# **Pathology Practical**

## 1-Lobar pneumonia

- Clinicalscenario: chest pain, dyspnea, fever, productive cough and may have hemoptysis
- Community acquired pneumonia: pneumococci(Streptococcus pneumoniae)
- Hospitalacquired pneumonia: Pseudomonas or Gram -
  - Pathogenesis stages: 1-Congestion 2-Red hepatization3-Gray hepatization4-Resolution

## 2- Bronchopneumonia

Differences between lobarpneumonia and bronchopneumonia:

- Lobar pneumonia: Lobar.
- Bronchopneumonia:Patchy, on histopathology there is necrosis of the wall of the bronchi

## 3- Tuberculosis

- Clinical scenario: weightloss, loss of appetite, cough for the last 2 months, hemoptysis
- Simpletest:Mantoux test
- Diagnosis: sputum or biopsy
- Stain: Acid-Fast-BaciliZiehl-neelsen stain

## 4-Emphysena

Clinical scenario: smoker, prolonged sever cough, barrel chest, lean forward

#### Types:

- 1. Centriacinar: (only the respiratory bronchiole is dilated
- 2. Panacinar (respiratory bronchiole, alveolar duct, alveolar sacs and alveoli) associated with α1 antitrypsin
- 3. Paraseptal (peripheral) emphysema: the distal part and mostly in the peripheral part of lungs then in sub- pleural areas
- 4. Irregular emphysema: it affects various places

#### 5-Bronchiectasis

- Clinical scenario: smoker, prolonged sever cough, associated with congenital disorders
- Causes: congenital and hereditary conditions like cystic fibrosis, immunodeficiency states, Kartagener syndrome, Post infectious, bronchial obstruction
- Complications: Corpulmonale, Metastatic brain absces, Amyloidosis, Pulmonary hypertension

## 6- Pulmonary embolus and infarction

 Clinical scenario: predisposing factors, sudden dyspnea, Sudden DEATH

#### Some Theoretical Points Mentioned in the OSPE revision

## **Tumors**

#### Types:

- Non-cell Carcinoma
  - 1. Squamouscell carcinoma
  - 2. Adenocarcinoma
  - 3. Largecell carcinoma
- Small cell carcinoma

#### Systematic effects of lung cancer

#### (Para-Neoplastic Syndromes)~ 5%

- 1. ADH (hyponatremia) "Oat cell carcinoma"
- 2. ACTH (Cushing)"Oat cell carcinoma"
- 3. PTH (Hyper-CA)
- 4. CALCITONIN (Hypo-CA)
- 5. GONADOTROPINS
- 6. SEROTONIN/BRADYKININ

## 10- Metastatic Tumor

- Metastatic carcinoma usually causes multiple lung nodules while primary tumors usually consist of a single hilar or peripheral mass.
- Patients with metastatic carcinoma usually give a history of previous organ resection for carcinoma.
- Lung is the most common affected organ

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