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Breast tumor of papillary lesion in palliative care: new insight

In woman's nursing and palliative care, breast cancer is a world-threatening disease so important for treatment of nursing. In the breast tumor especially papillary lesions reveal broad range from benign to malignant. If pathologists can accurately diagnose benign, reduce unnecessary operation. However pathologists tend to sometimes over-diagnosis in papillary lesions. Here, we would like to present new concept of two papillary lesions at a glance benign. In the past, lacking myoepithelial cells is thought to be invasion and means malignancy. Two cases of 68- (Case1) and 44-year-old (Case2) female are presented. They have abnormality in the breast. And they came to the hospital for further examination and treatment. Radiologically, malignancy could not completely exclude. Then, breast excision was performed. Histologically, both cases revealed papillary lesions lined by fibro vascular core and nuclear inverse-polarity without atypia. Loss of myoepithelial cells was observed by HE, p63, and calponin. Previous report indicate CK5/6, ER, p63 and MUC3 are important for distinguishing between papillary lesions according to the differential index (based on Allred score) of ([ER total score] + [MUC3 total score])/([CK5/6 total score] + [p63 total score] + 1). Based on this analysis, our 2 cases had benign lesions. Additionally, the Ki-67 index was <1% in both cases, and no evidence of disease was observed minimum 62 months of follow-up for both cases, despite lack of additional treatment. Thus, we propose these lesions accurately benign and contributing woman's nursing and palliative care for reducing operation. These lesions are reported and named "Nuclear inverse polarity papillary lesion lacking myoepithelial cells". However, the name is too long and its distinctiveness and rareness,

someone think this tumor as "Tajima tumor" by the advocator. Thus we can contribute to woman's health and palliative care by the viewpoint of pathological knowledge.

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