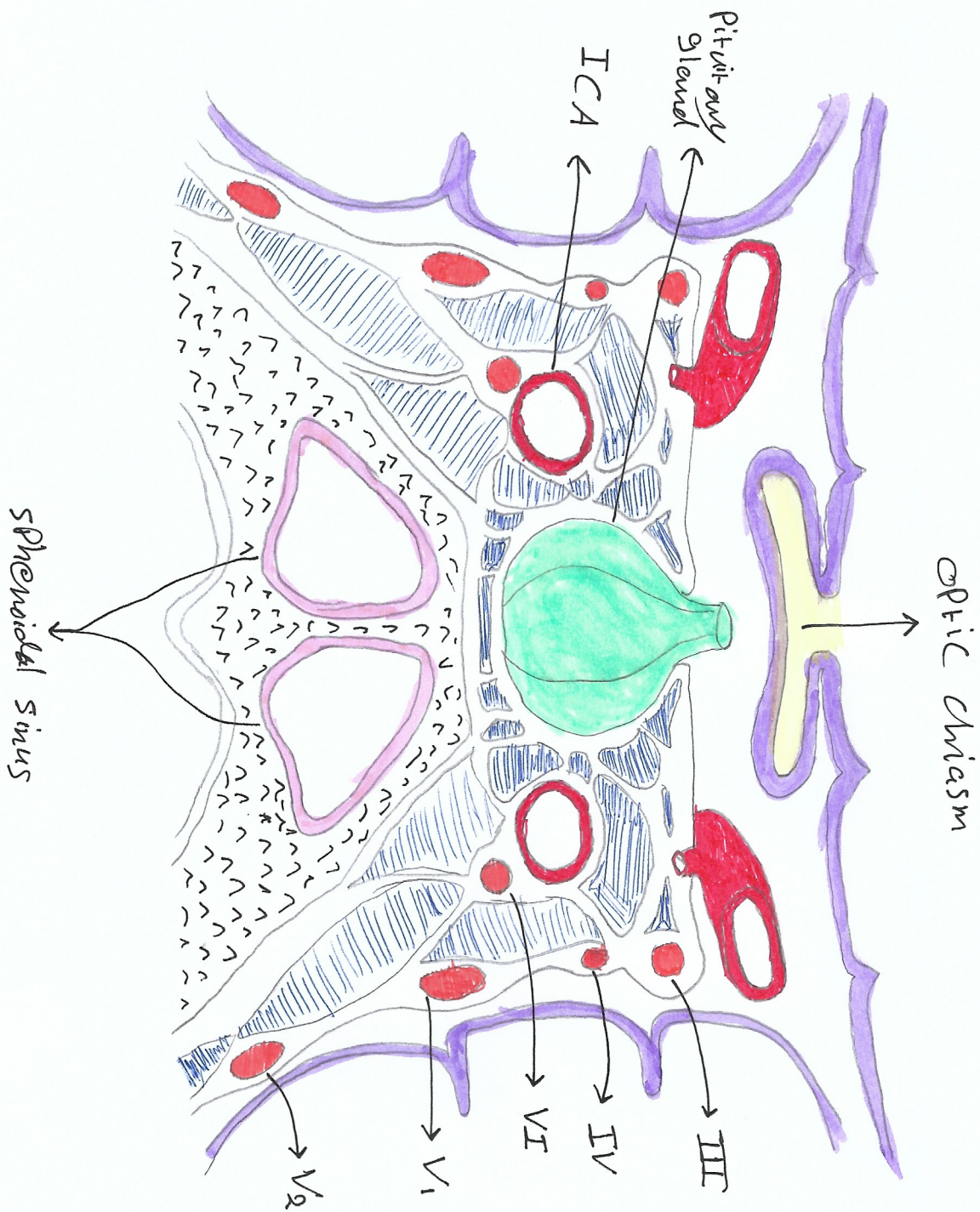
- Full-blown-leukemia.

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## Part 1 :- orbital anatomy and diseases

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### \* Eye - Bones of the Right orbit :-

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- Greater & lesser wings of sphenoid
- orbital fissures
  - ↳ superior to middle cranial fossa.
  - ↳ inferior to pterygopalatine fossa.
- infraorbital groove & foramina.
- supra-orbital notch.
- anterior and posterior ethmoidal foramen.
- nasal bone
- lacrimal fossa between these two
  - ↳ posterior lacrimal crest on lacrimal bone
  - ↳ anterior lacrimal crest on Front Process of Maxilla.

- Terminology :- • Proptosis • Dystopia

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- Pathology :- Graves disease.

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- TSH antibody mimic action of TSH  $\Rightarrow$  increased T<sub>3</sub>, T<sub>4</sub>

- Thyroid eye disease :-

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|----------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1- soft tissue involvement | $\Rightarrow$ | * periorbital & lid swelling         |
| 2 Eyelid retraction.       |               | * Conjunctival hyperaemia            |
| 3. Proptosis               |               | * chemosis                           |
| 4- optic neuropathy        |               | * superior limb Keratoconjunctivitis |
| 5. Restrictive myopathy.   |               |                                      |



## Signs of Grave's disease :-

[1] - Signs of eyelid retraction (occur in about 50%)

- \* Bilateral lid retraction - no associated proptosis
- \* Bilateral lid retraction - bilateral proptosis
- \* Unilateral lid retraction - unilateral proptosis
- \* Lid lags in downgaze.

[2] - Proptosis (occur in about 30%) :-

\* uninfluenced by treatment of hyperthyroidism.

\* Axial and permanent in about 70%.

\* May be associated with carpal folds.

→ treatment options :-

- systemic steroid
- Radiotherapy.
- surgical decompression.

[3] - Optic neuropathy (occurs in about 5%) :-

\* early defective color vision.

\* usually normal disk appearance

\* often occurs in absence of significant proptosis.

[4] - Restrictive myopathy (occurs in about 40%)

\* Due to fibrotic contracture

1 - Elevation defect - most common.

2 - Depression defect - uncommon.

3 - Abduction defect - less common.

4 - Adduction defect - rare.

## - Vascular orbital disorder :-

1- Orbital venous anomaly (varices) ... isolated & combined.

2- Carotid-cavernous fistula

\* direct

\* indirect.

## - orbital venous anomaly (varices)

- congenital enlargement of pre-existing venous channels.

- usually unilateral

- may be bleed or become thrombosed.

## - isolated orbital varices :-

- intermittent proptosis.

- Non-pulsatile, without bruit.

- precipitated or accentuated by valsalva manoeuvre.

## - combined orbital & external varices :-

- conjunctival varices

- eyelid varices.

- precipitated or accentuated by valsalva manoeuvre.

## \* Direct carotid-cavernous fistula :-

- defect in intracavernous part of ICA

- rapid flow shunt.

→ causes :-

• head trauma - most common.

• spontaneous rupture in HTN female.

- Sign and symptoms :-

Ptosis - conjunctival injection - ophthalmoplegia - raise IOP, retinal venous congestion and Age - pulsatile ptosis, abolished by ipsilateral carotid compression.

[ \*Types

Type A

Type B

between intra cavernous internal carotid artery & cavernous sinus.

between meningeal branch of internal carotid & cavernous.

- Indirect carotid-cavernous fistula.

- indirect communication between meningeal branches of internal & external carotid & cavernous sinus, slow flow shunt.

causes :-

- \* congenital malformation.
- \* spontaneous rupture.

Sign and symptoms :-

Dilated episcleral vessels - raised IOP - with wild pulsation - ophthalmoplegia - mild ptosis.

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## orbit

### Graves disease:

TSH Antibody mimics action of TSH  $\rightarrow$  increase T<sub>3</sub> + T<sub>4</sub>

### Thyroid eye disease:

1. Soft tissue involvement  $\rightarrow$  Periorbital and lid swelling  
conjunctival hyperaemia  
chemosis  
superior limbic keratoconjunctivitis

2. Eyelid retraction

3. Proptosis

4. optic neuropathy

5. Restrictive Myopathy

### Proptosis:

occurs in about 30%

uninfluenced by treatment of hyperthyroidism

Treatment option: Systemic Steroid

Radiotherapy

Surgical decompression

### optic neuropathy:

occurs in about 5%

early defective color vision

usually normal disc appearance.

### Restrictive myopathy

occurs in about 40%

due to fibrotic contracture

## Vascular orbital disease :

1. orbital venous anomalies →
  1. Isolated orbital varices
  2. Combined orbital and external varices
2. Carotid - cavernous fistula →
  1. Direct
  2. Indirect

Isolated orbital varices: Intermittent Proptosis

## Direct Carotid - cavernous fistula:

defect in intracavernous part of Internal carotid

Rapid flow shunt

- Causes: 1. head Trauma - Most common
2. Spontaneous rupture - In hypertensive female

Types: Type A ⇒ between the Intracavernous Internal carotid artery and cavernous sinus

Type B ⇒ between meningeal branch of the Internal carotid artery and cavernous sinus

## Indirect carotid - cavernous fistula (dural shunt)

Indirect communication between meningeal branch of Internal or external carotid and cavernous sinus. Slow flow shunt.

- Causes: 1. Congenital Malformation
2. Spontaneous rupture

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## orbital infection

1. orbital Cellulitis
2. IOID Idiopathic orbital inflammatory disease
3. Dacryoadenitis
4. orbital Myositis

## orbital cellulitis

Infection behind orbital septum

usually 2nd to ethmoiditis

Presentation - Sever Malaise  
Fever

orbital sign: Sever eyelid edema and redness

Proptosis: most frequently lateral down

Painful ophthalmoplegia

optic nerve dysfunction

Complication of orbital cellulitis:

1. Raised Intraocular pressure

2. Retinal vascular occlusion

3. optic neuropathy

Management of orbital cellulitis :-

1. hospital Admission

2. Systemic Antibiotic Therapy

3. Monitor of optic nerve function

4. Indication for surgery :-

- Resistant to Antibiotic

- orbital or subperiosteal Abscess

- optic neuropathy

## Idiopathic orbital inflammatory Disease (IOID)

- Non neoplastic, non infectious orbital lesion (pseudotumor)

- Involve any or all soft tissue component

- presentation - 20 to 50 years with abrupt painful onset

- usually unilateral

- periorbital swelling and chemosis.

- proptosis

- ophthalmoplegia

Date No.

## Clinical course and Treatment of IOID:

1. early Spontaneous remission without sequelae.

Treatment - nil

2. Prolong Intermittent activity with eventual remission

Treatment option - steroid, radiotherapy or cytotoxic.

3. Severe Prolong activity causing a "Frozen orbit"

## Dacryoadenitis:

occurs In 25% of patient with IOID

usually affect otherwise healthy Individual - no treatment required

Presentation - acute discomfort over lacrimal Gland

## orbital myositis:

Subtype of IOID

Involvement of one or More extraocular muscle

Clinical course is usually short - treat with NSAID

Presentation - sudden onset of pain on ocular Movement

## \* orbital infection and inflammation

- 1- orbital cellulitis
- 2- Idiopathic orbital inflammatory disease
- 3- Dacry adenitis
- 4- orbital myocitis

### ① orbital cellulitis :-

• infection behind orbital septum.

• usually secondary to ethmoiditis

• presentation → severe malaise, fever and

orbital sign → ① eyelid oedema, redness

② proptosis

③ ophthalmoplegia "painful"

④ optic Nerve dysfunction

### → complication

- ① ↑ intracranial pressure
- ② Retinal vascular occlusion
- ③ optic Neuropathy
- ④ orbital or sub periorbital Abscess.
- ⑤ meningitis
- ⑥ cavernous sinus

### → management

- ① hospital Admission.
- ② systemic antibiotic.
- ③ monitoring of optic N.
- ④ indication for surgery → ① resistant to antibiotic.
- ② orbital /subperiorbital abscess.
- ③ optic Neuropathy.



## ② idiopathic orbital inflammatory D.

- Non neoplastic ; Non infectious orbital lesion ( pseudotumour)
- involve any / All of tissue component
- presentation 20-50y with abrupt onset

- ① usually unilateral .
- ② periorbital swelling and chemosis .
- ③ proptosis .
- ④ ophthalmoplegia .

### → clinical course and treatment

① early spontaneous remission without sequelae  
treatment - Nil

② prolonged intermittent activity with eventual remission  
steroid, radiotherapy

③ severe prolonged activity

## ③ Dacryoadenitis

- occur in 25%
- usually affected healthy individual
- presentation →

① reduction in tear secretion

② injection and tenderness of palpable of lacrimal gland

## ④ orbital myositis

- subtype of IOID
- clinical course short tt with NASID
- involve one or more extraocular muscle
- sudden onset of pain on ocular movement

## Orbital tumours

### ① vascular tumour

- Capillary hemangioma
- cavernous hemangioma

### ② Lacrimal gland tumour

- pleomorphic adenoma
- carcinoma

### ③ Neural tumour

- optic N glioma
- optic N sheath meningioma
- sphenoidal ridge meningioma

### ④ miscellaneous tumour

- Lymphoma
- metastasis
- invasion from sinus
- Rhabdomyosarcoma

## Capillary hemangioma

- \* most common in children
- \* 30% at birth and 100% at 6 months
- \* most commonly in superior Anterior orbit
- \* may enlargement
- \* associated "strawberry"
- \* systemic association

① high output cardiac failure

② maffic syndrome

③ tasbach morrite

syndrome

→ treatment: ① steroid

② systemic steroid

③ local resection

## Cavernous hemangioma :-

- most common benign tumour in adult
- Located just behind globe
- more common in female 70%.

- slowly progressive axial proptosis
- choroidal fold.

→ treatment :- surgical excision

## Lacrimal gland tumour

most common → lymphoid tumor, → psuedotumour

### ① Pleomorphic lacrimal gland adenoma

- painless and slowly growing mass
- lacremal fossa
- inferonasal globe displacement
- trigeminal hypaesthesia in 25%.

→ management

biopsy, radical surgery, radiotherapy

## Orbital Tumor

### \* optic nerve glioma

- affect young girls
- associated with NF-1
- presentation
  - ① gradual visual loss
  - ② gradually/ progressive proptosis
  - ③ optic atrophy

#### • Treatment

- observation → good vision, good Cosmesis
- excision → poor vision, poor Cosmesis
- Radiotherapy → intracranial extension

### \* optic nerve sheath meningioma

- middle aged women
- gradual visual loss
- optic chiasm & shunt in 20%
- proptosis due to intracanal spread
- Treatment

- observation → slow growing tumor
- excision → aggressive tumor poor vision
- Radiotherapy → slow growing tumor and good prog

### \* Lymphoma

- affect any part of orbit
- Anterior lesion are rubbery
- Confined to lacrimal gland
- Treatment

Radiotherapy

Chemo therapy

## \* Rhabdomyosarcoma

- most common primary malignancy in childhood
- palpable mass and ptosis in 30%
- treatment — radiotherapy and chemotherapy  
—> 2nd deventerectomy for radioresistance

## \* Adult metastatic tumor

- Common primary site —> breast prostate
- Similar to orbital pseudotumor
- Enophthalmos with sclerotic tumor
- Anterior orbit mass

## \* Orbital Invasion by sinus tumor

maxillary carcinoma

—> upward globe displacement

Ethmoidal carcinoma

— lateral globe displacement

## \* child hood metastatic tumor

Neuroblastoma

- Early childhood
- involve superior orbit
- bilateral

Chloroma

- at about 7 years
- rapid onset proptosis
- systemic dissemination to full blown leukemia