COMMON CUTANEOUS MASSES

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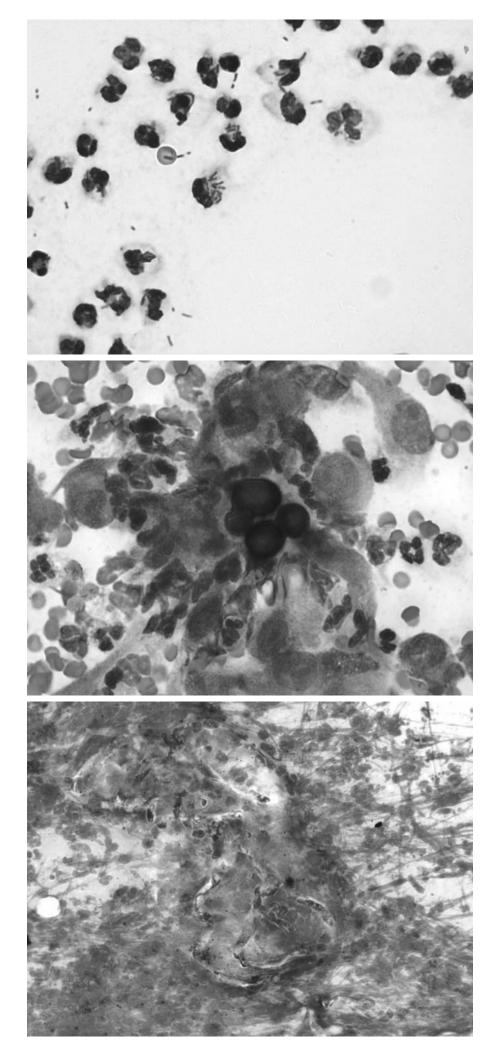
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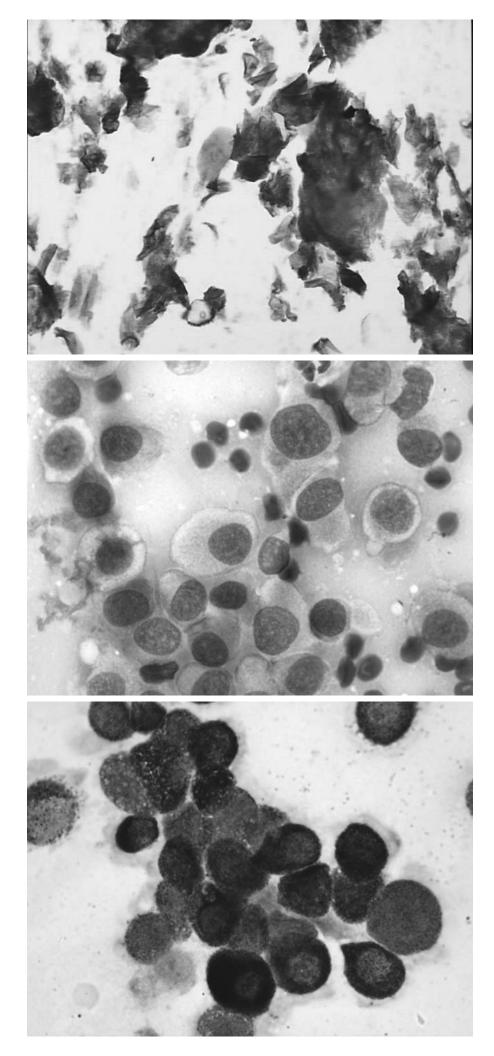
- Lumps and bumps
- Dermal vs.Subcutaneous
 - Impact diagnosis
 - Differential list

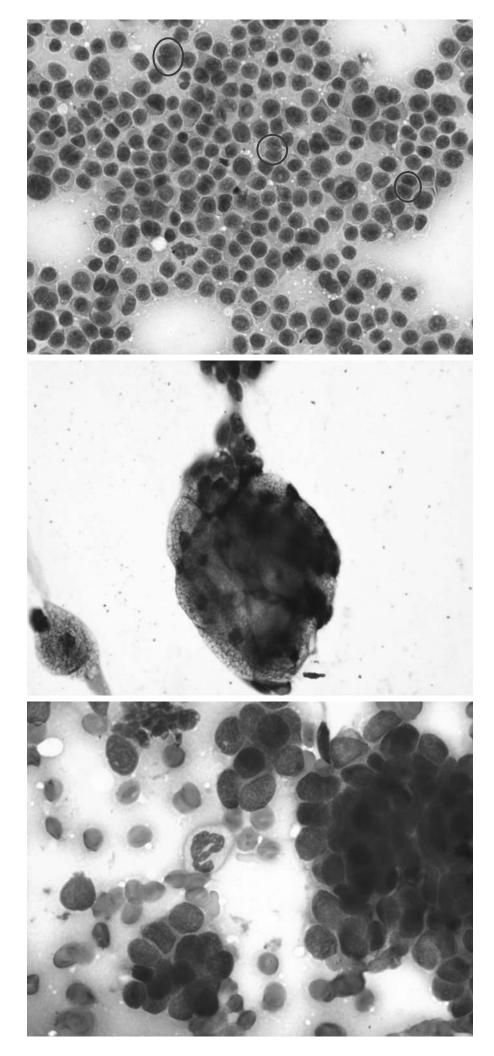


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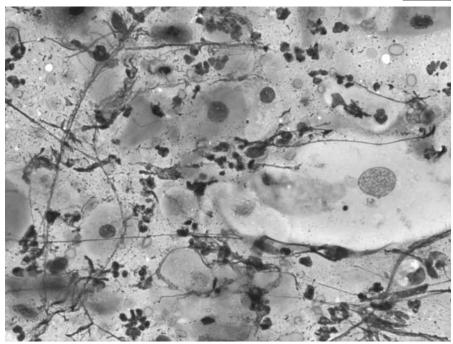
- Inflammation
 - Granuloma, pyogranuloma, abscess
- Neoplasia and cysts
 - Benign vs. malignant
 - Tissue type
 - Epithelial
 - Mesenchymal
 - Round cell

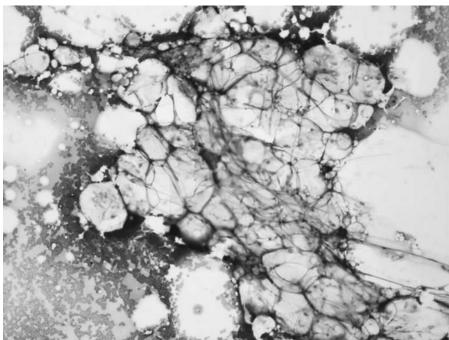




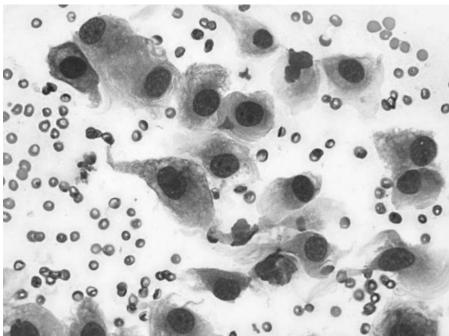










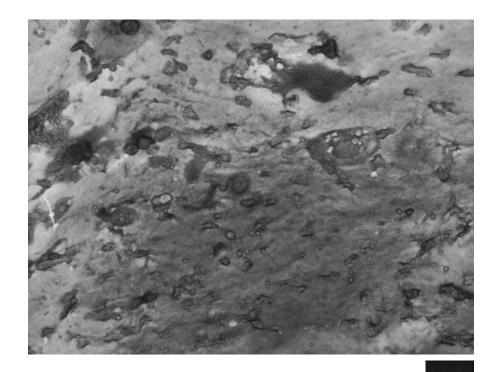


MESENCHYMAL NEOPLASIA

Feline Vaccine Associated Sarcoma

- Behavior
 - Aggressive
 - Fast growing
 - Locally Invasive
- Tumor types
 - Fibrosarcoma
 - Histiocytic Sarcoma
 - Osteosarcoma
 - o Chondrosarcoma
 - Rhabdomyosarcoma





CONCLUSIONS

- Many diagnoses can be made with cytology
- Often the common masses have very distinct cytologic features that can be differentiated from one another
- If you ever have a question about a cytology, consult a clinical pathologist

QUESTIONS????

