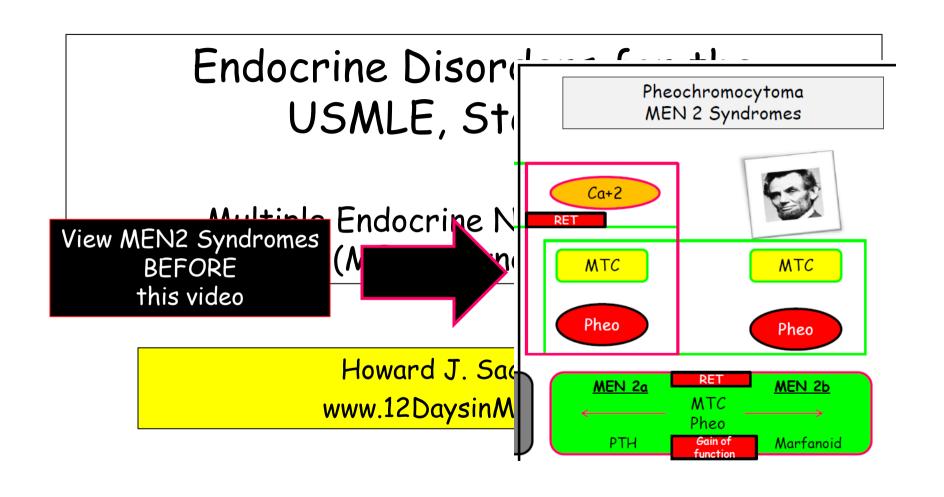
# Endocrine Disorders for the USMLE, Step One:

Multiple Endocrine Neoplasia Type 1 (MEN-1 Syndrome)

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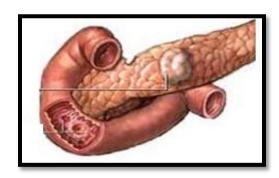








Parathyroid



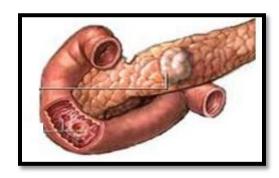
Pancreas







Parathyroid

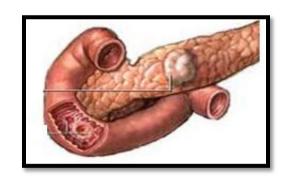


Pancreas

3-P's







Pituitary

Parathyroid

Pancreas



3-P's



Before proceeding, we need to change the name into something more memorable and informative.

Once we move from MEN-1 and the 3-P's, the rest is a breeze.

Really.







Parathyroid

~100%

Pancreas

~60%

Pituitary

~20%





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Multiple Adenomas

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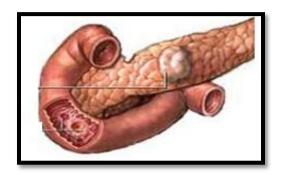
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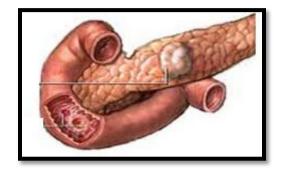


Parathyroid

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↑ Ca+2







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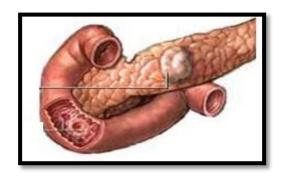
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Pro-ZE-Ca Syndrome







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Multiple Adenomas

Mass Effect Hormonal Dysfunction Multiple/Atypical Ulcers

↑ Ca+2

# What are the take homes?

# Background:

- A. High penetrance
- B. Initial presention in majority of MEN
- C. Compared with sporadic:
  - Multiple adenomas and early age

# Presentation:

- D. Same as any other patient with hyperPTH
  - ↑ Ca, ↑ PTH, ↓ PO4-
  - Stones, Constipation
  - X-ray: subperiosteal bone resorption



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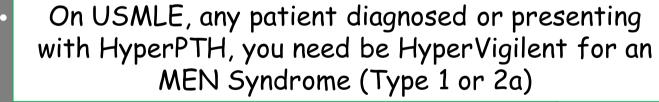
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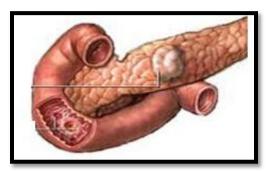
#### What are the take homes?

# <u>Background (Pancreatic Endocrine Tumors)</u>:

- A. Gastrinoma most common
  - May present in duodenal location
- B. Insulinoma, VIPoma, Glucagonoma
  - Hypoglycemia, WDHA, NME (bronze skin)
- C. Carcinoid (bronchial, thymus)

# Presentation:

- D. Multiple or Atypical Ulcers
  - Duodenal beyond D1
  - Epigastric pain despite rx
- E. Diarrhea (inactivates lipase/acidic lumen)



Pancreas

~60%

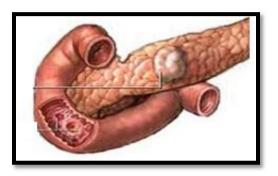
Gastrinoma (ZE)

Multiple/Atypical Ulcers

What are the take homes?

# <u>Diagnostics (Gastrinoma)</u>:

- 1. High gastric basal acid secretion
- 2. ↑ Gastrin Level
- 3. Secretin Stimulation Test
  - Rise in Gastrin Level



Pancreas

~60%

Gastrinoma (ZE)

Multiple/Atypical Ulcers

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Be on the lookout with any question that includes Gastrinoma, VIPoma, or Insulinoma.

If they include \(^1 \) Ca<sup>+2</sup>, you have two components of MEN-1...

...they will most assuredly come after you on the third component...

the Pituitary

ncreas

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inoma (ZE)

Multiple/Atypical Ulcers



Pituitary

~20%

Prolactinoma

Mass Effect Hormonal Dysfunction

#### What are the take homes?

# Background:

- Adenomas of Anterior Pituitary follow same pattern as in non-MEN syndromes
  - Prolactin > Growth Hormone > Null
  - Hormone product versus Mass Effect

# Presentation:

- 1. Pituitary mass lesion: HA, visual field cut
- 2. Prolactinoma: hypogonadotropic hypogonadism
  - Male: ↓ libido/ED
  - Female: ∆ menses, galactorrhea



Pituitary

~20%

Prolactinoma

Mass Effect Hormonal Dysfunction What are the take homes?

# Diagnostics:

- 1. ↑ Prolactin level
- 2. Men:  $\downarrow$  LH, testosterone
- Imaging for mass effect or ↑ PRL

### Note:

Frequency of pituitary lesion in MEN-1 depends on how hard you look (20% clinical, 60% by MRI screen)

#### What are the take homes?

Interestingly, I've mentioned you should be hypervigilant looking for MEN1 in patients with hyperPTH and/or pancreatic masses or neuroendocrine tumors.

On the other hand, questions involving pituitary adenomas are usually focused on the adenoma and secretions.

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Prolactinoma

Mass Effect
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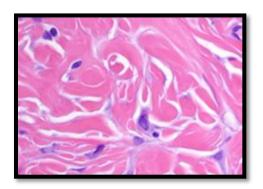
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- Reviewed major components
  - Endocrinopathy (PTH, Pancreas, Pituitary)
  - Derm Manifestations







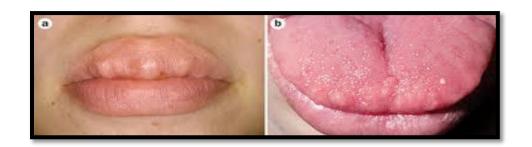


Collagenoma



Lipoma

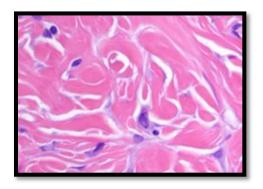
Lip/Tongue Neuromas seen in MEN2b



# - Derm Manifestations



Angiofibroma (90%)

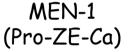


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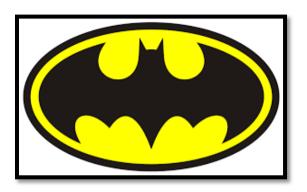


Lipoma





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MEN-2

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2a HyperPTH 2b Marfanoid, Neuromas

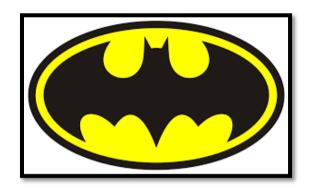
The most difficult part of an MEN Syndrome is knowing you are in one...

# **Autosomal Dominant**



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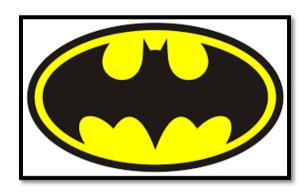
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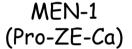
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Loss of Suppressor

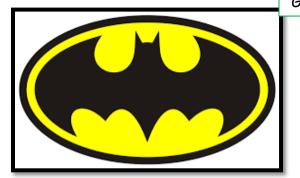








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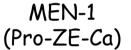
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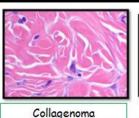




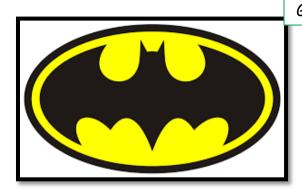


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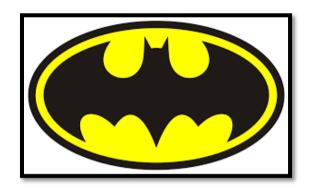


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