LENS RELATED GLAUCOMA

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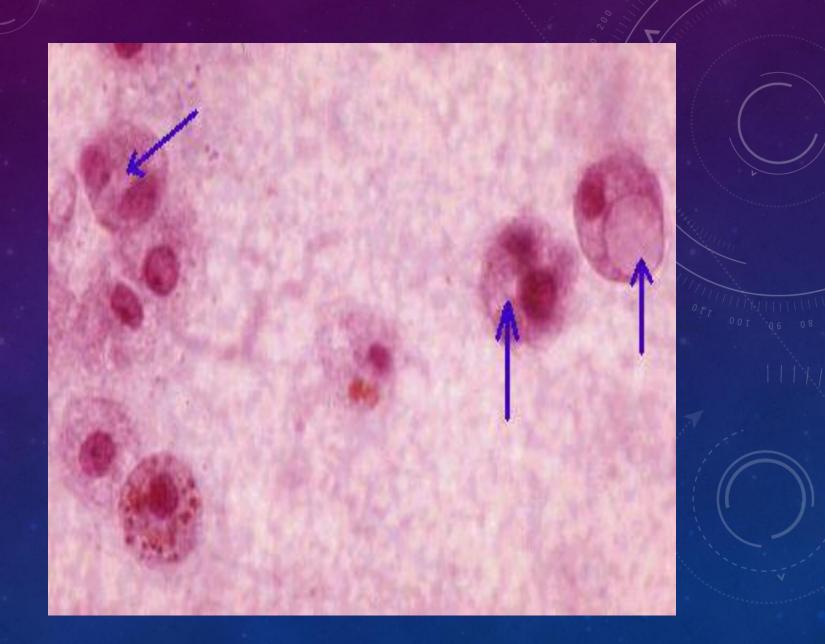
LENS RELATED GLAUCOMA

- Phacolytic glaucoma
- Lens particle glaucoma
- Phacoanaphylaxis glaucoma
- Phacomorphic glaucoma
- IOL related glaucoma

PHACOLYTIC

What does Phacolytic , melanocytic and hemolytic glaucoma have in common ?

MACROPHAGES (Phagocytosis)



PHACOLYTIC



PATHOGENESIS OF PHACOLYTIC GLAUCOMA

- Leakage of lens proteins, more high-molecular weight proteins
- Macrophages to engulf protein
- Obstruction of the TM

PRESENTATION OF PHACOLYTIC GLAUCOMA

- Abrupt onset of pain ,redness,worse vision
- Usually elderly patient with long standing cataract

EXAM High IOP Corneal edema Mature cataract Open angle No KPs Possible hypopyon



TREATMENT FOR PHACOLYTIC GLAUCOMA

- Topical steroid
- Medication for glaucoma
- Prompt cataract surgery

SURGERY FOR PHACOLYTIC GLAUCOMA

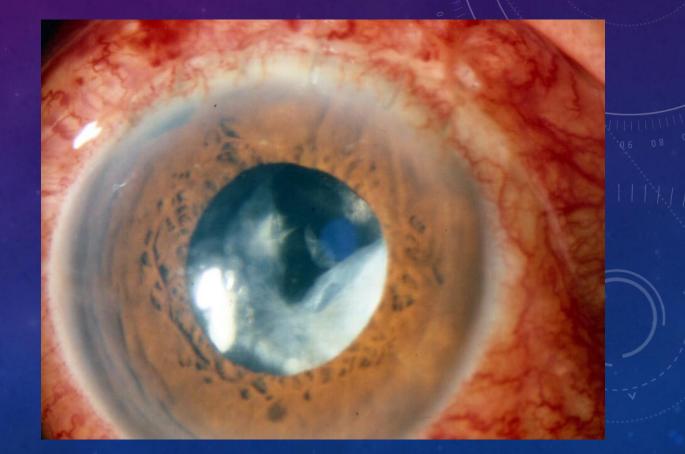
Cataract extraction ?Combined surgery ??

LENS PARTICLE GLAUCOMA

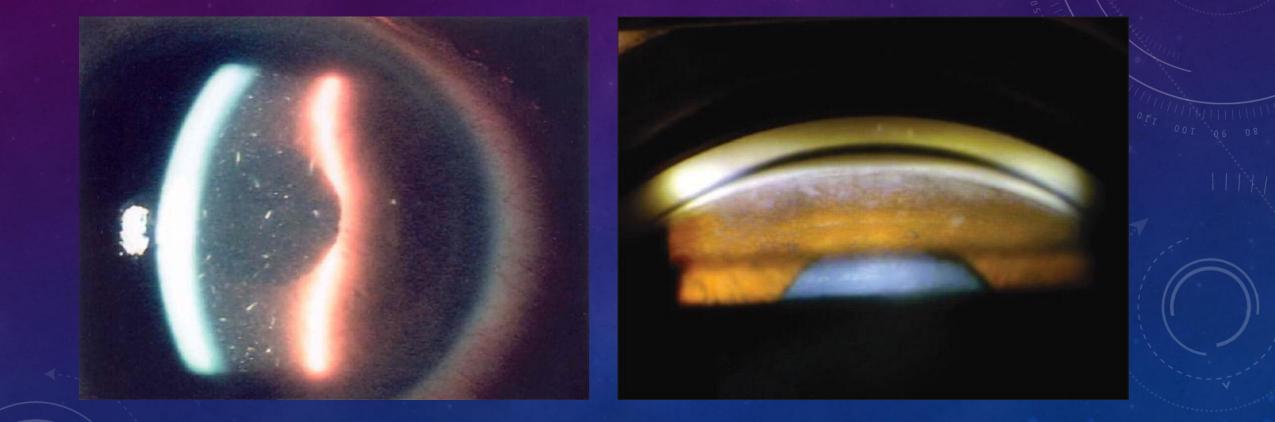
- Penetration of the lens /trauma
- YAG cap ?
- Post –op

LENS PARTICLE GLAUCOMA - PRESENTATION

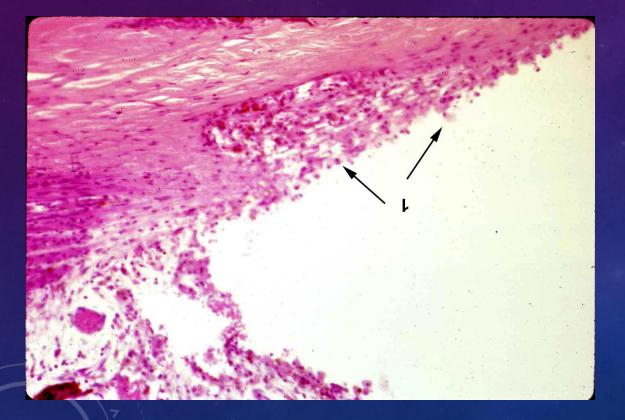
- asymptomatic ?
- Sometimes pain , redness,blurry vision and nausea
- Hx of cataract surgery or trauma.. Remote .?
- Dropped lens fragments

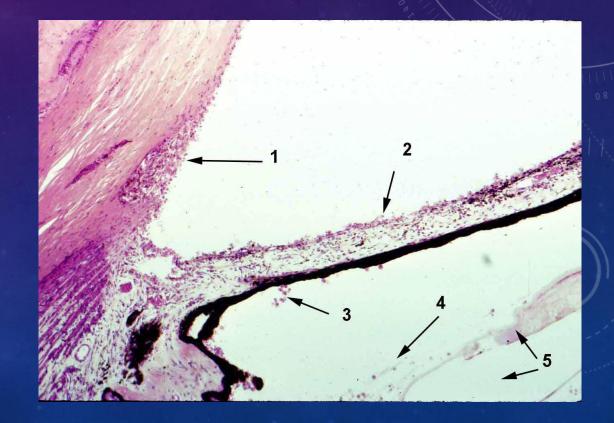


LENS PARTICLE GLAUCOMA – EXAMINATION



LENS PARTICLE GLAUCOMA -PATHOLOGY





Onset of lens particle glaucoma ?

LENS PARTICLE GLAUCOMA TREATMENT

- AC wash out
- Trab
- Vit ant, Post



PHACOANAPHYLAXIS GLAUCOMA

- Very rare and serious
- Zonal granulomatous Rxn
- KP often
- Lost tolerance to lens proteins



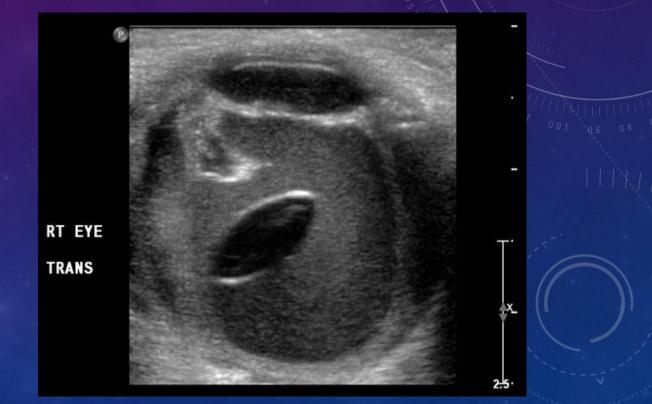
KP

Inflammatory cells Hypersensitivity Rxn



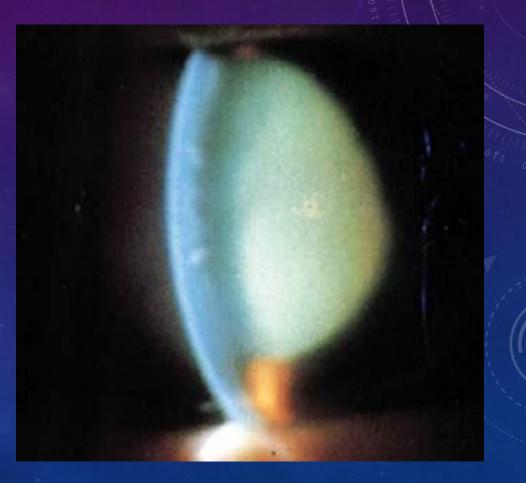
PHACOANAPHYLAXIS PRESENTATION

- A common cause is dropped nucleus
- Often require PPV
- Resembles SO , endophthalmitis , toxic uveitis

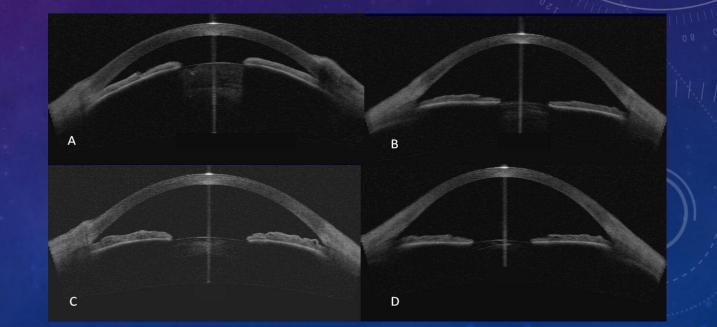


- Patients present with acute angle closure picture as mature cataract suddenly becomes intumescent
- Eyes not prone to angle closure at baseline

• Angle closure picture



• Eyes not prone to angle closure at base line



- Lower IOP as possible
- Treat pupillary block first with LPI
- Cataract extraction (precautions)

CREEPING OR CHRONIC ANGLE CLOSURE GLAUCOMA

- Hyperopic patients
- Progressive shallowing of the AC due to increasing A-P lens diameter
- Not always easy to distinguish from phacomorphic

CHRONIC ANGLE CLOSURE

- Monitor angle as cataract develop
- Avoid PAS and CACG by timely cataract surgery

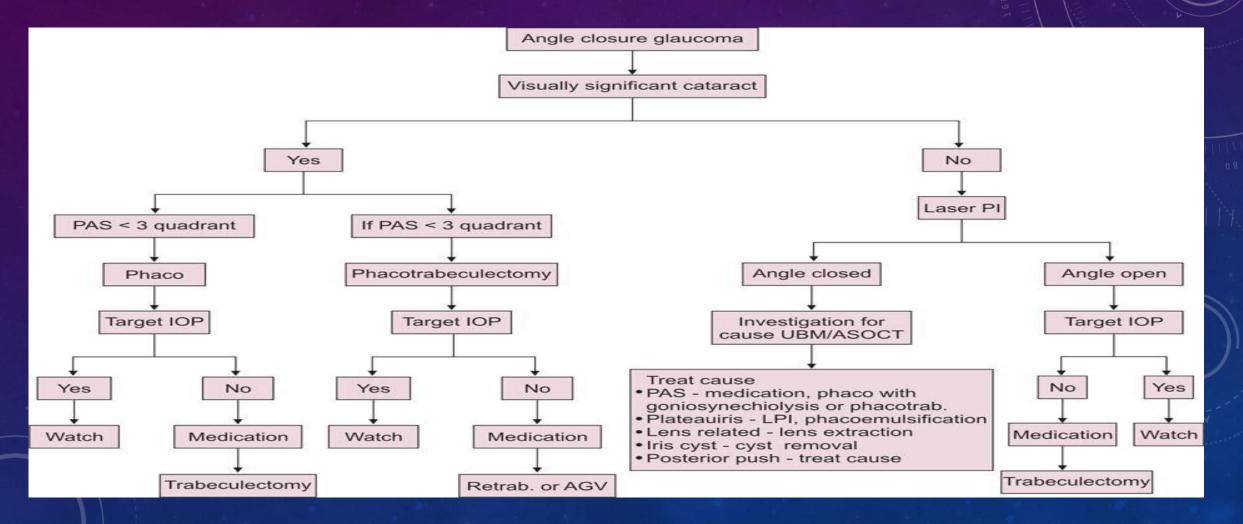


CHRONIC ANGLE CLOSURE GLAUCOMA

- Remember:
- Normal ACD 2.8mm
- Endothelial cell count ?
- Aqueous misdirection ?



CHRONIC ANGLE CLOSURE GLAUCOMA



PUPILLARY BLOCK (SUBLUXED LENS)

- Ectopic lens :
- Familial with long list of etiologies ...Marfan , syphillis ,high myopia , mature cataract ,PXF
- Trauma



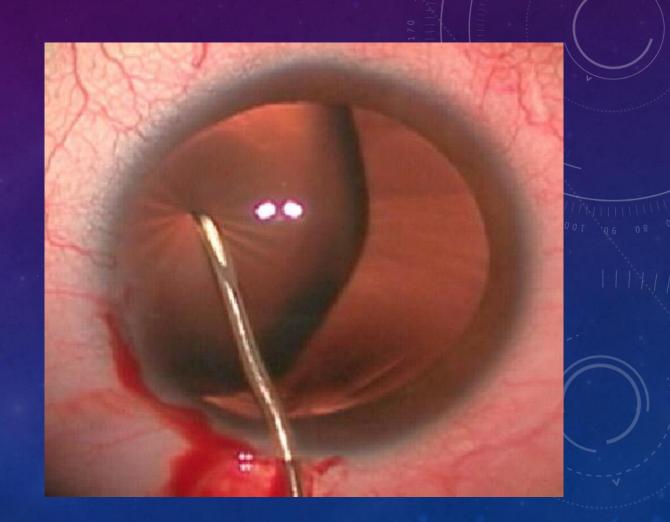
PUPILLARY BLOCK

- Lens can sublux into the AC
- Recurrent attacks can lead to PAS ,disc damage ,corneal injury



PUPILLARY BLOCK

- Rx :
- LPI or surgical PI
- Miotics ?
- Lens extraction

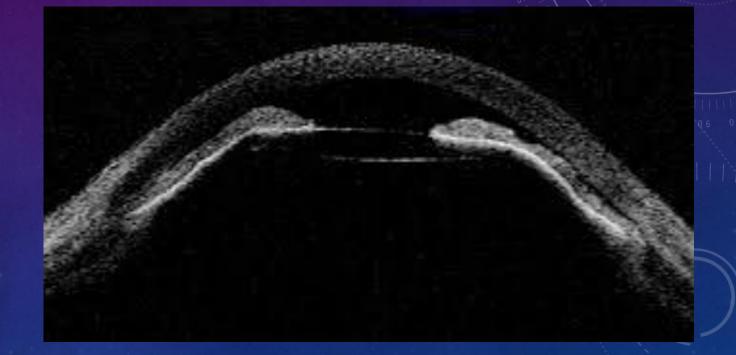


GLAUCOMA RELATED TO IOL

- Pupillary block
- UGH
- PDS

IOL RELATED GLAUCOMA

IOL pupillary block



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• UGH



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Thank you for your attention Saladin Mugharbel MD