Placenta pathology report survey

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Specimen type; placenta

Disc size; cm, weight g

Cord length; cm, diameter cm

Cord insertion; central / eccentric / marginal / furcate / velamentous / interpositional

Cord vessels; three

Representative sections embedded.
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Paraffin block key; 1 membrane, 2 cord, 3-4 disc

- 1. Placenta, total, removal;
 - a) Intervillous fibrin deposition.
 - b) Focal necrosis and hemorrhage.
- 2. Umbilical cord; Unremarkable.

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Dx: Placenta, Delivery;

- 1. Mature/immature placenta
- 2. (Two) umbilical arteries and one umbilical vein

3. Findings consistent with amniotic fluid infection

Chorioamniotic maternal response: None

Stage 1 Early:acute subchorionitis/chorionitis

Stage 2 Intermediate: acute chorioamnionitis

Stage 3-A Late: Necrotizing chorioamnionitis

Stage 3-B Late: Subacute chorioamnionitis

Severe: subchorionic microabscesses

• Chorioamniotic fetal response: None

Stage 1 Early: umbilical phlebitis/chorionic vasculitis

Stage 2 Intermediate: umbilical arteritis

Stage 3 Late: concentric umbilical perivasculitis ("necrotizing funisitis")

Severe: intense chorionic vasculitis with recent nonocclusivechorionic vessel thrombi

4. Findings consistent with maternal underperfusion

None

- Villous changes: Remote villous infarct
 Recent villous infarct
 Increased syncytial knots
 Villous agglutination
 Increased intervillous fibrin
 Distal villous hypoplasia
- Vascular lesions: Persistent muscularization of basal plate arteries
 Mural hypertrophy of decidual arterioles
 Acute atherosis of basal plate arteries and/or decidual arterioles

5. Findings consistent with fetal vascular thrombo-occlusive disease

None

• Villous changes:

Early: villous stromal-vascular karyorrhexis

Late: hyalinized avascular villi (Exclusive small foci/Variable size foci)

Severe: fetal thrombotic vasculopathy (average of >15 affected villitis/slide)

- Vascular lesions: Thrombi, large fetal vessels Intimal fibrin cushions, large fetal vessels Fibromuscular sclerosis, intermediate-sized fetal vessels
- Inflammatory: Chronic villitis (VUE) with obliterative fetal vasculopathy Basal, low-grade/high-grade
 Distal, low-grade/high-grade
 Proximal, low-grade/high-grade

6. Chronic inflammatory lesions

- None
- Chronic Chorioamnionitis (Grade 1/2, Stage 1/2)
- Chronic Deciduitis

7. Others

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DIAGNOSIS:

Placenta, (+ /7 gestational weeks), vaginal delivery / cesarean section:

• (First / Second / Third) trimester placenta without specific pathology

- Consistent with amniotic fluid infection: MP0013
 - Chorioamnionitis, maternal response:
 - ☐ Stage 1: acute chorionitis
 - ☐ Stage 2: acute chorioamnionitis
 - ☐ Stage 3: necrotizing chorioamnionitis
 - Chorioamnionitis, fetal response:
 - ☐ Stage 1: (umbilical phlebitis / chorionic vasculitis)
 - ☐ Stage 2: umbilical arteritis
 - ☐ Stage 3: necrotizing funisitis

- Consistent with maternal underperfusion: MF9340
 - Villous changes:
 - □ Villous infarct(s)
 - □ Increased syncytial knots
 - □ Increased intervillous fibrin
 - ☐ Distal villous hypoplasia
 - Vascular lesions:
 - ☐ Persistent muscularization of basal plate arteries
 - ☐ Mural hypertrophy of decidual arterioles
 - ☐ Acute atherosis of basal plate arteries and/or decidual arterioles

- Consistent with fetal vascular thrombo-occlusive disease: MY6410
 - Villous changes:
 - ☐ Early: villous stromal-vascular karyorrhexis
 - □ Late: hyalinized avascular villi
 - ☐ Severe: fetal thrombotic vasculopathy (average of 15 affected villi/slide)
 - Vascular lesions:
 - ☐ Thrombi, large fetal vessels
 - □ Intimal fibrin cushions, large fetal vessels
 - ☐ Fibromuscular sclerosis, intermediate-sized fetal vessels

- Chronic placental inflammation (antifetal rejection): MP0003
 - ☐ Chronic nonspecific villitis: (basal / non-basal)
 - ☐ Chronic chorioamnionitis: (diffuse / non-diffuse)
 - ☐ Chronic deciduitis: (with / without) plasma cells

GROSS:

- 1. Specimen status: Fresh / Formalin fixed
- 2. Procedure: Vaginal delivery / Cesarean delivery
- 3. Measurement: Umbilical cord: cm in length and cm in diameter (centrally / eccentrically / marginally / membranously inserted) Placental disc: x x cm, grams (trimmed weight)
- 4. Abnormalities: None / _
- 5. Profile: 1) Chorioamniotic membranes:
 - Incomplete / Complete
 - Clear / stained (color:) / opaque 2) Parenchyma (placental disc):
 - Red / Pale / Plethoric
 - Infarcts _ % Central / Peripheral
 - Abruption _ %
 - Other lesions
- 6. Photo (x_)
- 7. Slide keys: 5 cassettes (representative) 1,2, umbilical cord and chorioamniotic membranes; 3-5, placental disc.

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- No formal pathology report form
- Usually check the chorioamnionitis

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Placenta and umbilical cord, removal;

- Parenchyma:
- Umbilical cord:
- Membrane:

Discussion

- Real world importance of placenta pathology report
- Unmet needs