# BENIGN BREAST DISEASE 453 COURSE DR AMAL ABDULKAREEM

# THE COMMON SYMPTOMS

- •1- breast pain is the commonest complain
- •2- breast mass
- •3- nipple discharge
- •4- abnormal appearance not commonly seen in benign breast disease

### FIBROCYSTIC CHANGES

- •it is common benign breast condition
- Age group –common in age 30—45 years
- •The main complain is cyclic pain. Can present with mass or nipple discharge
- Clinical exam nodular breast
- Diagnosis ultrasound –multiple small cyst
- mammogram if age more than 40 to exclude malignant feature

### TREATMENT OF FIBROCYSTIC CHANGES

- •1- assure patient that there is no pathology
- •2- control pain by simple non steroidal anti inflammatory drugs
- •3-exercises to activate pectoral muscle to enhance fluid filtration by lymphatic
- •4- to use good supportive bra
- $^{ullet}$ 5-trial of vitamin E , prime rose oil capsule for at lest 1/12
- •6- danazol (anti estrogen ) tablet but is not commonly used

### **BREAST CYST**

- Commonly presented as pain and mass
- Affect age group30- 40 years and above
- clinical exam mass of variable size tender
- \*Ultrasound is diagnostic. The cyst can be simple or complicated
- •Simple cyst can be aspirated once ,twice . In the third time have to be excised
- Complicated cyst is a cyst with solid component

### COMPLICATED CYST

- •Ultrasound is diagnostic but mammogram have to be done for age above 40 to rule out malignancy
- Complicated cyst have to be biopsied –ultrasound guided true cut biopsy
- The management depend on the pathology result
- •Sever, florid hyperplasia and a atypia —have to be excised

### FIBROADENOMA

- •Commonly present clinically as mobile mass. it may be associated with pain
- •It can be single mass or multiple of variable size
- No risk of malignant transformation
- Affect young age group from puberty to late 20
- •Ultrasound can diagnose fibroadenoma but can not differentiate it from phyllodes

## INDICATION FOR SURGERY

50% of fibroadenoma disappear by it self. The rest either stay the same or become smaller or become bigger.

- 1- size more than 4 cm can be remove surgically
- 2- painful fibroadenoma
- 3- unclear pathology report eg hypercellular ,phyllodes variant
- 4- unusual age eg 40 or 50 years
- 5- family history of malignancy -just to relive patient anxiety
- 6- rapidly growing fibroadenoma

# Phyllodes Tumor

- •It is a variation of fibroadenoma with more fibrous tissue component
- •It affect age group 30 years and above
- About 1% of cases can be malignant
- Also 1% can recurred if not completely excised
- Diagnosis is by ultrasound and ultrasound guided true cut biopsy

### Phyllodes

- the risk of malignancy increase with increase in size
- Treatment is complete surgical excision
- •For malignant phyllodes(sarcoma) —surgical excision with 1 cm free margin with post operative Radiation therapy

### Ductectasia

- •It is dilatation of lactiferous duct.
- Clinical presentation -bilateral spontaneous nipple discharge of variable color
- Can be blood serous thick yellow or greenish discharge
- •Diagnosis breast ultrasound there will be dilatation of ducts

### Ductectasia

- Patients can be assured that she did not need treatment
- Patients late 30 years and above should have mammogram to rule out underlying malignancy
- Patient with ductectasia is at higher risk of having breast infection
  Periductal mastitis and Periductal abscess
- •The causative organism is mix eg gram + gram ,anaerobe and Bacteroid

## NON LACTATING ABSCESS AND MASTITIS

- Treatment is by be broad spectrum antibiotic iv
- •If patient developed Periductal abscess it is usually small in the nipple areola complex
- •I&D is the treatment

### LACTATING MASTITIS AND ABSCESS

- Clinical presentation fever, pain, breast swelling and tenderness
- Mastitis is bacterial infection of breast tissue
- Staphylococcus aureus is the causative organism
- Source form the mouth of baby in he presence of crack in the nipple
- Treatment is by IV flucloxacillin

### LACTATING ABSCESS

- clinically- sever breast pain ,fever and tender mass
- Treatment is by I&D
- •Antibiotics is to be used if it is associated with cellulites or systemic manifestation fever or leukocytosis
- Mother can lactate her baby

## INTRADUCT PAPILLOMA

- Clinical presentation bloody nipple discharge
- Examination blood discharge unilateral from single duct opening
  .no mass
- •Investigation ultrasound and mammogram if age above 40 to rule out malignancy
- •Treatment observation if symptom persist surgery is indicated (microduchectomy) excision of affected duct

## INTRADUCTAL PAPILLOMA

- Slow-growing
- Overgrowth of ductal epithelial tissue
- Usually not palpable
- Most common cause of bloody nipple discharge
- 40-50 years of age

### Galactocele

- •It is milk containing cyst –affect lactating mother
- Clinical presentation mild breast pain with mass during lactation
- No associated fever or tenderness which differentiated it from breast abscess
- Diagnosis by ultrasound
- Treatment –aspiration under full aseptic technique

### FAT NECROSIS

- Clinical presentation mass appears post trauma 3-4 month
- Exam non tender ill-defined boarder
- •Investigation ultrasound and mammogram can not rule out malignancy
- •Ultrasound guided true cut biopsy is diagnostic
- Treatment -assure patient it will resolve with time

# COMMON BENIGN BREAST DISORDERS

- Fibroadenoma
- Fibrocystic changes
- Intraductal papilloma
- Mammary duct ectasia
- Mastitis
- Fat necrosis
- Phylloides tumor
- Male gynecomastia

# BENIGN BREAST DISEASE

• Breast cyst can be 1-simble

2- complicated

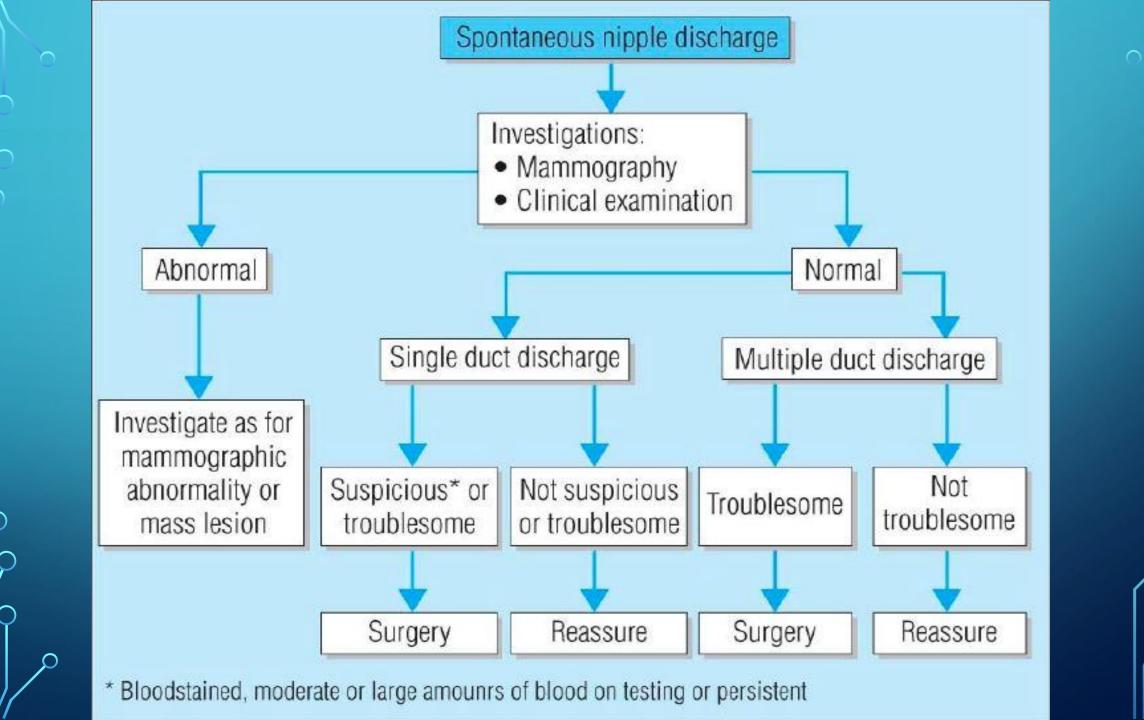
• Breast adenoma

• Lipoma

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• GALACTOCEAL

Sebaceous cyst



BI-RADS Classification	Features
0	Need additional imaging
1	Negative – routine in 1 year
2	Benign finding – routine in 1 year
3	Probably benign – 6 month follow-up
4	Suspicious abnormality – biopsy recommended
5	Highly suggestive of malignancy – appropriate action must be taken

Benign	Malignant
Pure hyperechoic	Hypoechoic, spiculated
Elliptical shape (wider than tall)	Taller than wide
Lobulated	Duct extension
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# SURGERY

### Surgery for breast cancer:

- Lumpectomy
- Mastectomy

### Lymph node surgery:

- Sentinel node biopsy
- Axillary lymph node dissection

Breast reconstruction surgery

### **GENETICS**

- Early age of onset
- 2 breast primaries or breast & ovarian CA
- Clustering of breast CA with:
  - Male breast CA
  - Thyroid CA
  - Sarcoma
  - Adrenocortical CA
  - Pancreatic CA
  - Leukemia/Lymphoma on same side of family
- Family member with BRCA gene
- Male breast CA