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Specimen : Bone marrow aspirate + biopsy

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Bone Marrow Report

Clinical information: A case of microcytic hypochromic anaemia refractory to oral & IV iron replacement, nonthalassaemic with mild splenomegaly. CBC on 18.03.2025: Hb-8.3 g/dl, MCV-74.1 fl, MCH-20.4 pg MCHC-27.6 g/dl, RDW-20.3%, WBC-3,500/cmm, N-57.5%, L-37.1%, M-3.1%, Eo-1.7%, Ba-0.3%, Immat. Gran.-0.3%, Platelets-131,000/cumm. Blood film shows hypochromic microcytic elliptocytes, pear shaped & few tear drop cells and a few large platelets.

Date Taken : 18.03.2025

Date Reported : 20.03.2025

Site(s) : Right posterior superior iliac spine.

Aspiration : Easy.

Consistency of Bone: Normal.

Particles : Visible, plenty.

Microscopic Examination:

Bone Marrow aspirate : Cellularity:- Markedly hypercellular.

Myeloid : Erythroid Ratio: 1:1.

Erythropoiesis : Markedly hyperactive with significant dyserythropoietic features, e.g. binuclearity, karyorrhexis, nuclear irregularity, internuclear & cytoplasmic bridging etc.

Granulopoiesis : Active with maturation up to segmented forms. Occasional pseudo-Pelger neutrophils are seen. Blasts are not increased. **Megakaryocytes :** Moderately increased in number showing some dysmegakaryopoiesis, e.g. mononuclear / micromegakaryocytes and polyploid forms with separated nuclear segments.

Perls' stain (for iron): Marrow

macrophage iron is increased but sideroblasts are not seen.

Lymphocytes: Normal.

Plasma cells : Normal.

Macrophages : Mildly increased.

Trephine Biopsy : H&E stained sections of 2.0 cm core of cancellous bone reveal normal bone trabeculae with intervening marrow showing 70% overall cellularity. The marrow shows trilineage cell population with maturation including prominence of erythroid component. Megakaryocytes are moderately increased in number with both hypolobulated (mono- or binucleate) and polyploid forms with separated nuclear segments. Probable diffuse fibrosis is present evidenced by 'streaming' of marrow cells. No evidence of malignancy is seen.

Conclusion : Suggestive of MDS (Myelodysplastic syndrome) with multilineage dysplasia. Considering the findings of hypochromic microcytosis in this case but absence of iron deficiency with previous normal haemoglobin electrophoresis, possibility of concomitant acquired Hb H disease was suspected and confirmed by a recent Hb-electrophoresis (on 19.03.2025).

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