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A RARE CASE REPORT OF COLLISION TUMOUR OF OVARY

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ABSTRACT

Collision tumours represent a coexistence of two adjacent but histopathologically distinct tumours, without admixture in same tissue or organ. These tumours are rarer in various organs and rarer in ovary. It is important to correctly diagnose component of tumour for further management and favourable prognosis.

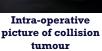
CASE REPORT:

A 28 years old lady, para 1+0, female presented with complains of pain and abdominal lump for past 6 months with regular menstrual cycles. On physical examination, abdomen was soft and a mobile left adnexal mass felt. Routine haematological investigations were unremarkable. On USG, mass of 8x11x7cm noted in pelvic cavity. MRI pelvis findings was large multiloculated cystic lesion measuring $8.9 \times 11.7 \times 7.3 cm$ noted in pelvic cavity in left adnexa. The lesion shows T1 hypointensity and variable hyperintensity in T2 on left side of lesion, part of lesion on right side shows T1 hyperintensity which get suppressed on T1FS. Right ovary separately visualized.

The patient underwent left salpingoophorectomy. On gross examination, tumour measured $8.5 \times 11.5 \times 7$ cm. The outer surface was smooth and cystic. Cut surface showed multiloculated cysts filled with mucin along with areas showing pultaceous material, fatty tissue and hair. Sections from the multiloculated cyst revealed cyst wall lined by a single layer of mucin secreting tall columnar epithelium. Sections from the teratoid part showed hair shafts, adipose and muscle tissues. Sections from solid part of left ovary revealed respiratory epithelium, cartilage, mucus secreting glands and neural elements.

In our case both components of collision tumour are benign.







Cut section of collision tumour

CONCLUSION:

Teratoma is one of the most common component of collision combination in ovary. Pathogenesis of collision tumour has remained controversial. Various combinations have been reported such as combinations of cystadenocarcinoma and dermoid cyst, teratoma and mucinous cystadenoma , serous cystadenomacarcinoma and teratoma, carcinosarcoma and dermoid cyst , choriocarcinoma and cystadenoma , sarcoma and mucinous tumor , sarcoma and serous carcinoma , serous

cystadenoma and Sertoli-Leydig cell tumor, granulosa cell tumor and ovarian hepatoid carcinoma, granulosa cell tumour and endometroid carcinoma. Each component of collision tumors occur coincidentally with no connection, and the biologic behavior depends on their own tumor characteristics. Histopathologist, Gynaecologists to be aware of existence of such rare collision tumours and recognition of such tumours are important as they will be helpful in appropriate treatment. The factors which should be considered for further management after surgery are the types of component, most aggressive component and the stage of tumour which will determine the prognosis.

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