# Part 7A: Airway Neoplasms



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# Malignant central airway obstruction





Invading Thyroid cancer with extrinsic compression

Necrotic Intraluminal, exophytic Squamous cell cancer obstructing Right main bronchus

# Intraluminal exophytic lesions



Necrotic Squamous cell

Nodular Adenocarcinoma Nodular Squamous cell

## Extrinsic compression

 Compression Left Main Bronchus from Esophageal cancer

 Compression trachea (with invasion) from Adenoid Cystic Carcinoma





## Infiltrating tumors





#### Small cell Lung Cancer

#### Adenocarcinoma Lung



#### This finding is BEST described as



A) Hypervascular mucosa overlying cartilaginous rings with thick yellow distal airway secretions.

B) Neovascularization with extrinsic compression.

C) Volume loss with airway wall invasion.

Click here for correct answer:

# Laryngeal cancer

# Laryngeal cancer with necrosis



### Tracheal tumors

#### Adenoid cystic carcinoma

#### Squamous cell carcinoma





# Topics for Lesson 3

Neoplastic pathology
Nonneoplastic pathology
Miscellaneous airway findings
Infectious airway diseases

# Tumors

#### Tumors can:

- Cause deformity of normal anatomy and be responsibile for extrinsic compression or
- 2. Grow into the airway wall and into the airway lumen
- 3. And deform the airway wall or cause ulcerations and exophytic growth.

## Carina adenopathy

 Subcarina and posterior carina adenopathy

#### Subcarina and Pretracheal adenopathy





# Neoplasm of carina

Adenocarcinoma obstructing left and right main bronchi and lower third of trachea above the carina.



#### Carina tumors





Small cell infiltrating carina

#### Lymphoma invading Carina

#### Airway tumors



#### Papilloma

#### Kaposi Sarcoma

**Carcinoid Tumor** 

# Endobronchial tumors





Squamous cell cancer

Renal cell cancer

Leiomyosarcoma

# Squamous cell carcinoma obstructing Right main bronchus



Widened Carina and bleeding tumor

Laser vaporization

Restored patency to Right main bronchus and right upper lobe

# Early lung cancer and carcinoma in-situ

Note discreet granularity on spur RML bronchus



Adjacent erythema, slightly raised mucosa

#### Metastatic malignant melanoma



#### Three distinct appearances

# Lymphoma



#### Infiltrating lower lobe bronchus

#### Typical carcinoid (trachea)

Open surgery usually curative
Bronchoscopic surgery may be curative
Metastases in less than 10 percent



**Treatment by Nd:YAG laser resection** 

#### Atypical carcinoid tumor

Open surgery can be curative
 Metastases more frequent than for typical carcinoids
 Bronchoscopic resection alone rarely indicated unless poor surgical candidate





Tumor at right main bronchus directly adjacent to right upper lobe take-off

# Thyroid related diseaseGoiterTumorPost resection





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Treatment by temporary silicone stent insertion

# Thyroid cancer invading through tracheal wall



# Esophageal cancer invading through airway wall



#### Extrinsic compression from esophageal cancer and esophageal stent



Esophageal stent



Compression Left Main Bronchus

Silicone stent for palliation

#### **Tracheal Papillomatosis**

May be single or multipleUsually recurrent



**Treatment by Nd: YAG laser resection** 

# Infiltrating nonhodgkin lymphoma



#### Endobronchial metastases

Renal cell carcinoma Also caused by Breast cancer Melanoma Colon cancer Lung cancer Lymphoma



# Bronchoalveolar cell carcinoma



Watery, frothy bronchorrea

Courtesy of Patricia Vujacich

## Bronchial lymph nodes

 Adjacent to posterobasal segment Right lower lobe bronchus



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 The bronchoscope wants to do the bronchoscopy
 Stay in the midline

1.

5.

3. Moderation in everything; slow down, think, act.

(Get off the wall).

4. If you don't know where you are you probably shouldn't be there

 Force is wrong. Return to what you know; then move on and grow.
 Slow down to finish faster.

7. Treasure basic values: peace, barmony and kindness

You and the bronchoscope are one

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