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CME on Radiologic and Neuroradiologic Findings in the Mucopolysaccharidoses

CME Article number 2: Ralph Lachman, Elisa Leão Teles, Sérgio Castro, Margarida Ayres Basto, Alexandra Adams and Kenneth Martin

Questions

- 1) All MPS diseases can demonstrate severe skeletal abnormalities and joint disease except:
 - a) MPS I (Hurler)
 - b) MPS II (Hunter)
 - c) MPS III (Sanfilippo)
 - d) MPS IV (Morquio)
 - e) MPS VI (Maroteaux Lamy)
- 2) Definitive Diagnosis of MPS disease is made by:
 - a) Genetic skeletal x-rays
 - b) MRI of the brain and spine
 - c) Quantitative urine glycosaminoglycan measurement (GAG)
 - d) Characterization of urine GAG species by gel chromatography
 - e) Quantitative measurement of specific lysosomal enzyme in blood, leukocytes or skin biopsy fibroblasts
 - f) Mutation analysis
- 3) The skeletal finding of dysostosis multiplex should be used to diagnose specific MPS subtypes
 - a) True
 - b) False
- 4) Dyostosis multiplex includes the following radiologic characteristics:
 - a) J shaped sella
 - b) Paddle shaped ribs
 - c) Superiorly notched vertebrae
 - d) Short thick proximally pointed metacarpals
 - e) All of the above
 - f) None of the above
- 5) Spinal cord compression is an important finding in MPS and can lead to:
 - a) Growth failure
 - b) Mental retardation
 - c) Seizures
 - d) Paralysis
- 6) Spinal cord compression is best seen on:
 - a) Spine x rays
 - b) CT on the spine
 - c) MRI of the spine
 - d) None of the above
 - e) All of the above
- 7) Dynamic Flexion Extension Films are used to:
 - a) Identify abnormal vertebral shapes characteristic of dysostosis multiplex
 - b) Determine whether odontoid dysplasia or hypoplasia is present
 - c) Evaluate instability of C1, C2

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8) Dynamic Flexion Extension Films are most often abnormal in:

- a) MPS I
- b) MPS II
- c) MPS III
- d) MPS IV
- e) MPS VI

9) MRI findings on brain should be used to distinguish MPS I, II, and III

- a) True
- b) False

Answers

- 1. C
- 2. E
- 3. B
- 4. E
- 5. D
- 6. C
- 7. C 8. D
- 9. B

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