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Microscopic Description (Verified)

Portion of the tissue used for frozen section from the right lateral posterior aspect reveals squamous cell carcinoma extending to a cauterized inked deep surgical margin.

Sections of the tumor reveal a well-differentiated squamous cell carcinoma. The inked margin is positive in the posterior lateral aspect and comes to within less than 1 mm in the anterior medial aspect. The remaining surgical margins are free. The anterior (tongue margin) is the greatest margin measuring 9 mm.

There are two (2) negative right level 2B lymph nodes.

There are 13 negative right level 3 lymph nodes.

There are four (4) out of eight (8) positive right level 2A lymph nodes.

No overt lymphovascular invasion is noted.

Final Diagnosis (Verified)

Right radical tonsillectomy and partial glossectomy with frozen section:

Well-differentiated, infiltrating squamous cell carcinoma of right tonsil.

No overt lymphovascular invasion is noted.

Surgical margin positive in the posterior lateral aspect.

Two (2) negative right level 2B lymph nodes.

Thirteen negative right level 3 lymph nodes.

Four (4) of eight (8) positive right level 2A lymph nodes.

AJCC pathologic stage: T2,N2b.

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Frozen Section Diagnosis (Verified)

Right radical tonsillectomy and partial glossectomy.

Posterior side inked orange and black. Surgeon most concerned with anterior lateral area. *

Specimen sectioned into 4 pieces to grossly examine margins.

Gross: Tumor abuts margins.

FS: Margins positive.

Specimen put into 4 separate bottles

Clinical Information (Verified)

Squamous cell carcinoma of right tonsil.

Gross Description (Verified)

NOTE: THIS CASE IS TO GO TO DR.

"A, Right radical tonsillectomy and partial glossectomy." Received after frozen section is a 5.2 x 4.5 x 3.6 cm tonsil with attached portion of tongue. The specimen has an overall measurement of 5.2 x 4.5 x 3.6 cm. There are sutures attached to the specimen, which are designated as long lateral and short superior. The lateral half of the specimen has been previously inked black, and the medial half of the specimen has been previously inked orange. The specimen has been previously sectioned to reveal a 3.9 x 2.8 cm white-tan, firm mass. A portion of the specimen has been submitted for frozen section in cassette "FSA." "A1," tumor to include tongue and lateral margin; "A2," tumor to include anterior lateral margin; "A3," tumor to include posterior lateral margin; "A4," section of mass to include posterior lateral margin; "A5," section of mass to include posterior medial margin; "A6," section of mass to include posterior medial margin; "A7," section of mass to include anterior medial margin; "A8," section of the mass to include anterior medial margin and tongue.

"B, Right level 2B." Received is a 2.7 x 1.8 x 0.8 cm yellow-tan, lobulated tissue fragment. On sectioning, there are 2 possible lymph nodes, which are 0.5 and 0.9 cm. Both lymph nodes will be sampled. "B," representative.

"C, Right level 3." Received are 3 yellow-tan, lobulated tissue fragments ranging from 1.4 to 6.2 cm. On sectioning, there are 13 possible lymph nodes ranging from 0.5 to 1.1 cm. All lymph nodes will be sampled. "C1-C3," representative.

"D, Right level 2A." Received is a 5.2 x 3.7 x 1.1 cm yellow-tan to tan, moderately firm tissue fragment. On sectioning, there are 9 possible lymph nodes ranging from 0.5 to 2.4 cm. All the lymph nodes will be sampled. "D1-D3," representative.

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Received is a container with the patient's demographics labeled [REDACTED]." The container has one yellow cassette labeled [REDACTED]

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