



IgG4-RELATED DISEASE

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IgG4-related disease, IgG4-RD

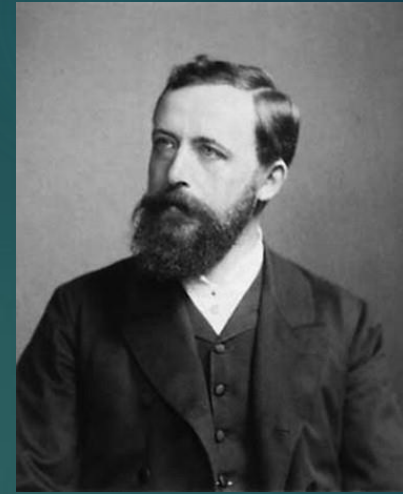
- Inflammatory and fibromatous disease:
 - Dense **lymphoplasmacytic** infiltration where IgG4-positive plasmacells prevail
 - Vortical , "**storiform**" fibrosis
 - Often **elevated S-IgG4**
 - Good response to corticosteroids



Once upon a time 124 years ago...

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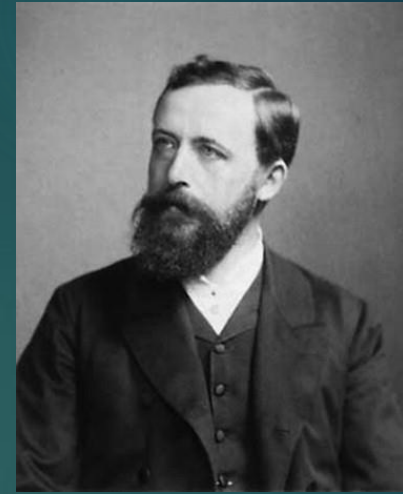
Johann von Mikulicz-Radecki 1850-1905



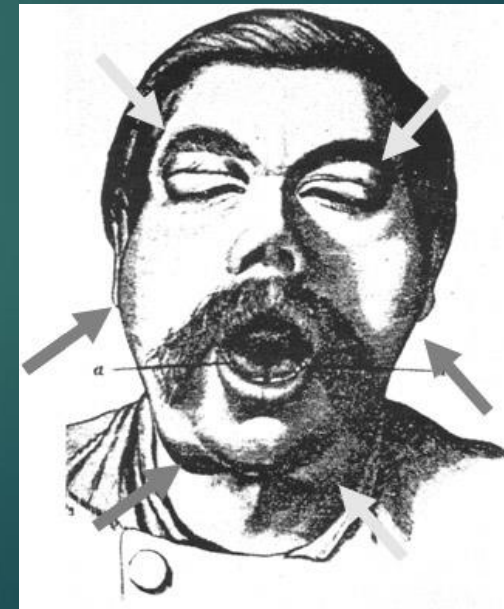
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- ...and then there was silence...

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- 2003 in Japan: a connection between MD and type 1 autoimmune pancreatitis through histological and ja immunohistochemical studies
- → IgG4-RD systemic characteristics were identified



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Autoimmune pancreatitis (AIP)

- 1961 **Sclerosing pancreatitis** and hypergammaglobulinemia
- 1995: AIP
 - **Painless obstructive jaundice**
 - Swelling of the pancreas
 - Stenosis of the pancreatic duct

Elevated S-IgG

- Good response to corticosteroids
- A link to other immune mediated diseases

Abdominal CT: "**Sausage**" pancreas



Hedigre SS ym. Am J Roentgenol 2013;201:14-22

Küttner's tumor

- ▶ Küttner 1896: **sclerosis** and **swelling** of the submandibular gland(s)
- ▶ Histology: sclerosing **sialadenitis**
- ▶ IgG4-RD manifestation in the submandibular gland(s)



IgG4-RD general characteristics

- ▶ Male preponderance >50-year-olds (M:F = 3:1)
- ▶ Comes creeping...
- ▶ **Painless swelling** of the organs, "tumefactive" lesions
- ▶ Inflammatory pseudo-tumor
- ▶ Described in almost **every organ**.
- ▶ **General symptoms** are **scarce**
- ▶ Occasionally acute: fever and acute phase reaction
- ▶ Patient history often shows **allergy or atopy**: chronic rhinitis/sinuitis, asthma
 - ▶ Often **eosinophilia**, elevated **S-IgE**

IgG4-cholangitis

- ▶ In IgG4-cholangitis: 80 %: has AIP as well
- ▶ In AIP: 40%: has IgG4-cholangitis as well
- ▶ Resemblance with **p**rimary **s**clerosing **c**holangitis (PSC) and cholangiocarcinoma.
- ▶ Differs from PSC:
 - ▶ In middle-aged and **elderly men**
 - ▶ **Good response** to corticosteroids
 - ▶ Association to inflammatory bowel disease is rare
 - ▶ **No** increased risk of cholangiocarcinoma

Other intra-abdominal manifestations

- ▶ **Cholecystitis** without gall stones
- ▶ Pseudotumor of the liver
- ▶ **Nephropathy**
- ▶ Chronic periaortitis – **retroperitoneal fibrosis**
- ▶ **Aortitis** and inflammatory aortic aneurysm
- ▶ Fibrosing mesenteritis

Liver pseudotumor



Retroperitoneal fibrosis and hydronephrosis



IgG4-RD in the lungs

▶ 4 major clinical syndromes

1. Inflammatory pseudotumor
2. Tracheobronchial stenosis
3. Interstitial pneumonia
4. Pleuritis

Symptoms: **cough**, hemoptysis, **shortness of breath**, pleural effusion

▶ Radiological findings

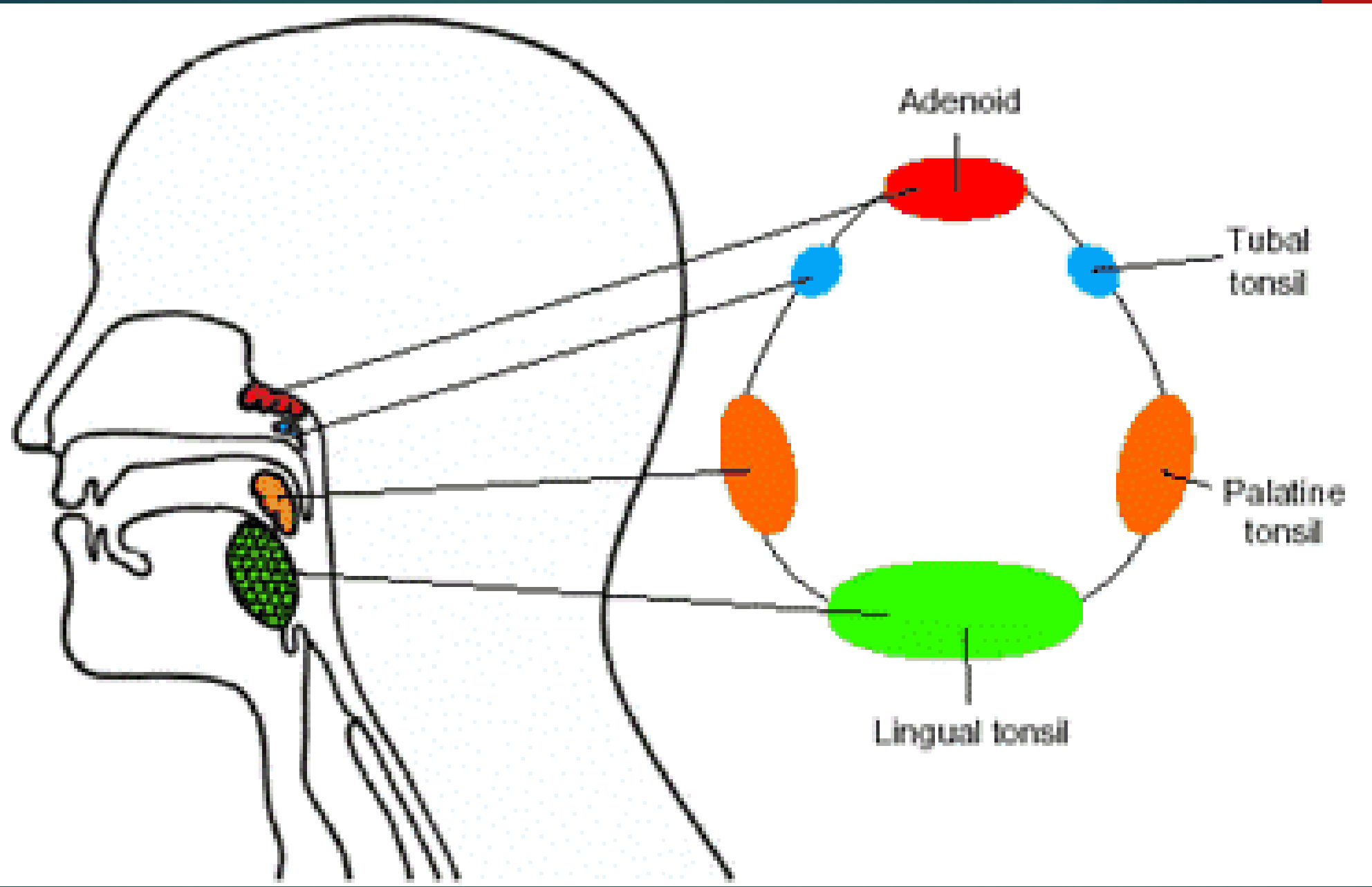
1. **Nodular** lesions
2. Ovale **ground-glass** changes
3. **Interstitial** lung disease, joss honeycomb manifestation, **bronchiectasy** and diffuse ground glass changes

Other intrathoracic manifestations

- ▶ Pleura and pericardium
 - ▶ **Nodular thickening** of the visceral or parietal pleura
 - ▶ Pleural or pericardial effusions
 - ▶ Constrictive **pericarditis**
- ▶ Inflammation of the thoracic aorta
- ▶ Fibrosing **mediastinitis**
- ▶ **Lymphadenopathy**

Manifestations in the ears, nose and throat

- ▶ 40 % allergy; **asthma**, chronic **sinusitis**, nose polyps, allergic **rhinitis**
- ▶ Crusted lesions in the nose, anosmia, **otitis media**, lacrimal gland effected, acute hypacusis, **laryngitis**, mastoiditis
- ▶ Destructive lesions in bone during sinusitis and otitis
- ▶ Lesions in **Waldeyer's ring**... oooooops, what's that???



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IgG4-RD in the orbita



- ▶ **Dacryoadenitis**
- ▶ **Myositis** in the orbita
- ▶ **Perineuritis** in the optical and trigeminal nerve
- ▶ Inflammatory **pseudotumor** of the orbita
- ▶ Symptoms
 - ▶ **Swelling** of the lacrimal gland and eyelids
 - ▶ Motor skill disorders of the **eyes**
 - ▶ Blurred vision
 - ▶ **Proptosis** of the eye
 - ▶ Sicca symptom in the eyes

IgG4-RD in the thyroidea

- ▶ 1894 BM Riedel: “**Iron hard**, fixed and mostly **painless struma**”
 - ▶ Symptoms: Dyspnea, dysphagia, **hoarseness**, aphony
 - ▶ **Hypothyroidism** in 25-80%
- ▶ A fibrosing type of **Hashimoto's** thyroiditis is included in **IgG4-RD**



Stone JH. Semin Diagn
Pathol 2012;29:177-190

IgG4-RD in the skin



Ear region, cheek and mandibular skin:

-erythematosis and itching **plaques** of subcutaneous **nodules**

IgG4-nephropathy

IgG4-related kidney disease, **IgG4-RKD**

- ▶ Modest symptoms
- ▶ Mild proteinuria, hematuria, **kidney failure**
- ▶ **Pseudotumors**
- ▶ Histology: **tubulointerstitial nephritis** and **fibrosis**
- ▶ Occasionally membranous glomerulonephritis

CT: cortical lesions



IgG4-RKD

Clinical features

- ▶ 75-85% **men**
- ▶ Median age 65 years
- ▶ Often **symptomless, incidental finding**
- ▶ Occasionally hydronefrosis due to retroperitoneal fibrosis
- ▶ Most common **extrarenal** manifestations
 - ▶ 1. **Pancreas**
 - ▶ 2. Salivary gland
 - ▶ 3. Lacrimal gland
 - ▶ 4. Lymphatic nodules

IgG4-RKD

Laboratory findings

- ▶ 90% clearly elevated S-IgG4
 - ▶ often X 10-30
- ▶ 60% hypocomplementemia
- ▶ 50% mild proteinuria
- ▶ 40% elevated B-Eosinophiles
- ▶ RF, nuclear antibodies sometimes elevated
- ▶ anti-DNA, anti-SS-A, anti-SS-B, anti-Sm anti-RNP normal
- ▶ CRP, IgA, IgM, cryoglobulin, M-component, ANCA normal

IgG4-RKD

Radiologic findings

- ▶ Contrast-CT scan
- ▶ 65% multiple **hypodense regions**
- ▶ 30% **diffuse swelling** of the kidneys
- ▶ 10-20 % mass lesions
 - ▶ resemblance to malignant tumors

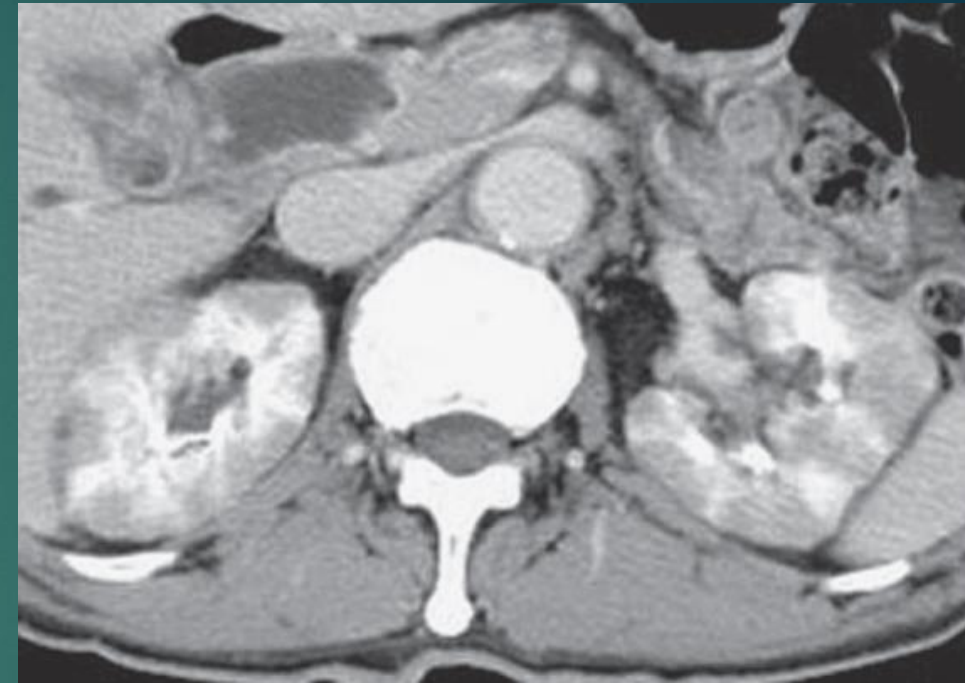


Table 2 Histopathologic hallmarks of IgG4-RD

Major

Lymphoplasmacytic infiltrate

High percentage of IgG4-positive plasma cells

Storiform fibrosis

Obliterative phlebitis

Mild to moderate tissue eosinophilia

Minor

Germinal centers

Lymphoid follicles

Nonobliterative phlebitis

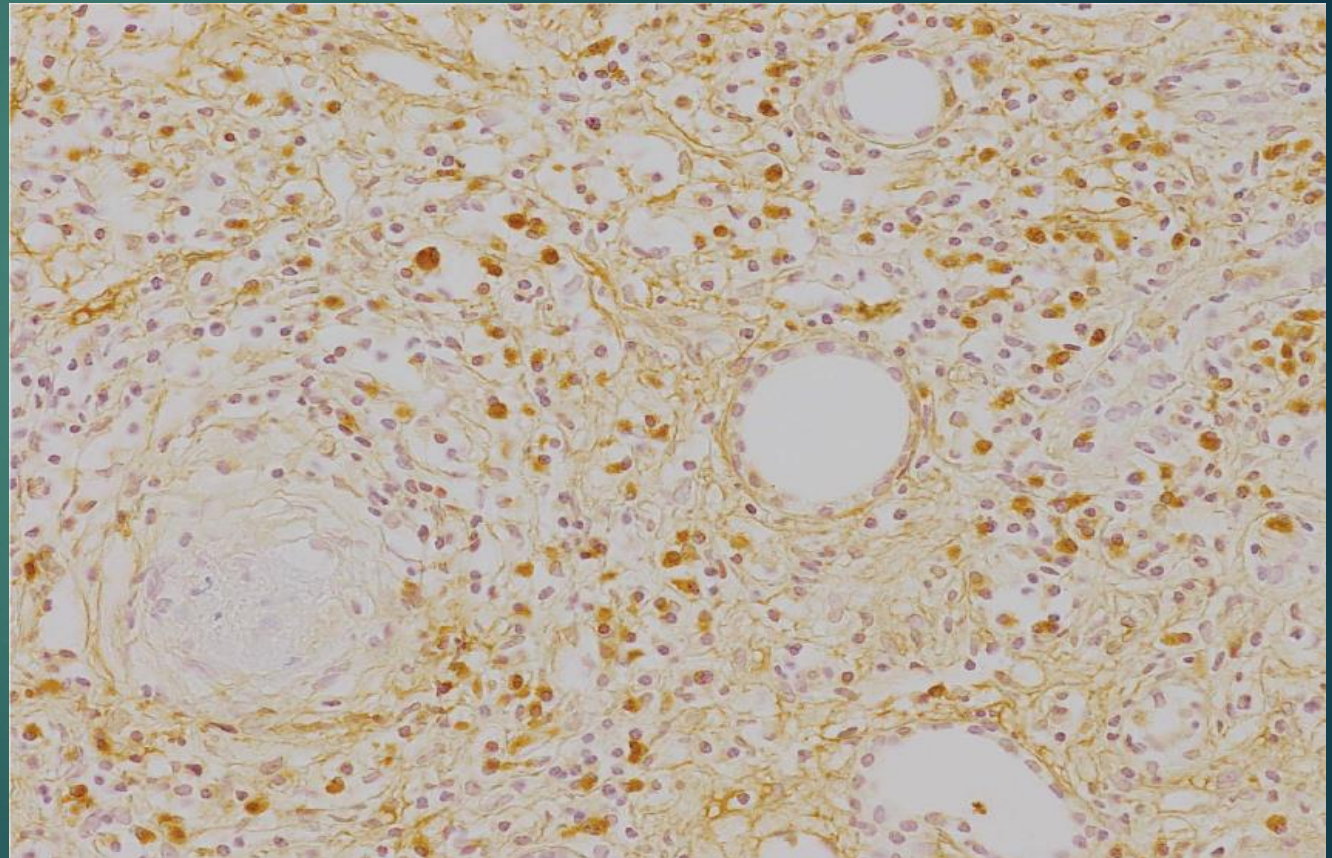
Obliterative arteritis (usually found in lung)

Abbreviation: IgG4-RD, immunoglobulin G4-related disease.

IgG4-RKD

Histopathologic findings

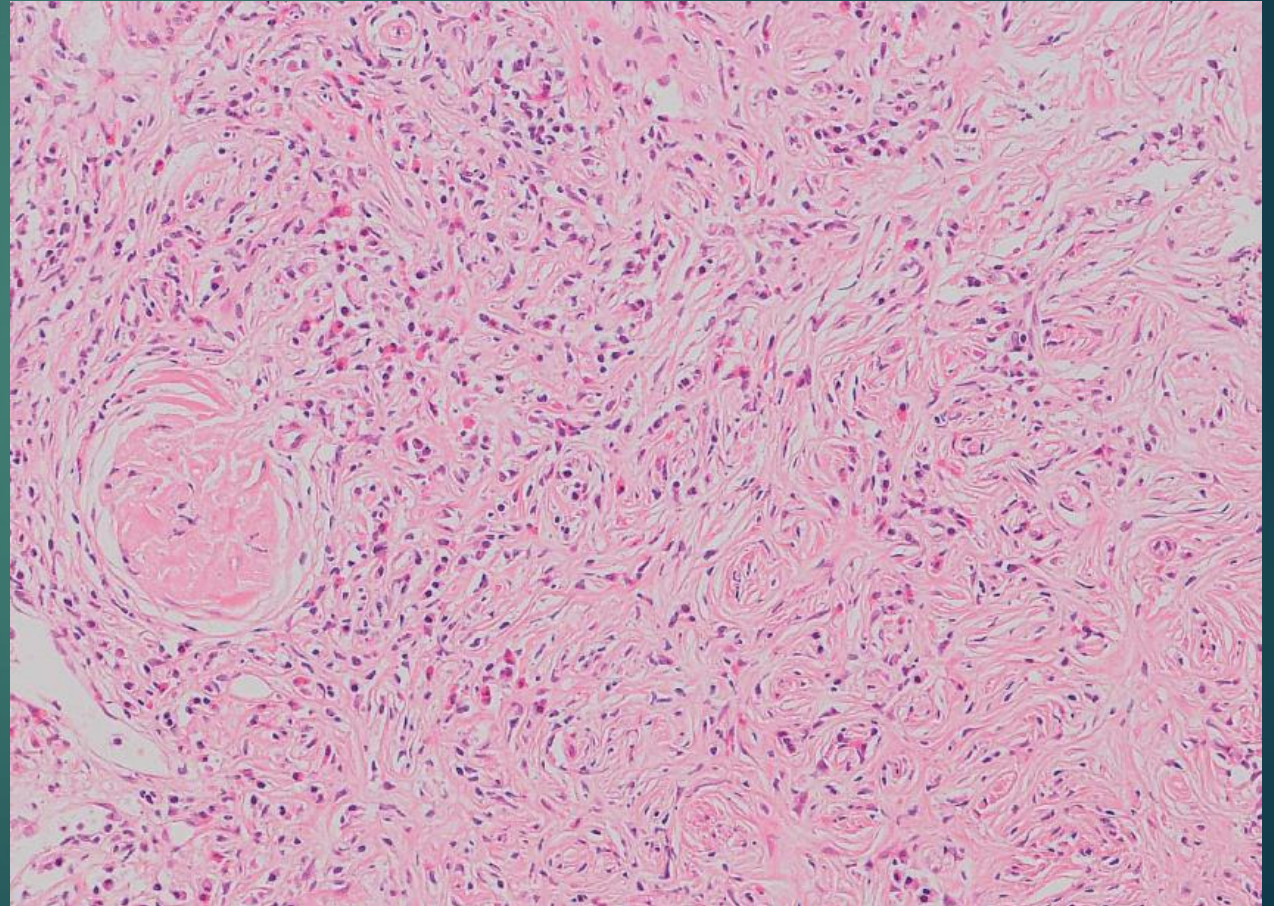
- ▶ IgG4 positive tubulointerstitial nephritis (TIN)



IgG4-RKD

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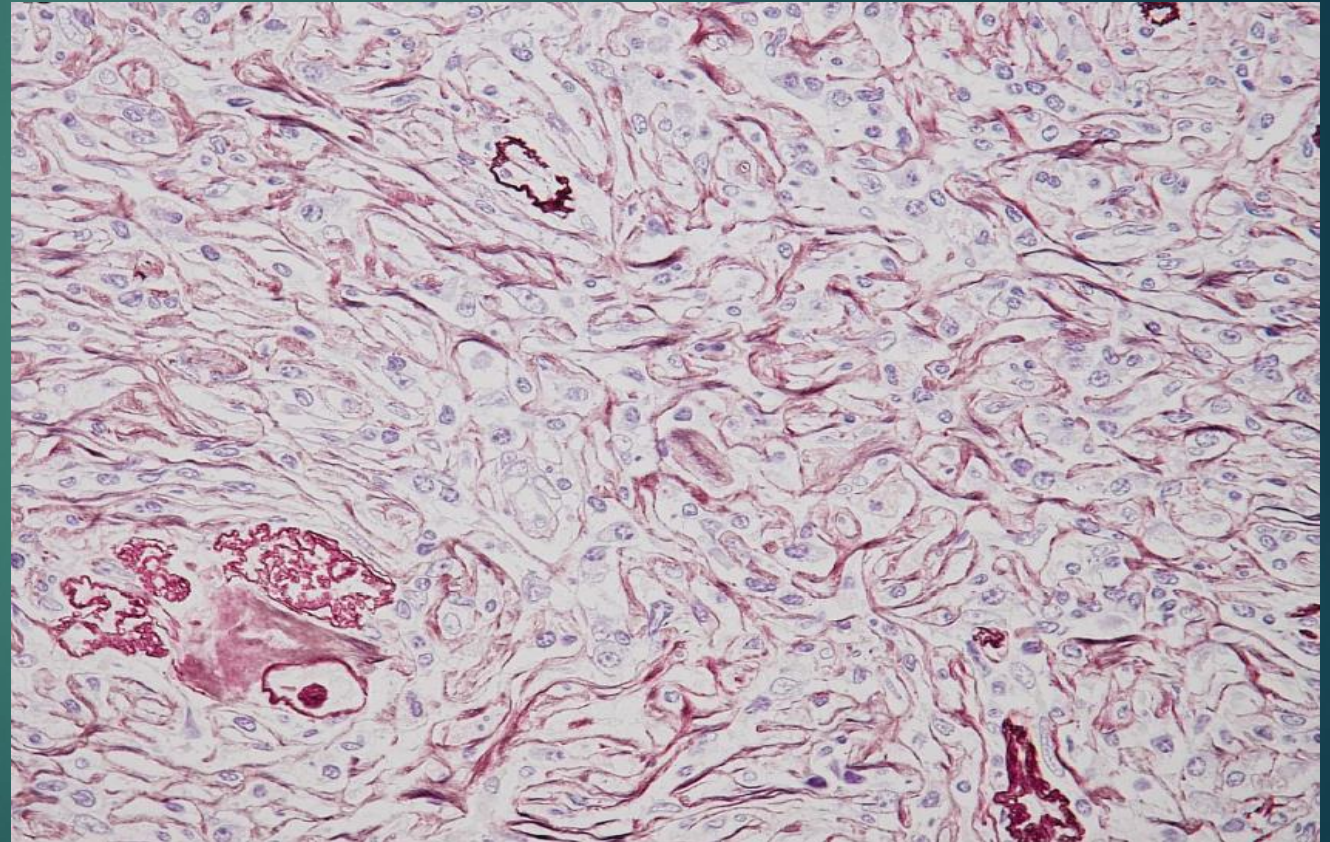
- ▶ **"Storiform"** or vortex fibrosis



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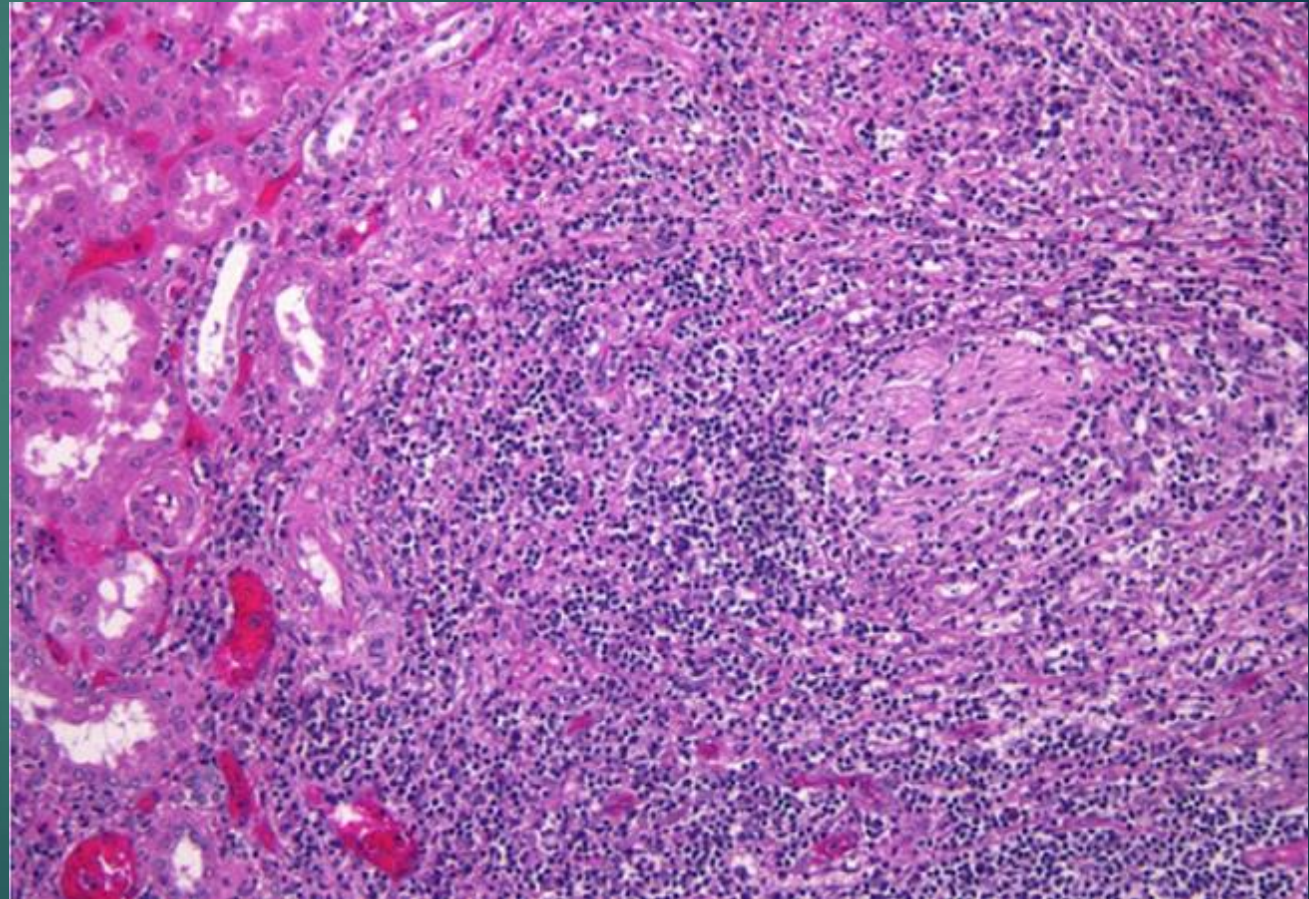
- ▶ **"Bird's eye fibrosis"**
irregular fibrosis around the
inflammatory cells



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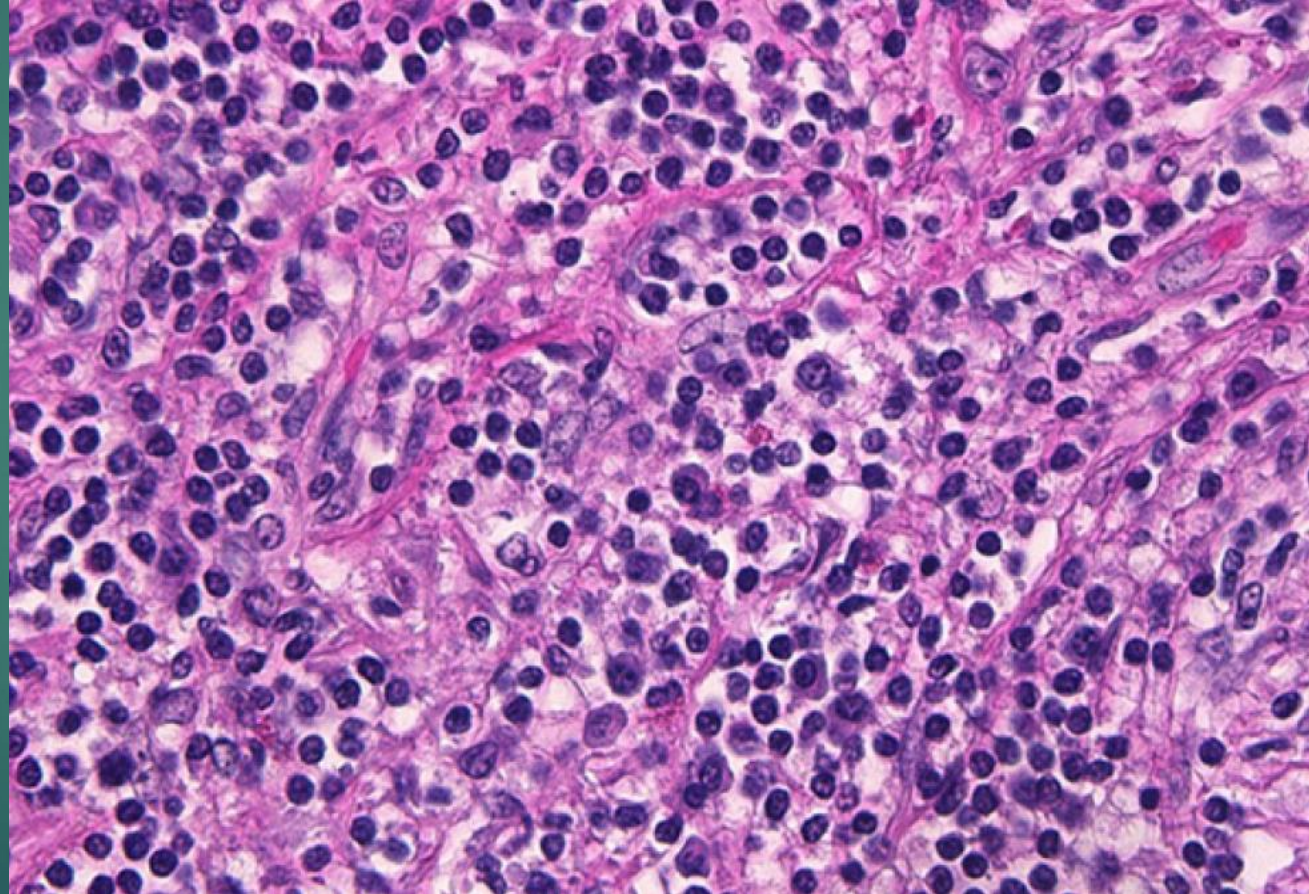
- ▶ **Border** between the TIN-region and normal region is **clear**



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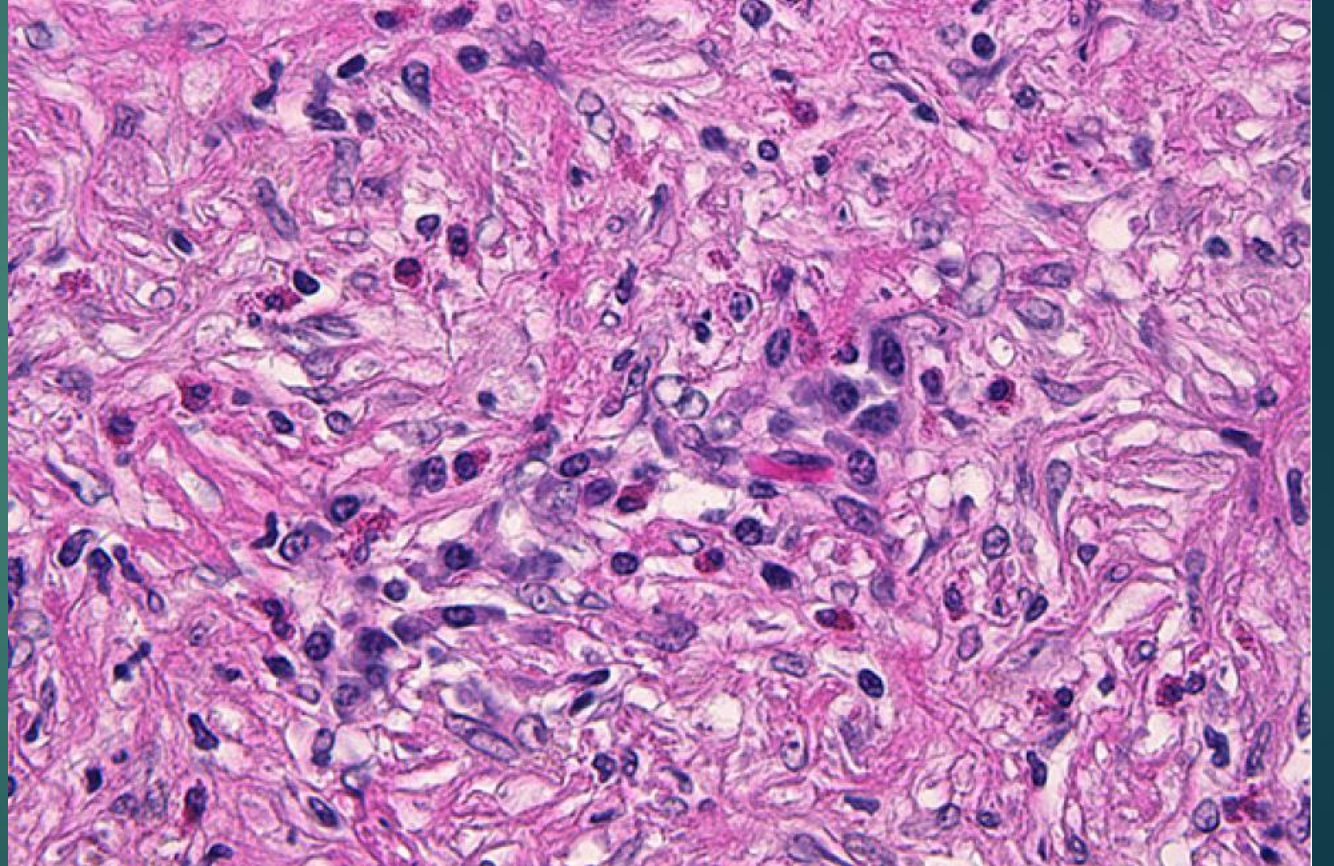
- ▶ Plasma cells and lymphocytes



IgG4-RKD

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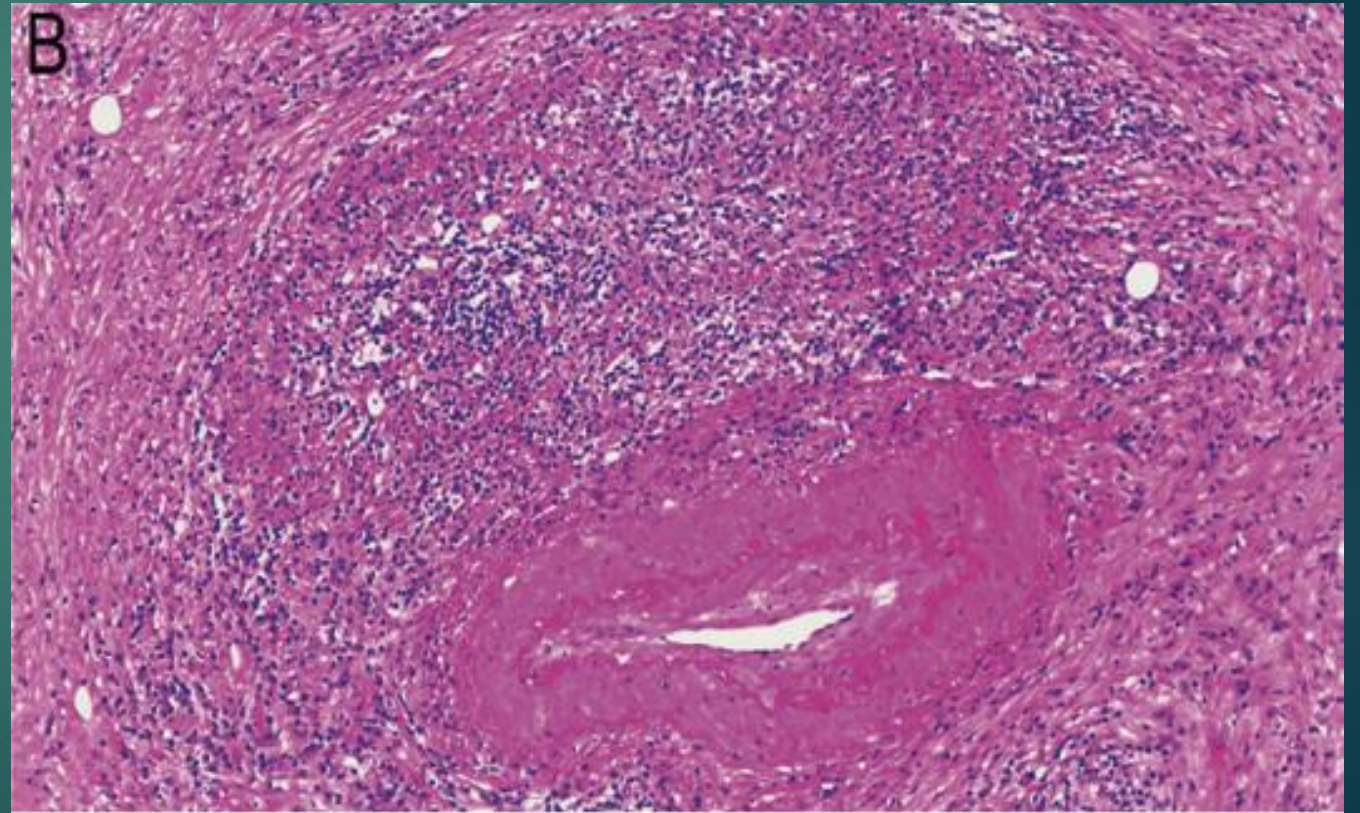
- ▶ Eosinophilic infiltration



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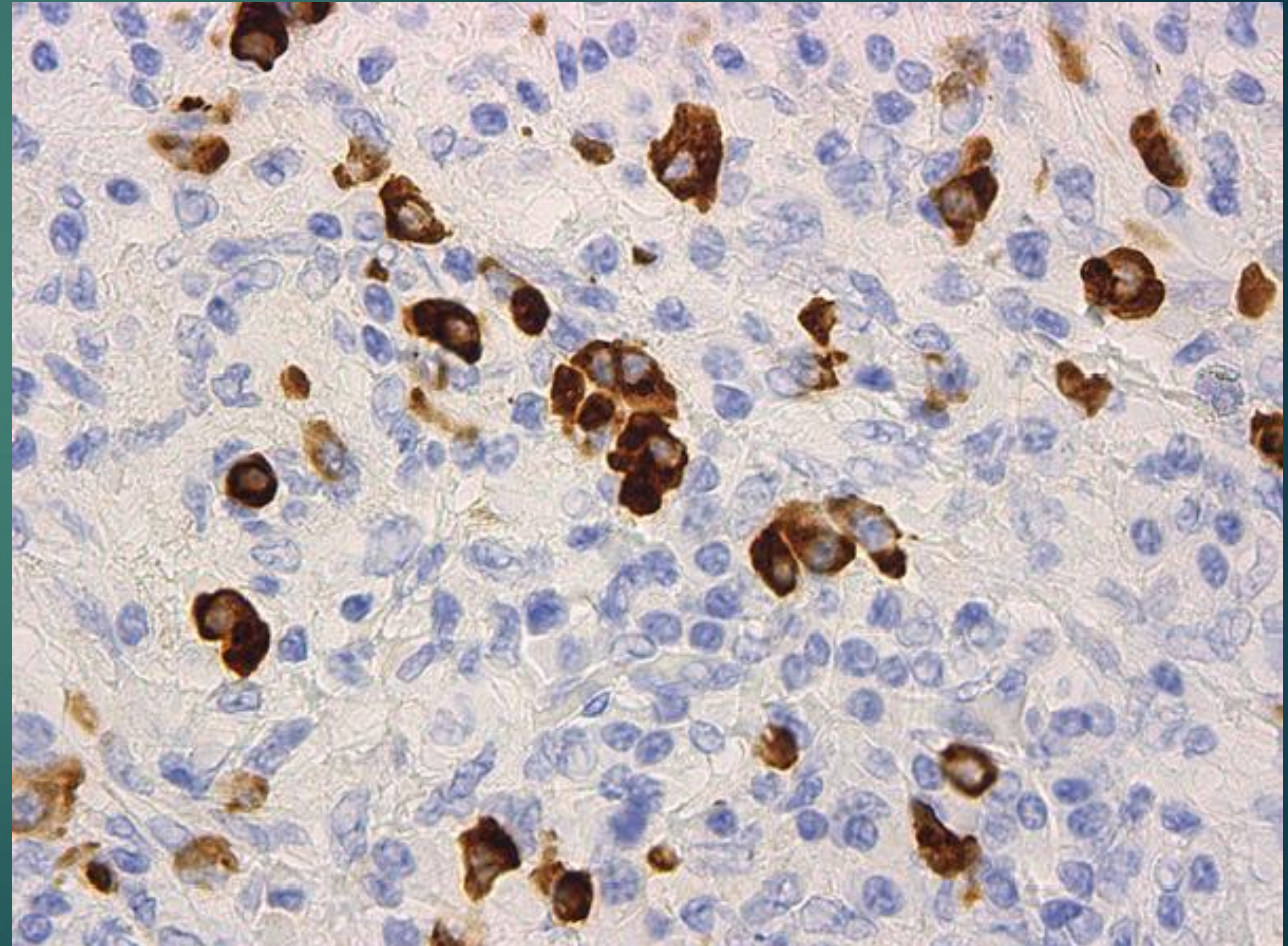
- ▶ Obliterative **phlebitis**
- ▶ Rarely in kidney biopsy!



IgG4-RKD

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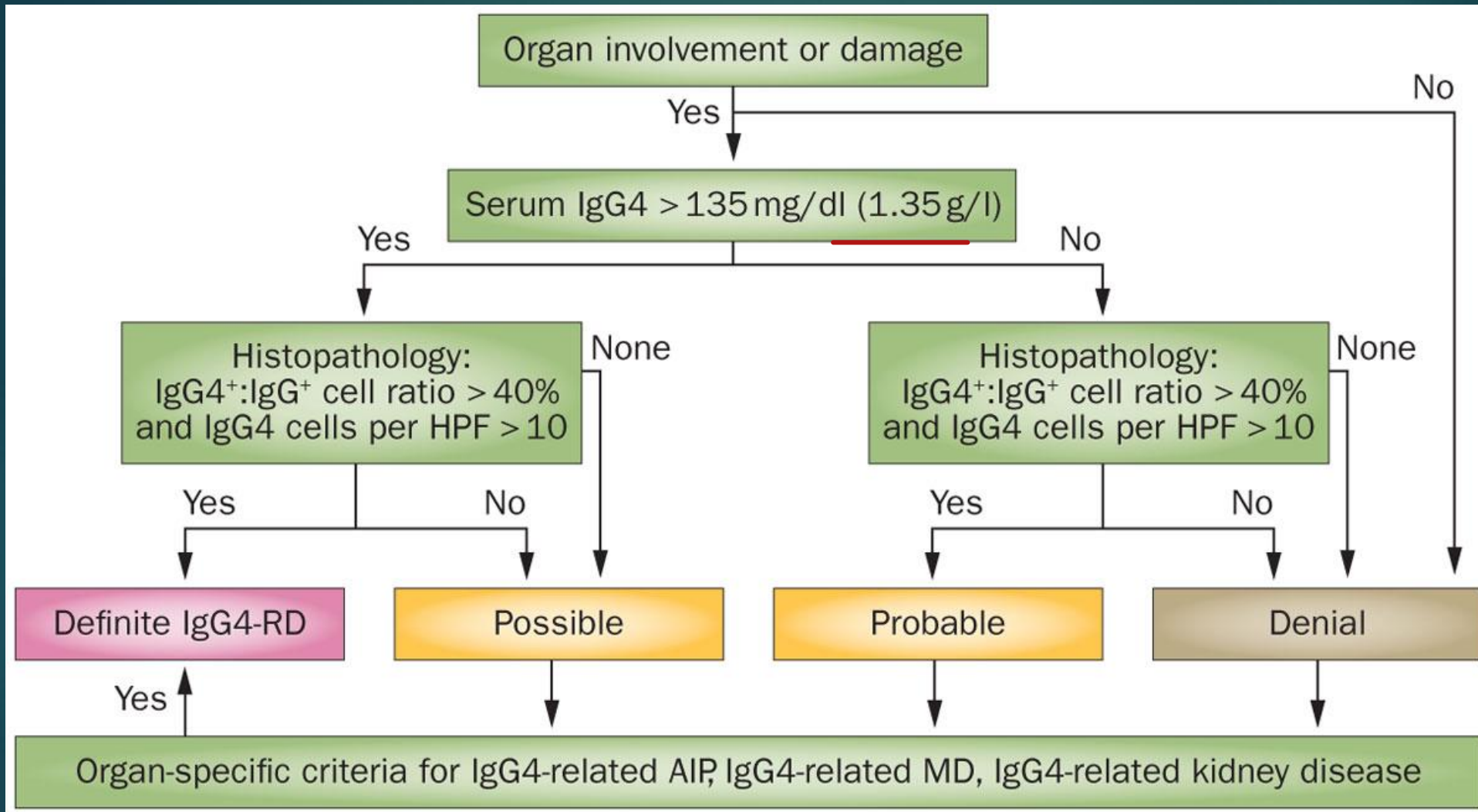
- ▶ Immunohistochemistry:
 IgG4 positive plasma cells



Diagnosis

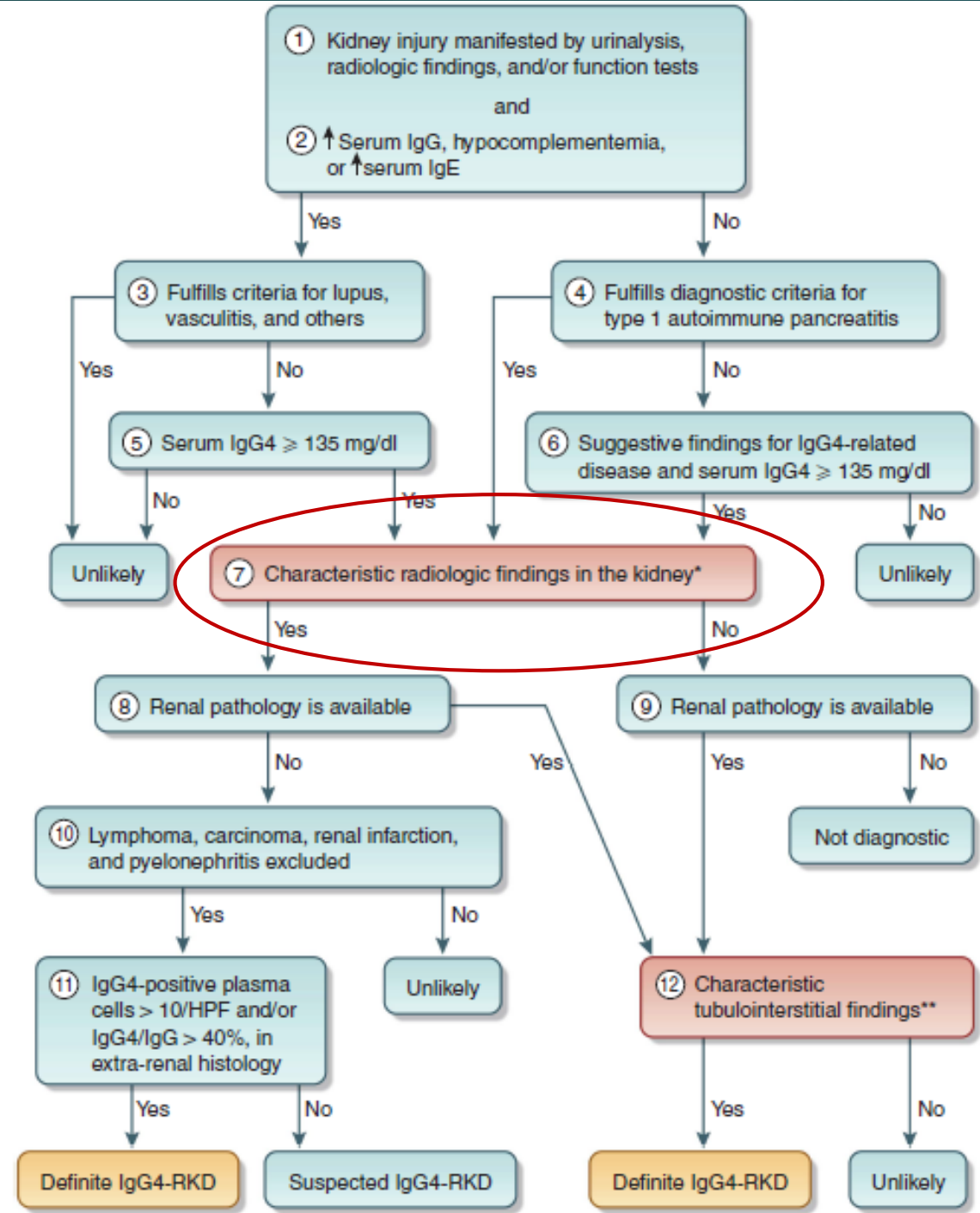
- **S-IgG4** > 1,40 g/l:
 - sensitivity 60-70 %
 - specificity 60 %
 - positive predictive value 34 %
 - negative predictive value 96 % (Carruthers et al. 2014)
- Histopathology is crucial
 - Dense **lymphoplasmacytic infiltration**
 - **Storiform** fibrosis
 - Obliterative phlebitis
 - Often eosinophilia
- Immunostaining **IgG4/IgG-proportion** >40 %
- **NOTA BENE!** Granulomatotic inflammation is **not** typical for IgG4-RD

IgG4-RD diagnostic algorithm

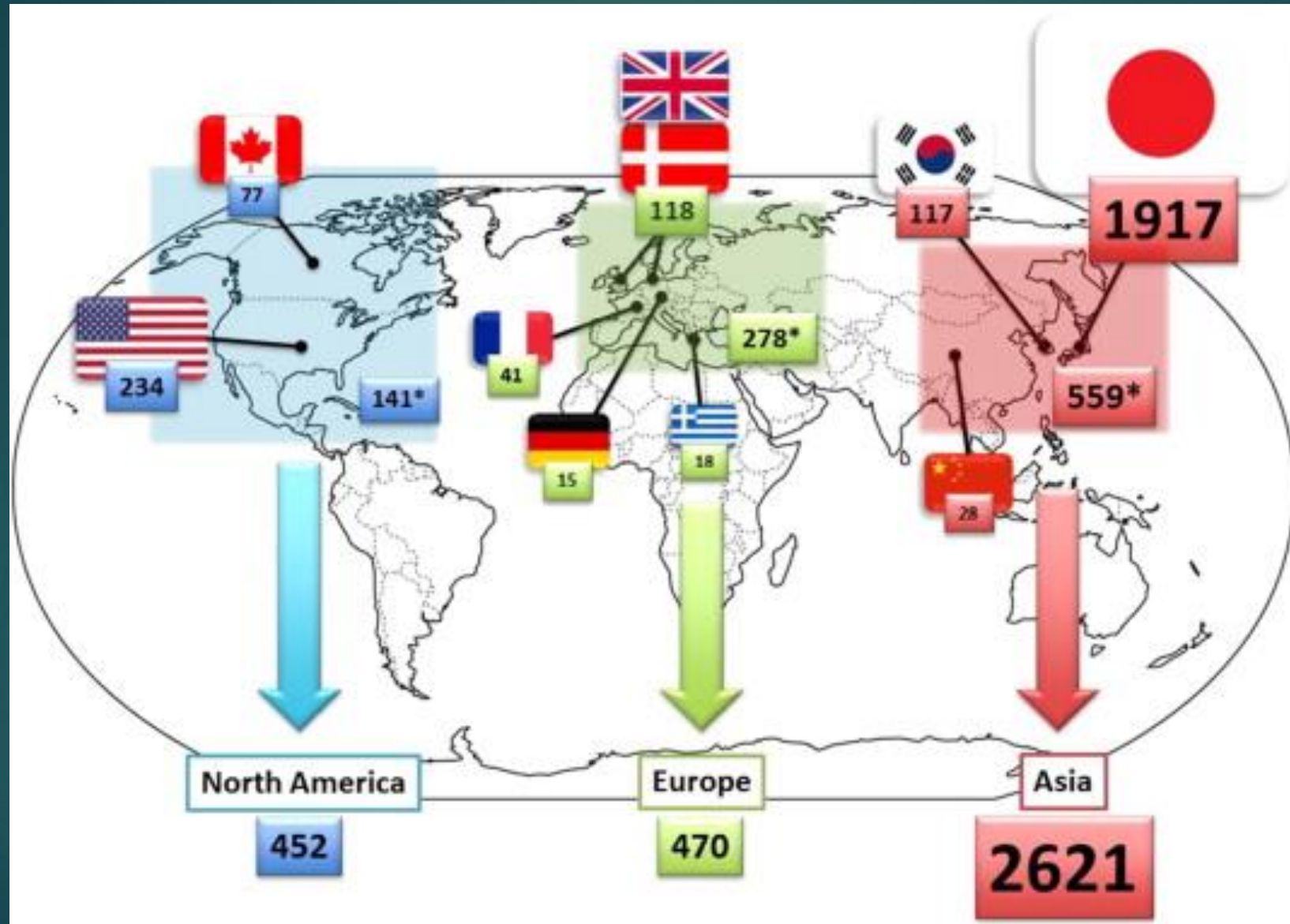


Clinics + serology + histopathology = **definite**
Clinics + histopathology = **probable**
Clinics + serology = **possible**

IgG4-RKD diagnostic algorithm



Prevalence of IgG4-RD



Treatment 1

- ▶ **Corticosteroids** - almost always good response
 - ▶ Prednisolone 0,6 mg/kg/day 2-4 weeks
 - ▶ Gradual dose reduction **ad 5 mg after 3-6 months.**
 - ▶ Continuation 2,5-5 mg/vrk for 3 years
- ▶ Reduction of IgG4-levels
- ▶ **Relapses in 20-30 %**

Treatment 2

- ▶ Another immunosuppressive medicine if corticosteroids fail or intolerance
 - ▶ **azathioprine** first line
 - ▶ Alternative: mycophenolate, methotrexate, even bortezomib
- ▶ Lack of prospective data
- ▶ **Risk of malignancy** X 3.5!
- ▶ Treatment of resistant disease: **rituximab**
 - ▶ (Khosroshahi A et al. Arthritis Rheum 2010;62:1755-62.)

Rituximab in IgG4-RD

- ▶ 30 patients
- ▶ Rituximab 1000 mg, 2 doses
- ▶ 87 % did not use corticosteroids, in 13 % corticosteroids had been paused for at least 2 months
- ▶ Treatment response in 97 %
- ▶ Complete remission after 6 months 77 %, 12 months 40 %
- ▶ Conclusion: Rituximab is efficient in IgG4-RD, also without concomitant corticosteroid treatment

Case report

78-year-old man

- ▶ COPD, asthma, longtime smoker, alcohol abstinence since 1990, nursing aid at home, physically inactive, good cognition
- ▶ 2/2012 serum creatinine normal 86 $\mu\text{mol/liter}$
- ▶ 11/2013 creatinine 161
- ▶ 3/2014 creatinine increase to 226
- ▶ Anemia, Creatinine, high sed rate
→ referred to consultant in March 2014

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PERUSVERENKUVA

	B-Hb	B-HKR	B-Eryt	MCV	RDW	MCH
	134-167	39-50	4.25-5.7	82-98	<14	27-33
	g/l	%	E12/l	fl	%	pg
4102 22.04.14 1042	113	33	3.75	89	14	30

	MCHC	B-Leuk	B-Trom
	320-355	3.4-8.2	150-360
	g/l	E9/l	E9/l
4102 22.04.14 1042	339	12.0	389

LEUKOSYTTIEN

ERITTELY (AUTOMAAT.)

	B-Neut	Neut	B-Ly	Lymf	B-Mono	Mono
	1.5-6.7	41-81	1.3-3.6	20-45	0.2-0.8	1-11
	E9/l	%	E9/l	%	E9/l	%
4102 22.04.14 1042	6.17	52	3.24	27	1.21	10

	B-Eos	Eos	B-Baso	Baso	Erblast
	0.03-0.44	1-6	0-0.1	0-1	
	E9/l	%	E9/l	%	E9/l
4102 22.04.14 1042	1.13	9	0.20	2	0.00

AKUUTTI VAIHE,
NESTETASAPAINO

	P-CRP	B-La	P-K	P-Na	S-pH
	<3	<30	3.3-4.9	137-145	
	mg/l	mm/h	mmol/l	mmol/l	
4102 22.04.14 1042	10	95	3.9	134	7.31

	S-Ca-Ion	S-Ca-IonA	P-Krea	Pt-GFR _e -MD
	1.16-1.3		60-100	>60 ml/min/1.73m ²
	mmol/l/pH7.4	mmol/l	umol/l	
4102 22.04.14 1042	1.18	1.24	234	24 ml/min/1.73m ²

HUS SAIRAALAT

Sivu: 1.2

Tuloskertymä (Jatkuva)

Ajalta: 22.04.2014 - 22.04.2014

Ajoaika: 13.05.2015 10:13

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KEMIAALLISET
TUTKIMUKSET

	P-AFOS	S-IgGcK-V	S-IgGcL-V	S-K/L-s-V
	35-105	6.9-25.6	8.6-26.5	0.52-1.4
	U/l	mg/l	mg/l	
4102 22.04.14 1042	155	400	183	2.19

Myeloma was suspected Hematologist was consulted

"One can not outrule that monoclonal kappa light chains could be the underlying cause of kidney failure"

"The next diagnostic procedure should be a kidney biopsy, and from the biopsy an electromicroskopic investigation should be made as well"

Transferred to a nephrologist...

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41121 16.06.14 1004	116	35	3.83	91	15	30

	MCHC	B-Leuk	B-Trom
	320-355	3.4-8.2	150-360
	g/l	E9/l	E9/l
41121 16.06.14 1004	333	11.3	449

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	mg/l	mm/h	mmol/l	mmol/l	
41121 16.06.14 1004	6	98	4.3	135	7.34

	S-Ca-Ion	S-Ca-IonA	fP-Pi	P-Krea	Pt-GFRe-MD
	1.16-1.3		0.71-1.23	60-100	>60 ml/min/1.73m2
	mmol/l/pH7.4	mmol/l	mmol/l	umol/l	
41121 16.06.14 1004	1.24	1.28	1.03	253	22 ml/min/1.73m2

	P-Alb
	34-45
	g/l
41121 16.06.14 1004	31.8

GLUKOOSITASAPAINO

	U-AlbKrea	U-Alb	U-Krea	B-HbA1c	B-GHb-A1c
	<2.5	<25	2.3-23.5	20-42	4-6
	mg/mmol	mg/l	mmol/l	mmol/mol	%
41121 16.06.14 1004	8.8	38	4.4	39	5.7

HORMONIT, VITAMIINIT, KASVAINMERKKIAINEET		fP-PTH 15-65 ng/l	S-Aldos-P <520 pmol/l
41121	16.06.14 1004	36	490
ALLERGIATUTKIMUKSET		S-IgE 0-110 kU/l	S-ECP <16 ug/l
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4101	08.05.14 0716	4.47	52	2.04	24	0.88	10
		B-Eos 0.03-0.44 E9/l	Eos 1-6 %	B-Baso 0-0.1 E9/l	Baso 0-1 %	Erblast E9/l	
4101	08.05.14 0716	1.11	13	0.14	2	0.00	

vB-HAPPOEMÄSTASE,
-pO2 ja oksimetria

pH	pCO2	pO2	Be	HCO3-St
7.32-7.42	5.3-7.3	4-6.7	-2.5-2.5	24-28
	kPa	kPa	mmol/l	mmol/l

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7.33 5.3 3.1 -4.4 21

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U/l	U/l	mmol/l	g/l	g/l	g/l

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166 37 13.0 16.2 0.99 0.72

16.06.14 1004

Lausunto S-IgG-Sc : IgG4-taso vahvasti koholla, Myös IgG1-taso koholla. Vahvasti koholla oleva IgG4-taso haittaa myös muiden alaluokkien määrittystä. Tämä näkyy siinä että alaluokkien summa on korkeampi kuin kokonais-IgG.

(Hanna Jarva)

S-IgG4	P-C3	P-C4
0.08-1.4	0.71-1.41	0.12-0.34
g/l	g/l	g/l

41121 16.06.14 1004

43.1 1.10 0.16

IMMUNOLOGIA

S-ANAAb	S-DNAAb
<320	<10
titteri	IU/ml

41121 16.06.14 1005

<80 <10

VASKULIITIT

S-ANCA	S-Pr3AbG	S-MPOAbG	S-C-ANCIF	S-P-ANCIF
	<2	<3.5	<20	<20
	IU/ml	IU/ml	Titteri	Titteri

41121 16.06.14 1005

Lausunto <1 <1 <20 <20

16.06.14 1005

Lausunto S-ANCA : Normaali löydös. Ei vaskuliittiin viittaavaa.

(Antti Väkevä)

Radiological findings - Ultrasound

- ▶ Kidney size slightly reduced 9 cm
- ▶ The kidney parenchyma is also reduced
- ▶ A large gall stone
- ▶ The intrahepatic ducts were enlarged
- ▶ The liver was irregular
- ▶ Poor visibility of the pancreas

First visit to the nephrologist 27.6.14

"Female confidant was present"

"Clinical investigation did not yield any significant findings.
Cachexia, weight 59 kilogram"

"Did not wish to undergo kidney biopsy"

How should we continue??????

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Anything else???

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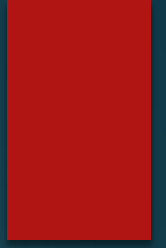
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Calcium + vitamin D3 increased to 500 mg/400 IU X 2
Pantoprazole 20 mg X 1"

"Follow-up every 2-4 months..."



Les feuilles mortes...

I'm dreaming of a white christmas...

I love Paris in the springtime...

Visit to the nephrologist 4.4.15

"Female confidant was present again"

"The patient was **very content** with the situation, weight increased by 10 kg"

"Media otitis a few times"

"**Prednisolone** had been reduced to **7.5 mg X 1**
Calcium + vitamin D3 continues 500 mg/400 IU X 2
Pantoprazole 20 mg X 1"

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3 18 4.2 137 7.46

S-Ca-Ion	S-Ca-IonA	P-Mg	fP-Pi	P-Krea
1.16-1.3		0.71-0.94	0.71-1.23	60-100
mmol/l/pH7.4	mmol/l	mmol/l	mmol/l	umol/l

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1.25 1.22 0.91 1.01 235

Pt-GFReEPI	P-Alb
>83 ml/min/1.73m2	34-45
	g/l

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22 ml/min/1.73 m2 40.3

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U-AlbKrea	U-Alb	U-Krea	B-HbA1c	B-GHb-A1C
<2.5	<25	2.3-23.5	20-42	4-6
mg/mmol	mg/l	mmol/l	mmol/mol	%

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5.1 32 6.3

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40 5.9

VB-HAPPOEMÄSTASE, -pO2 ja oksimetria	pH	pCO2	pO2	Be	HCO3-St
	7.32-7.42	5.3-7.3	4-6.7	-2.5-2.5	24-28
		kPa	kPa	mmol/l	mmol/l
41121 30.03.15 0934	7.44	4.7	6.1	-0.3	24

MUU HEMATOLOGIA	fP-Trfesat	fP-Fe	fP-Transf	P-Ferrit
	17-52	9-34	1.75-3.13	10-220
	%	umol/l	g/l	ug/l
41121 30.03.15 0934	37	28.1	2.89	81

KEMIALLISET TUTKIMUKSET	P-AFOS	P-ALAT	P-Urea	P-Uraat	S-IgG4
	35-105	<50	3.5-8.1	230-480	0.08-1.4
	U/l	U/l	mmol/l	umol/l	g/l
41121 30.03.15 0934	42	27	11.6	351	5.60

HORMONIT, VITAMIINIT, KASVAINMERKKIAINEET	fP-PTH
	15-65
	ng/l
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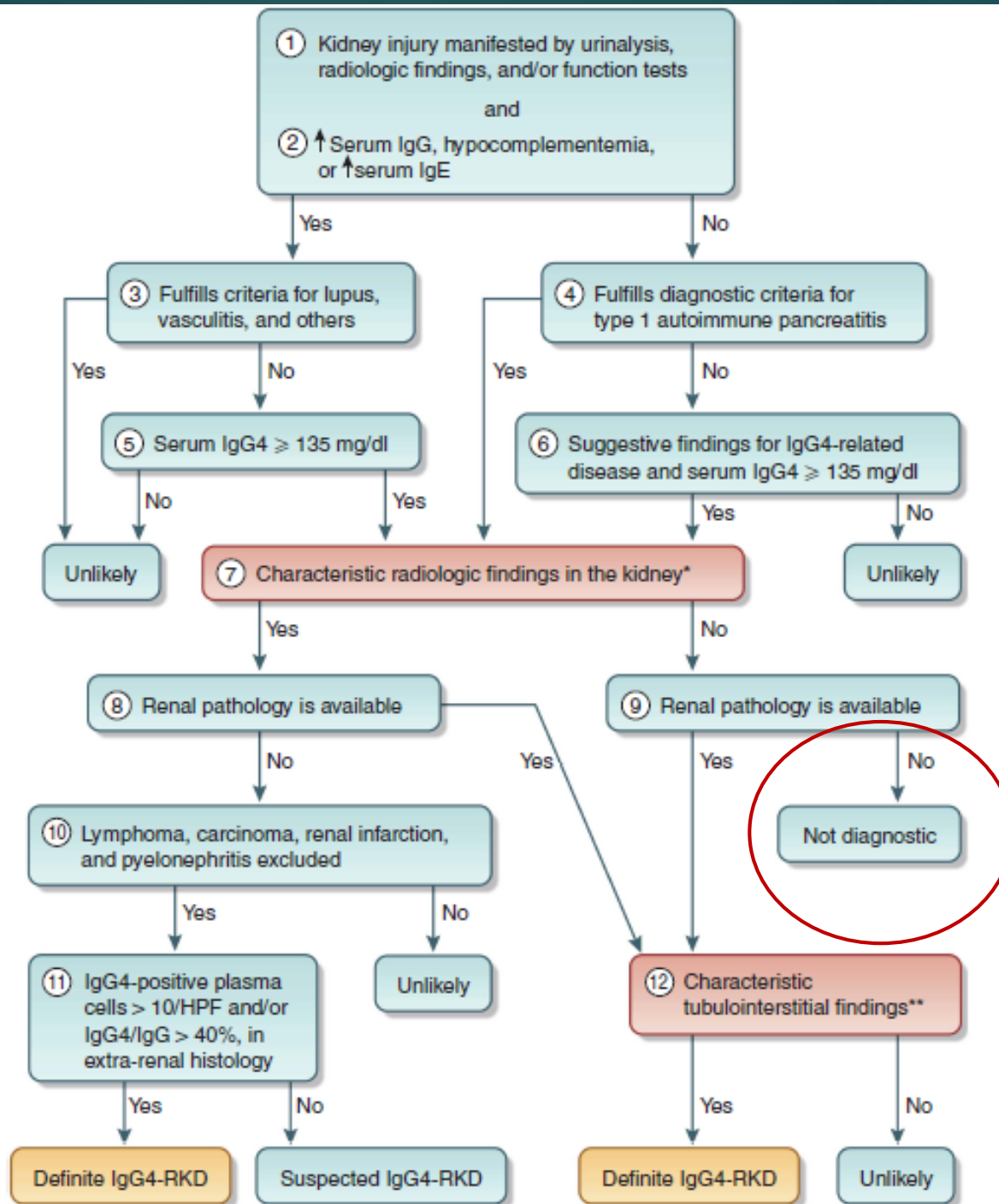
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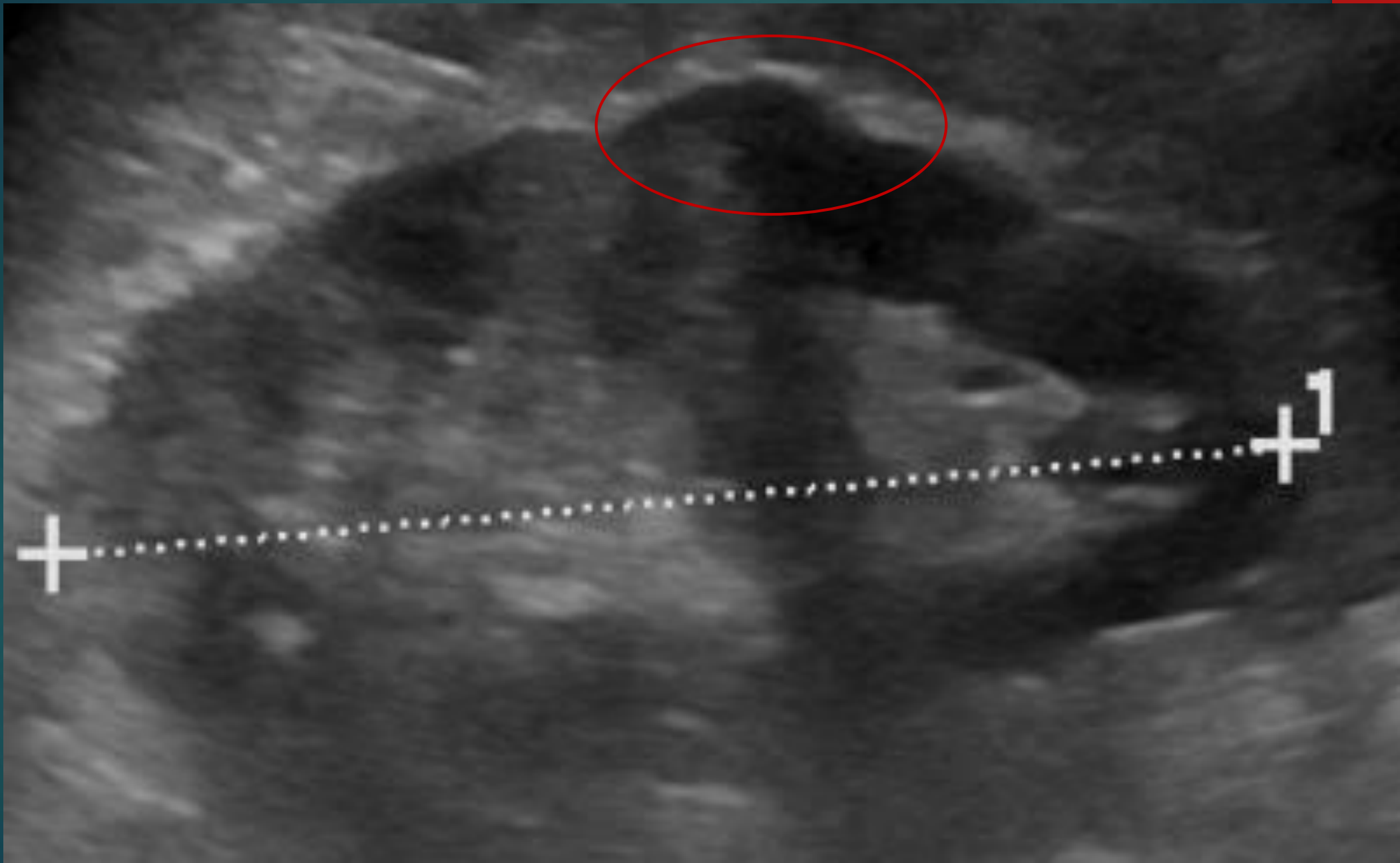
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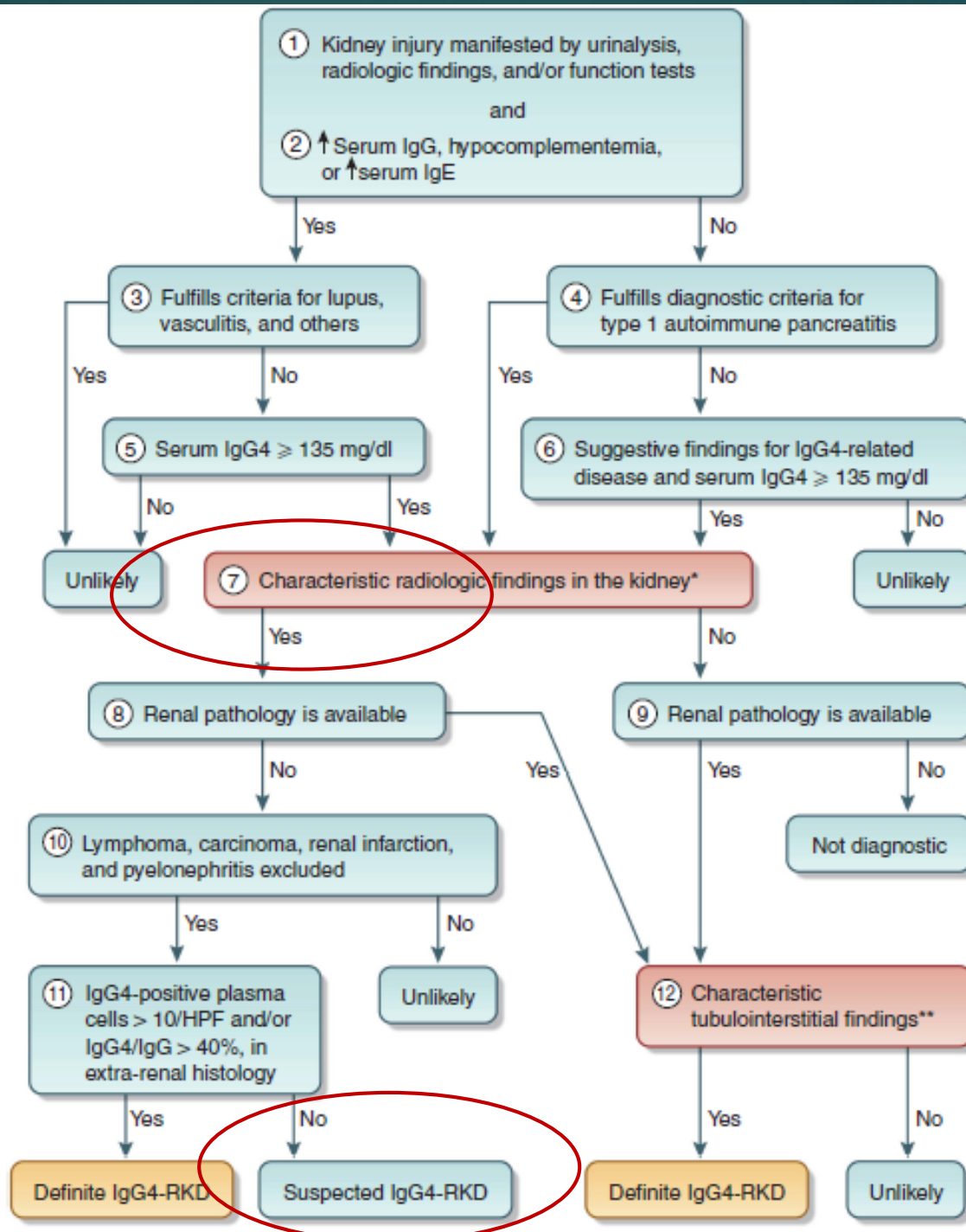
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			<20	<10	<10
			E6/l	E6/l	E6/l
41121 30.03.15 0715	Keskisuihkuvirtsa	>4 h	7	1	3



Was it a definite IgG4-RKD?







IgG4-RD - Take home message

1. A systemic **fibroinflammatory** condition in middle-aged and elderly **men**.
2. A great "**imitator**"
3. Most common manifestations: **autoimmune pancreatitis**, sclerosing cholangitis, Mikulicz' disease, **nephropathy**
4. Elevated **S-IgG4** is a **suggestive** finding
5. Definite diagnosis is based upon **histological** and **immunohistochemical** findings
6. The most important differential diagnoses: other inflammatory diseases, **lymphoma** and other **neoplasms**
7. Good response to **corticosteroids**



A final clinical quiz...

Diagnosis?





Obsessive Compressive Disorder:
The irresistible urge to burst
bubble wrap

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your

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"I'm afraid the shark got your arms and legs. It's probably not a good time, but your brother's here. He needs a kidney."

Good

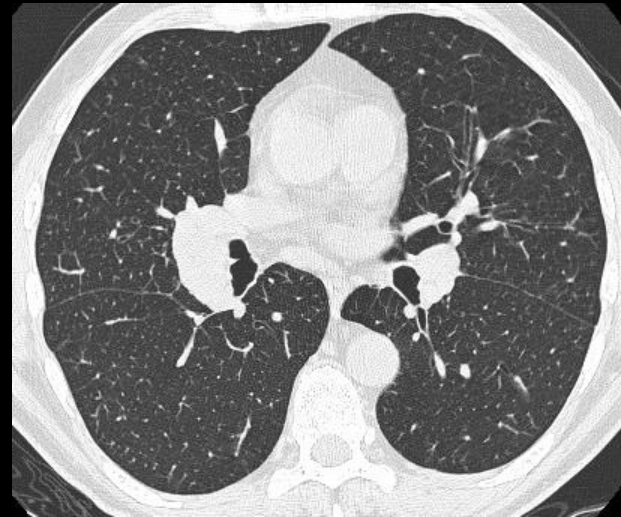
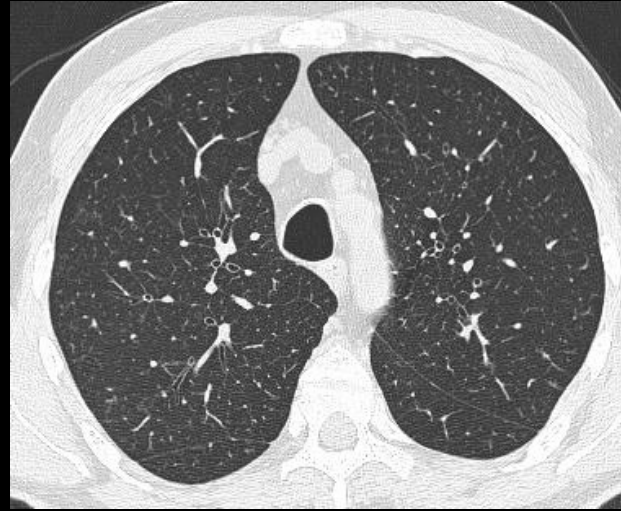
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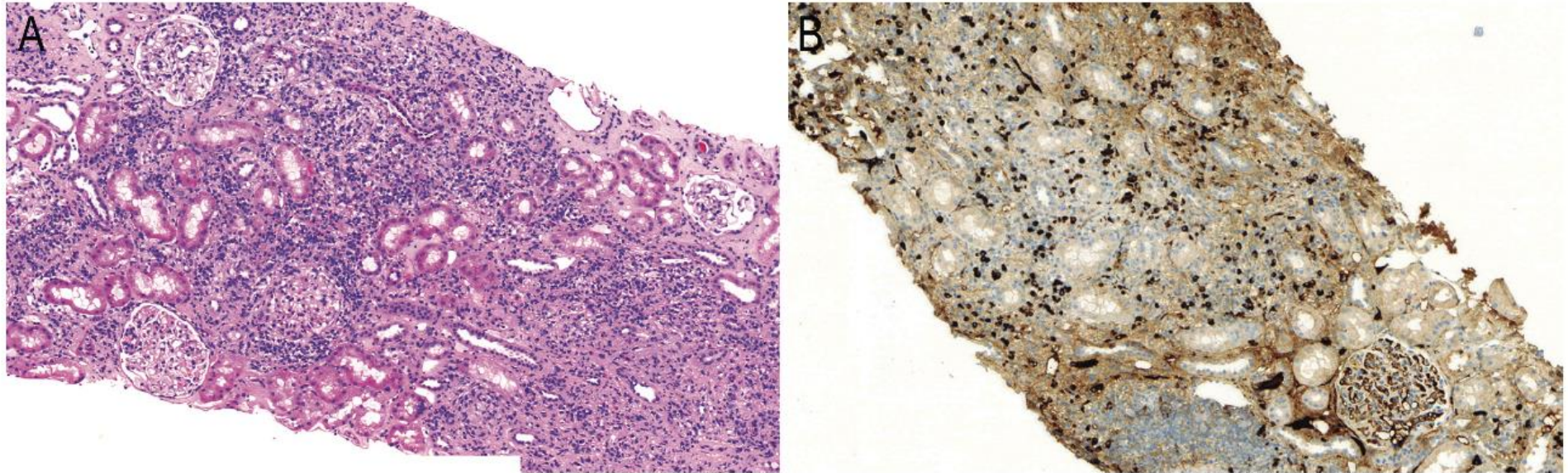
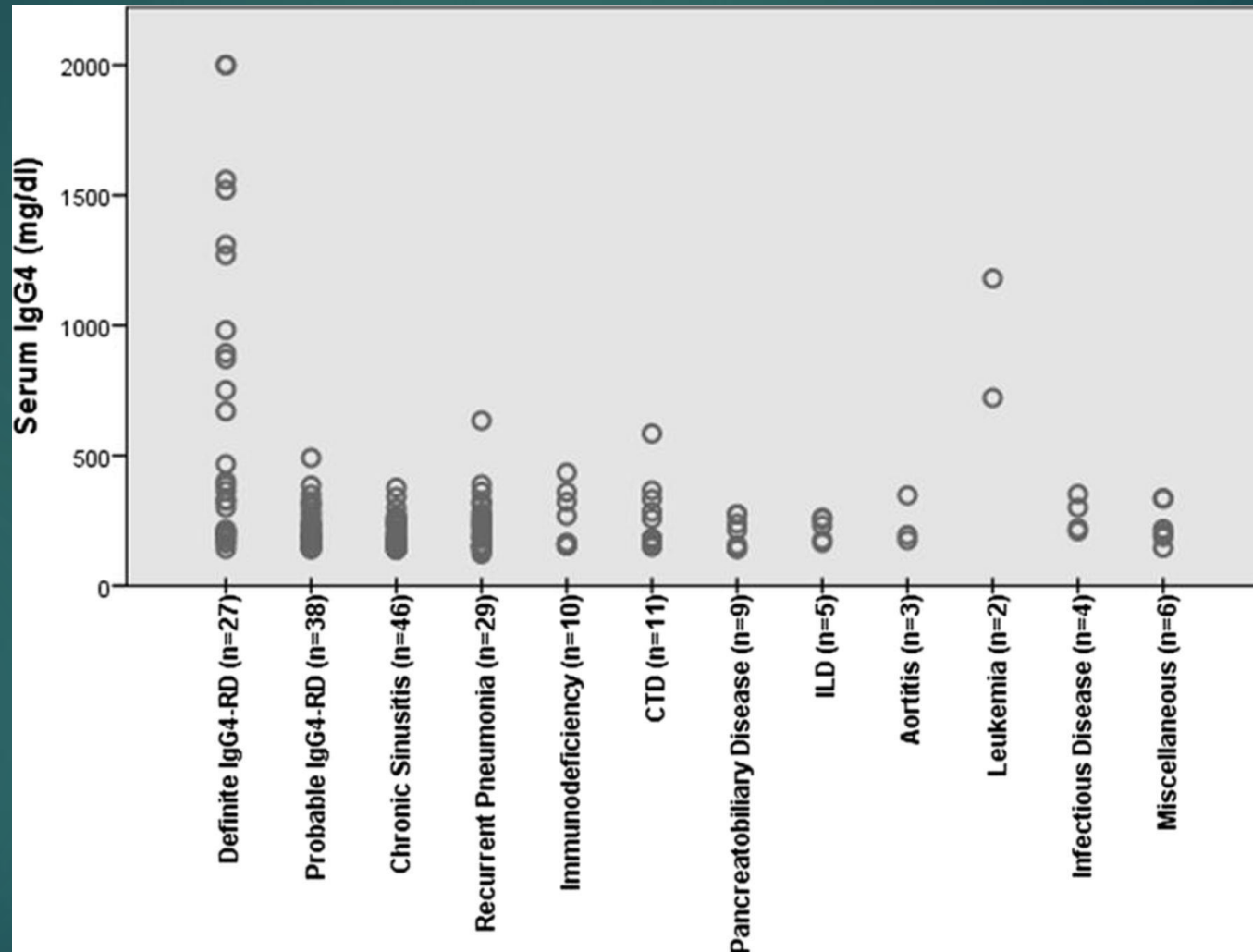


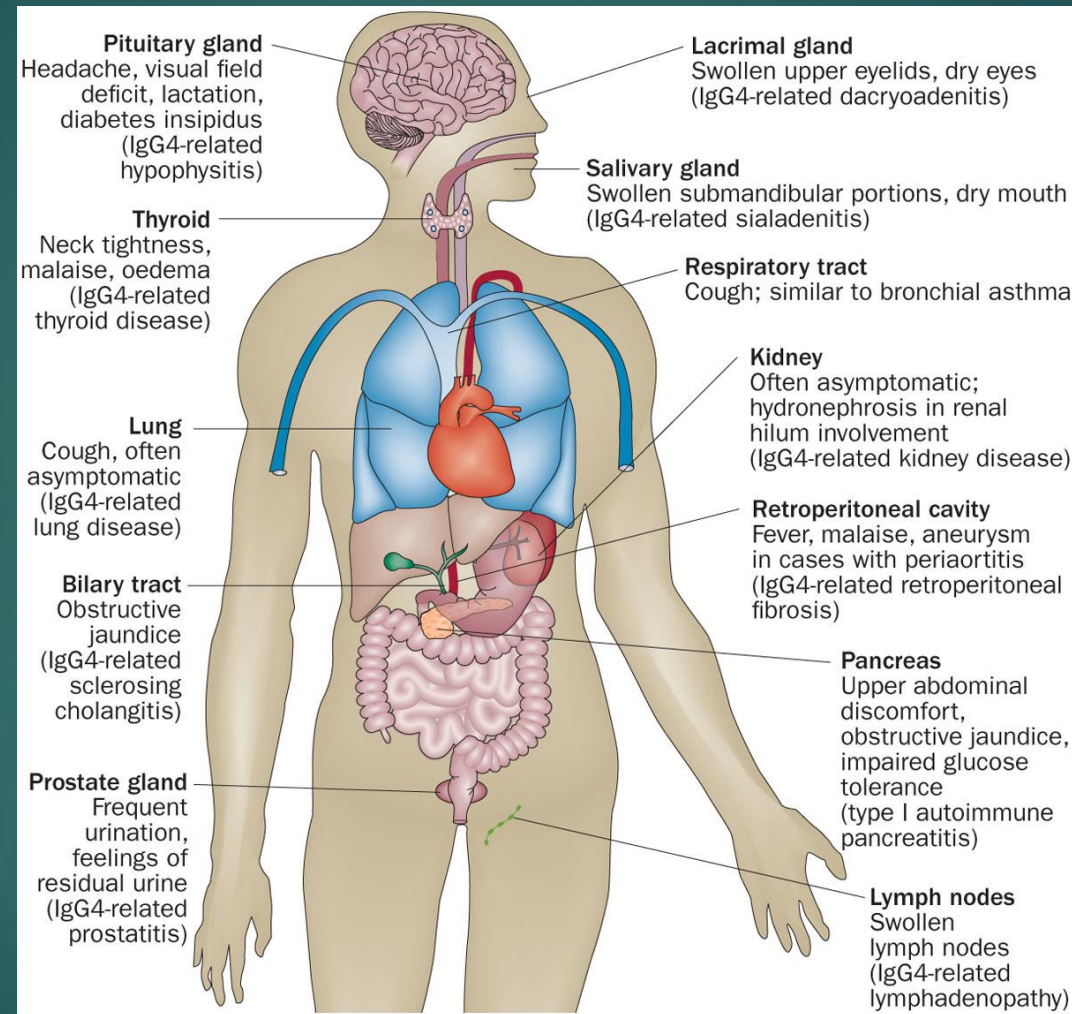
Fig. 10. Tubulointerstitial nephritis (TIN) secondary to IgG4-RD. **A.** Diffuse lymphoplasmacytic infiltration between the tubuli and glomeruli. Atrophy of the renal tissue and fibrosis are noted (H&E). **B.** TIN with less pronounced fibrosis than in Fig. 10A. IgG4-positivity of numerous plasma cells (IgG4 immunostaining).

Diseases associated with elevated serum IgG4 levels are shown.



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IgG4-related disease (IgG4-RD)

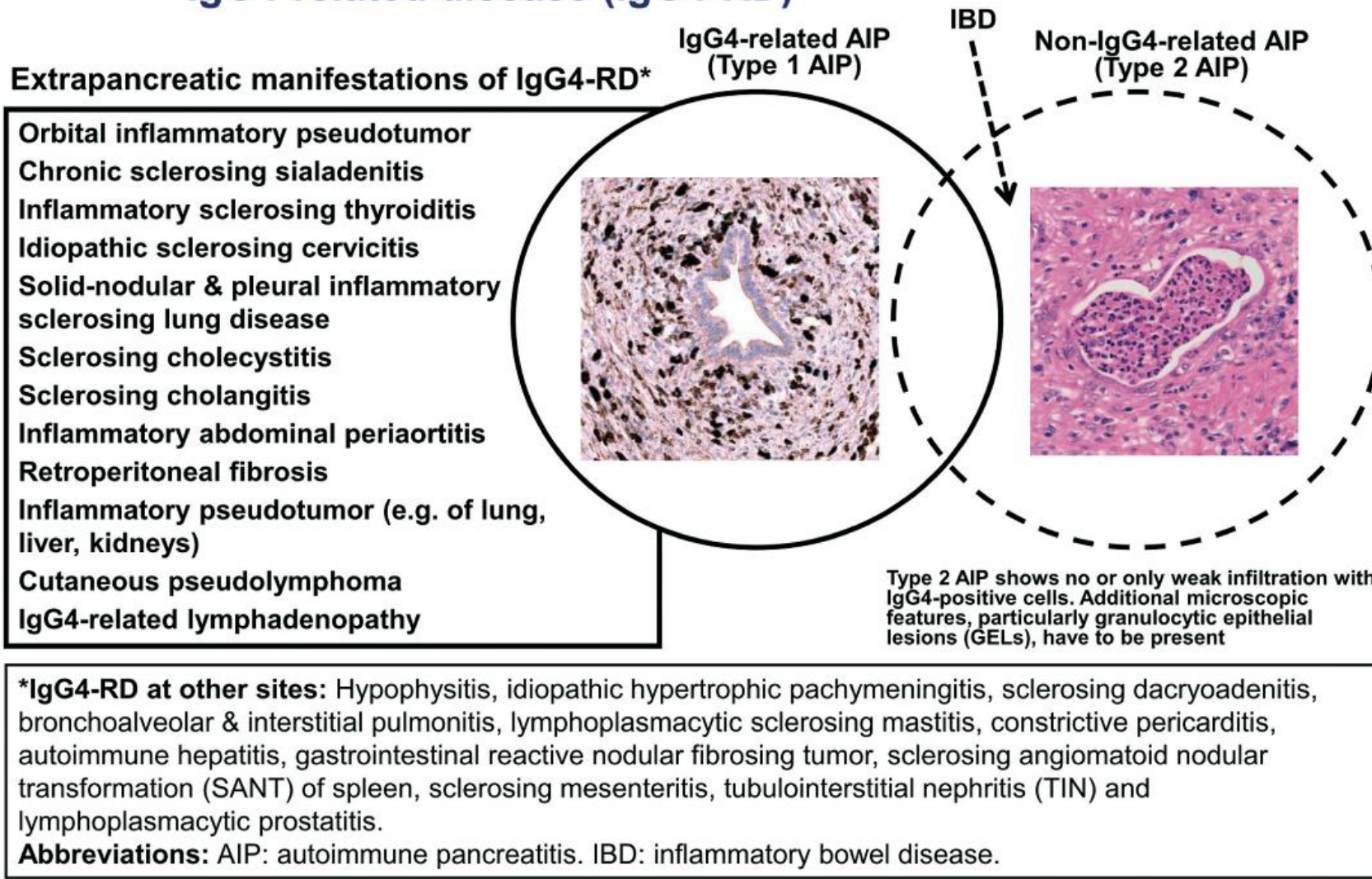


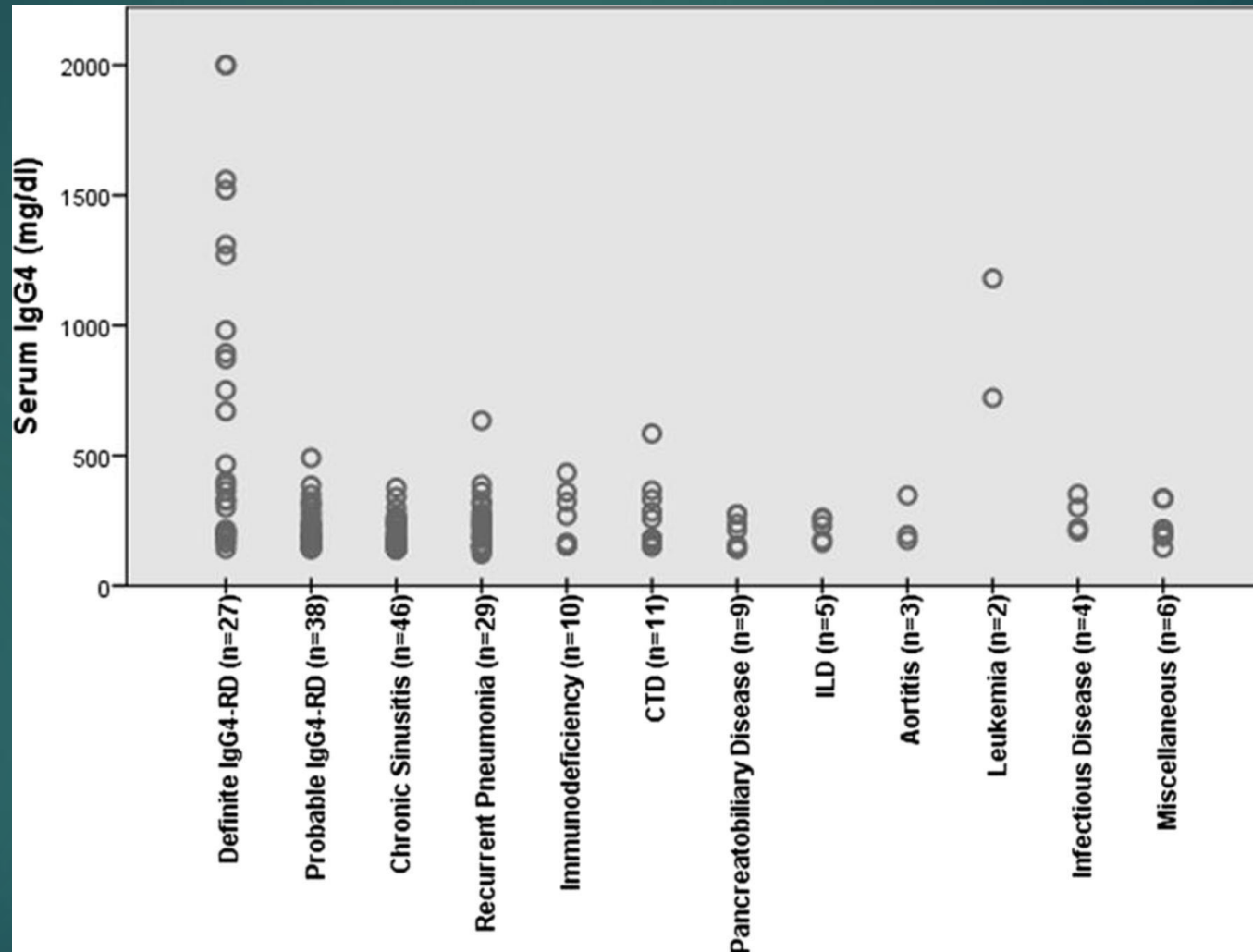
Fig. 1. Schematic illustration of the relationship between the IgG4-related type of autoimmune pancreatitis (AIP), other manifestations of IgG4-related disease (IgG4-RD), and non-IgG4-related AIP.

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Table 1 | Major organ manifestations of IgG4-related disease

Pancreas	Type 1 autoimmune pancreatitis
Salivary glands	Sialadenitis
Eye/orbit/lacrimal glands	Orbital inflammation/pseudotumor and dacryoadenitis
Aorta/artery/retroperitoneum	Periaortitis/periarteritis and retroperitoneal fibrosis
periaortitis	
Kidney	Tubulointerstitial nephritis and pyelitis
Lymph nodes	Lymphadenopathy
Lung	Lung disease (inflammatory pseudotumor, alveolar interstitial disease, and pleuritis)
Biliary system	Sclerosing cholangitis and cholecystitis
Liver	Pseudotumor and hepatopathy
Central/peripheral nervous system	Pachymeningitis and infraorbital nerve swelling
Endocrine system	Hypophysitis and thyroiditis
Others	Prostatitis, mastitis, mediastinitis, and pericarditis skin (nodules and papules)

Table 2 | Diagnostic criteria for IgG4-TIN proposed by Raissian *et al.*¹⁰

Histology	Plasma cell-rich TIN with >10 IgG4+ plasma cells/HPF field in the most concentrated field ^a TBM immune complex deposits by immunofluorescence, immunohistochemistry, and/or electron microscopy ^b
Imaging	Small peripheral low-attenuation cortical nodules, round or wedge-shaped lesions, or diffuse patchy involvement
Serology	Elevated serum IgG4 or total IgG level
Other organ involvement	Characteristic findings of IgG4-RD in other organs

IgG4-nefropatia diagnostinen algoritmi

