

## **CMHD Pathology Core**

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# **CMHD Pathology Report**

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## **Mouse Genetics Project**

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**CMHD LabID: N13-1263** 

#### **Relevant History:**

Phenotype:

None (no hit)

AnimalID: M01352845 (Male) Histopathology Findings:

sternum (MA:0001331)

## **Histopath Description:**

There is a full thickness fissure at the 4th intersternebral joint

#### **Morphological Diagnosis:**

**Distribution:** transmural; **Severity:** moderate; **MPATH Process Term:** degenerative change MPATH:14

#### **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Transmural fissure (early joint dislocation/subluxation)

#### **Histopathology Comments:**

The cause of this lesion is not certain, but traumatic cause is suspected.

#### eye (MA:0000261)

## **Histopath Description:**

A 100 stalk of fibrous connective tissue containing a small artery in the center extends from the area of the optic disc towards the posterior vitreous. A small fragment of fibrous tissue is freely present within the vitreous anterior to this stalk (assumed to be extension of the stalk).

## **Morphological Diagnosis:**

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#### **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Persistent hyaloid artery

## **Histopathology Comments:**

hyaloid artery remnant is a rare condition in which there remain some parts of the hyaloid artery. The posterior hyaloid vascular system of mice usually undergoes involution in the first month of life (Richard et al., 2000).

## Organ/Tissue Analyzed:

Histopathology examination included the following organs and tissues: brain, trigeminal ganglion, eyes, salivary glands, trachea, lungs, heart, thymus, thyroid gland, parathyroid gland, exocrine and endocrine pancreas, oesophagus, stomach, small intestine, large intestine, liver, gall bladder, spleen, kidneys, adrenal gland, lymph nodes, spinal cord, bone marrow, sternum, femur and tibia with associated skeletal muscles, brown fat, pinna, skin, testis, epididymis, seminal vesicle, and prostate.

#### **Histopathology Findings:**

#### skin (MA:0000151)

#### **Histopath Description:**

There is a focal cystic dilation of a hair follicle

#### **Morphological Diagnosis:**

Distribution: focal; Severity: severe; MPATH Diagnosis: cyst MPATH:62; MPATH Process

Term: degenerative change MPATH:14

# **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Hair follicular cyst

## **Histopathology Comments:**

Incidental

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#### AnimalID: M01352848 (Female)

#### Organ/Tissue Analyzed:

Histopathology examination included the following organs and tissues: brain, trigeminal ganglion, eyes, salivary glands, trachea, lungs, heart, thymus, thyroid gland, parathyroid gland, exocrine and endocrine pancreas, oesophagus, stomach, small intestine, large intestine, liver, gall bladder, spleen, kidneys, adrenal gland, lymph nodes, spinal cord, bone marrow, sternum, femur and tibia with associated skeletal muscles, brown fat, pinna, skin, uterus, oviduct, and ovary, and mammary gland.

## AnimalID: M01352851 (Female)

## **Histopathology Findings:**

## mesenteric lymph node (MA:0002829)

#### **Histopath Description:**

The mesenteric lymph node is markedly enlarged (greater than four-fold). The medulla is expanded by chords and sheets of lymphocytes. There are multiple germina centers.

# **Morphological Diagnosis:**

**Distribution:** Diffuse; **Severity:** moderate; **MPATH Diagnosis:** hyperplasia MPATH:134; **MPATH Process Term:** hyperplasia MPATH:134

#### **Definitive Diagnosis:**

Lymphoid hyperplasia with medullary plasmacytosis.

## **Histopathology Comments:**

The changes in the mesenteric lymph node are suggestive of draining of a regional inflammatory process. However, such a process was not observed in the tissues examined.

#### Organ/Tissue Analyzed:

salivary glands, trachea, lungs, heart, thymus, thyroid gland, parathyroid gland, exocrine and endocrine pancreas, oesophagus, stomach, small intestine, large intestine, liver, gall bladder, spleen, kidneys, adrenal gland, lymph nodes, spinal cord, bone marrow, sternum, femur and tibia with associated skeletal muscles, brown fat, pinna, skin, uterus, oviduct, and ovary, and mammary gland.

# **Report Summary and Recommendation:**

Lesions in this line are incidental or attributable to strain background.

Line summary: none