

#### **CMHD Pathology Core**

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# **CMHD Pathology Report**

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Mouse Portal Europhenome

CMHD LabID: N11-379

#### **Relevant History:**

Smyd homozygous mutant

# AnimalID: Moo168816 smyd3 hom

# **Histopathology Findings:**

liver (MA:0000358)

## **Histopath Description:**

The overall hepatic lobular architecture is normal. Diffusely, hepatocytes contain intracytoplasmic clear vacuoles (lipid). The lipid vacuoles within the midzonal and periacinar regions are small (2-3 um in diameter) and surround a central nucleus (interpreted as microvesicular lipid). The lipid vacuoles within the portal areas are large (8-12 um in diameter) and displace the nucleus to the margin (macrovesicular lipid).

## **Morphological Diagnosis:**

Distribution: Diffuse; Severity: moderate; MPATH Diagnosis: lipid deposition MPATH:42

## **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Hepatic lipidosis

## **Histopathology Comments:**

Hepatocellular vacuolar change of variable degree suggestive of lipidosis is present in all mice from WTSI, consistent with high lipid diet.

## retina (MA:0000276)

#### **Histopath Description:**

There are clusters of external nuclear structures within the layer of rods and cons.

## **Morphological Diagnosis:**

**Distribution:** Focal; **Severity:** mild; **MPATH Diagnosis:** developmental and structural abnormality MPATH:55

## **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Retinal dysplasia

## AnimalID: Moo168820 smyd3 hom

## **Histopathology Findings:**

liver (MA:0000358)

#### **Histopath Description:**

The overall hepatic lobular architecture is normal. Diffusely, hepatocytes contain intracytoplasmic clear vacuoles (lipid). The lipid vacuoles within the midzonal and periacinar regions are small (2-3 um in diameter) and surround a central nucleus (interpreted as microvesicular lipid). The lipid vacuoles within the portal areas are large (8-12 um in diameter) and displace the nucleus to the margin (macrovesicular lipid).

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Distribution: Diffuse; Severity: moderate; MPATH Diagnosis: lipid deposition MPATH:42

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Hepatic lipidosis

## **Histopathology Comments:**

Hepatocellular vacuolar change of variable degree suggestive of lipidosis is present in all mice from WTSI, consistent with high lipid diet.

## brown fat (MA:0000057)

## **Histopath Description:**

There is a focally extensive non suppurative inflammation of the brown fat. There is accompanying brown fat hyperplasia.

## **Morphological Diagnosis:**

Distribution: Focal; Severity: mild; MPATH Diagnosis: inflammation MPATH:212

#### **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Mildnon-suppurative steatitis with brown fat hyperplasia

## **Histopathology Comments:**

The lesion is likely an extension of an overlying dermatitis and inflammation of the subcutaneous fat (paniculits)

#### AnimalID: Moo168821 smyd3 hom

## **Histopathology Findings:**

## liver (MA:0000358)

## **Histopath Description:**

The overall hepatic lobular architecture is normal. Approximately 50% of hepatocytes within the portal and midzone region contain large (8-12 um in diameter) intracytoplasmic clear vacuoles (macrovesicular lipid).

## Morphological Diagnosis:

Distribution: Multifocal; Severity: mild; MPATH Diagnosis: lipid deposition MPATH:42

#### **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Hepatic lipidosis

## **Histopathology Comments:**

Hepatocellular vacuolar change of variable degree suggestive of lipidosis is present in all mice from WTSI, consistent with high lipid diet. The changes in this mouse are less severe.

## lymph (MA:0002520)

## **Histopath Description:**

Lymph nodes appear depleted with reduced size of nodules and poor delineation of B & T cell zones.

## **Morphological Diagnosis:**

Distribution: Diffuse; Severity: moderate; MPATH Diagnosis: hypoplasia MPATH:133

#### **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Lymphoid hypoplasia

#### AnimalID: Moo168866 smyd3 hom

## **Histopathology Findings:**

## liver (MA:0000358)

## **Histopath Description:**

The overall hepatic lobular architecture is normal. Diffusely, hepatocytes contain intracytoplasmic clear vacuoles (lipid). The lipid vacuoles within the midzonal and periacinar regions are small (2-3 um in diameter) and surround a central nucleus (interpreted as microvesicular lipid). The lipid vacuoles within the portal areas are large (8-12 um in diameter) and displace the nucleus to the margin (macrovesicular lipid).

## **Morphological Diagnosis:**

Distribution: Diffuse; Severity: moderate; MPATH Diagnosis: lipid deposition MPATH:42

## **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Hepatic lipidosis

## **Histopathology Comments:**

Hepatocellular vacuolar change of variable degree suggestive of lipidosis is present in all mice from WTSI, consistent with high lipid diet.

## stomach (MA:0000353)

## **Histopath Description:**

There are moderate numbers of neutrophils and a few plasma cells within the deep lamina propria and submucosa.

## **Morphological Diagnosis:**

**Duration:** Chronic-active; **Distribution:** Multifocal; **Severity:** mild; **MPATH Diagnosis:** inflammation MPATH:212

## **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Gastritis, suppurative

## **Histopathology Comments:**

This lesion is most commonly associated with Helicobacter infection. Further investigation is suggested using histochemistry (Silver stain) or colony fecal PCR.

## **Report Summary and Recommendation:**

Incidental and lesions attributable to background strain are noted in this line.