Posttraumatic Anosmia Secondary to Cranial Base Contusion

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Head trauma is a common cause of anosmia; however, the diagnosis is typically late, owing to greater attention being given to the more life-threatening sequelae of the injury. Studies have cited olfactory dysfunction as occurring in approximately 30% of all head traumas [1]. A 19-year-old woman presented with olfactory disturbance after suffering a cranial base fract ...

A Painful Case of Debilitating Cutaneous Psoriasis

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Psoriasis is an immune mediated, chronic inflammatory, incurable condition of the skin that affects 2-3% of the population globally. It is associated with red, thick, scaly lesions [1], is more common in patients on higher latitudes, in Caucasians and may manifest itself with an underlying arthropathy. Psoriasis has a spectrum of presentations ranging from localized, ...

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Extensive Pericardial Calcification in Constrictive Pericarditis

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Severe calcification of the pericardium with thickness measuring up to an impressive 1.2 cm leading to bi-atrial enlargement. The inter-ventricular septum is also straightened. All these findings are highly suggestive of constrictive pericarditis on the CT scan image shown above. ...

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Isolated Right Testicular PAN (Polyarthritis Nodosa) presenting as Right Testicular Pain

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Patient is a 30 year old male with no significant past medical history who repeatedly sought medical attention for debilitating right testicular pain. Initially he was symptomatically treated with non-steroidal anti-inflammatory medications for presumptive diagnosis of testicular trauma. A few months later he went to different emergency department and was treated with ...

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Incidental Finding of Mesothelioma after a Motor Vehicle Accident
The blue arrows point to the pleural calcification seen in this patient with asbestos exposure. Patient is a 76 year old male who suffered from severe asbestos exposure while working for the plumbing industry. He presented to the emergency department after a motor vehicle accident and on workup was incidentally found to have bilateral pleural effusions and calcification.

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Bilateral Congenital Colobomas leading to blindness in this middle aged female.