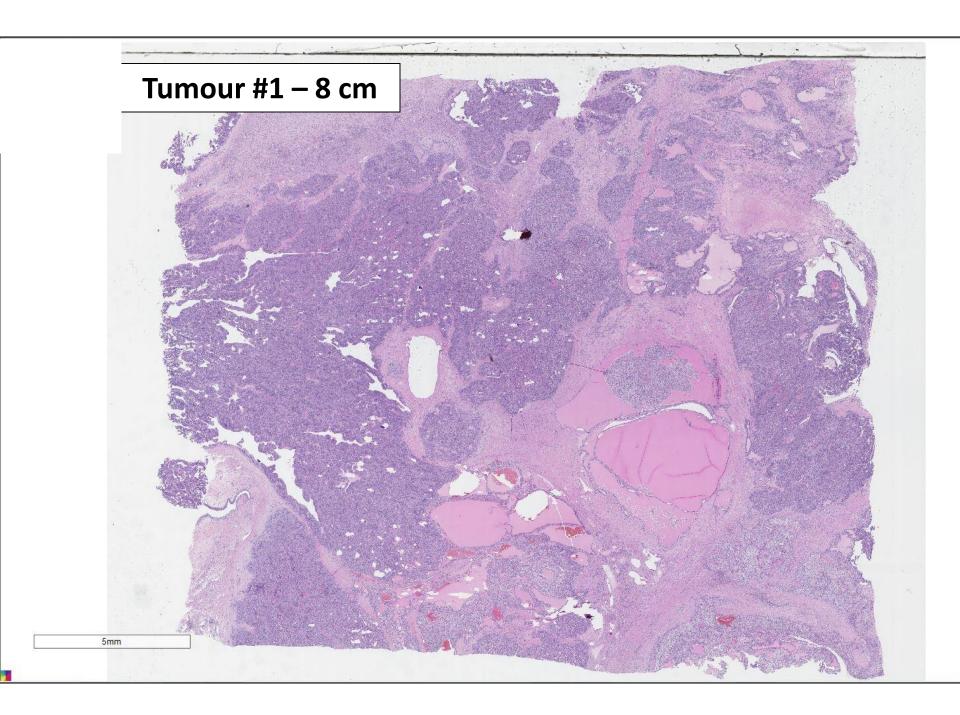


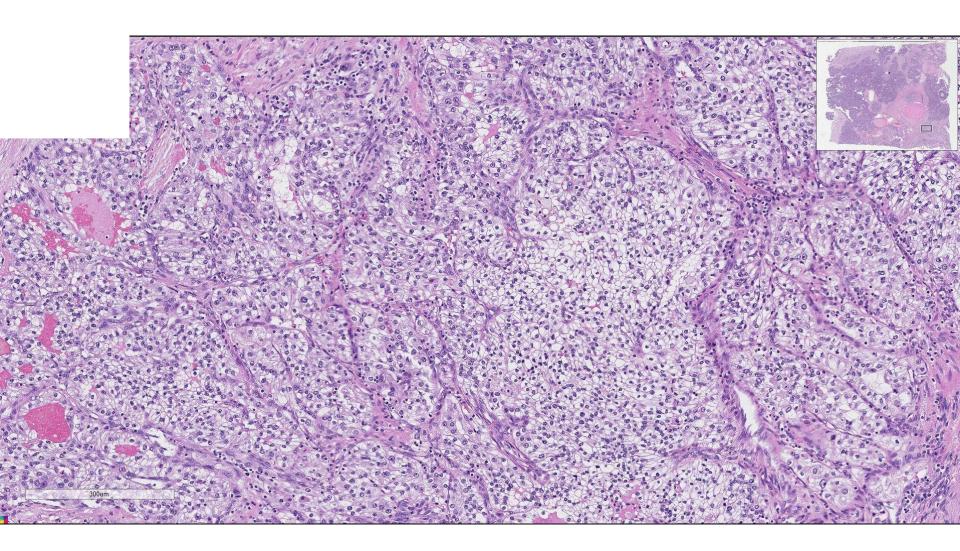
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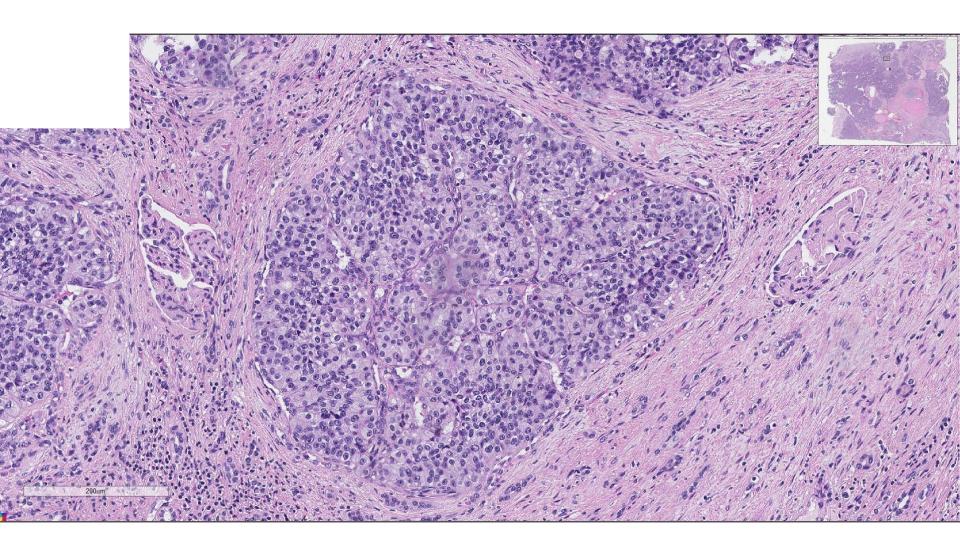
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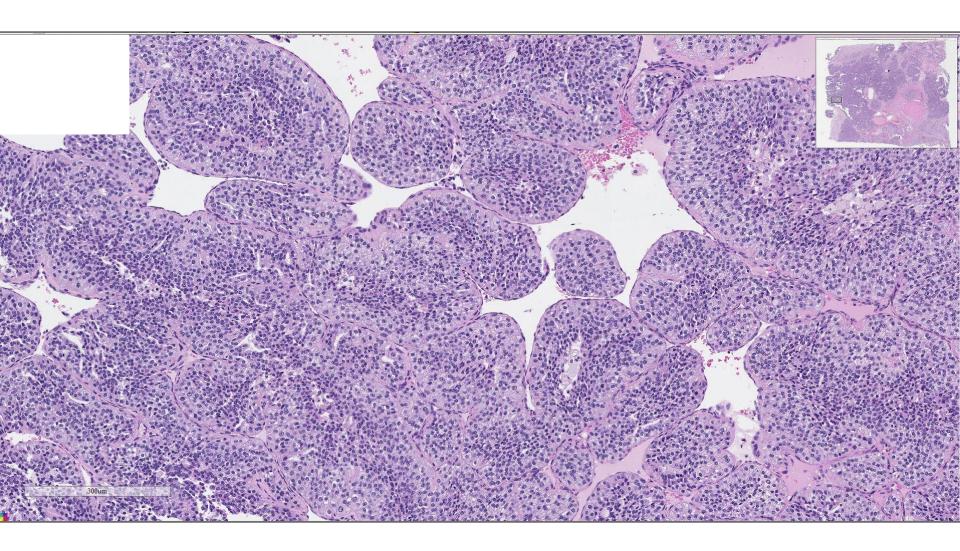
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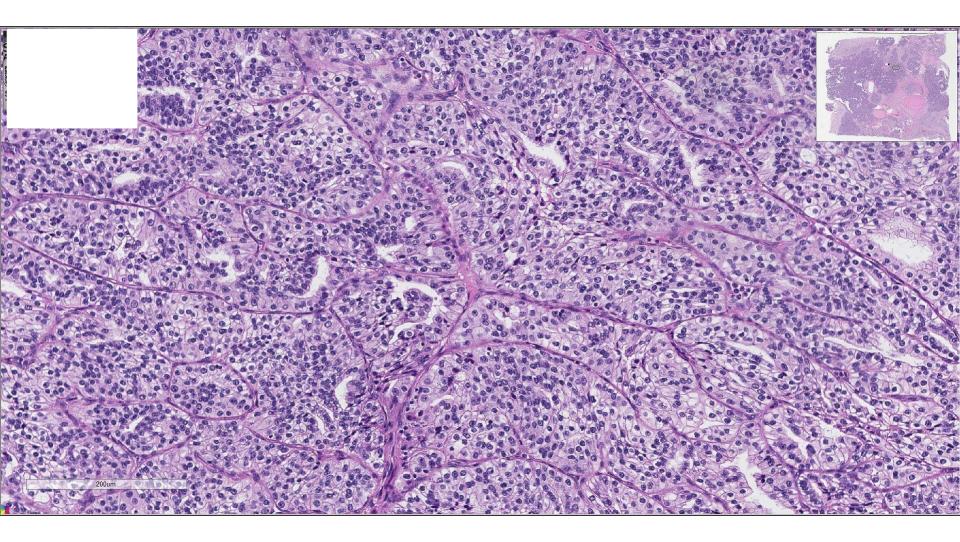
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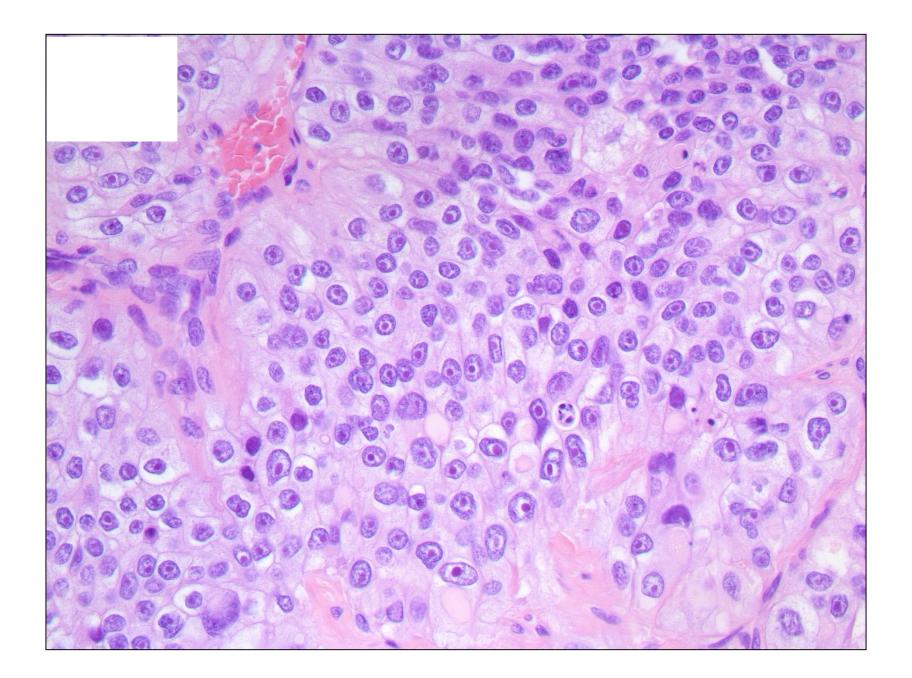


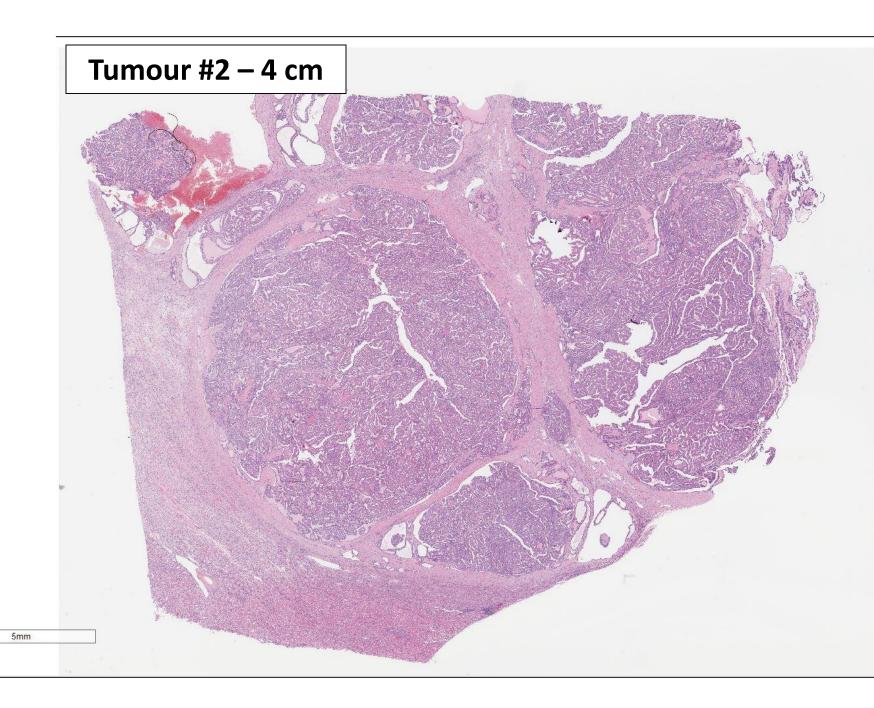


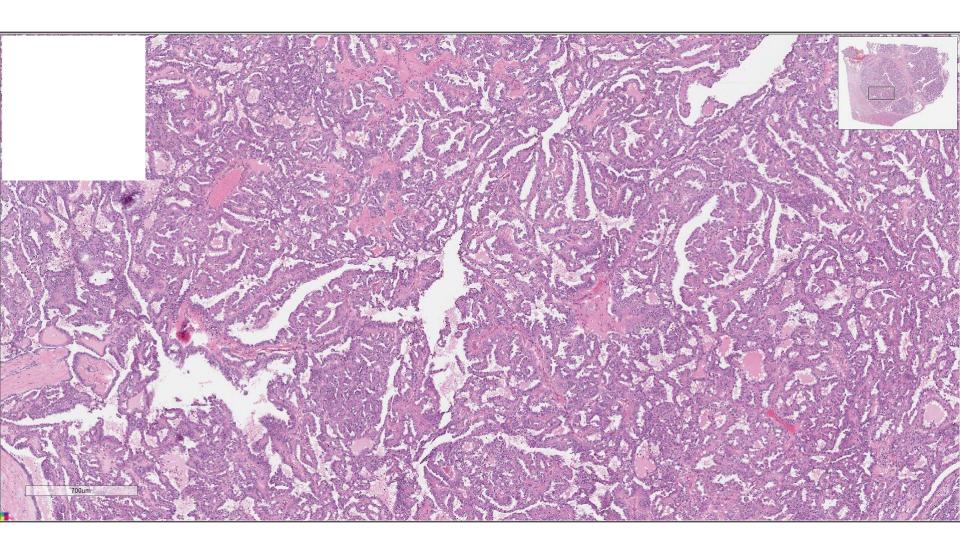


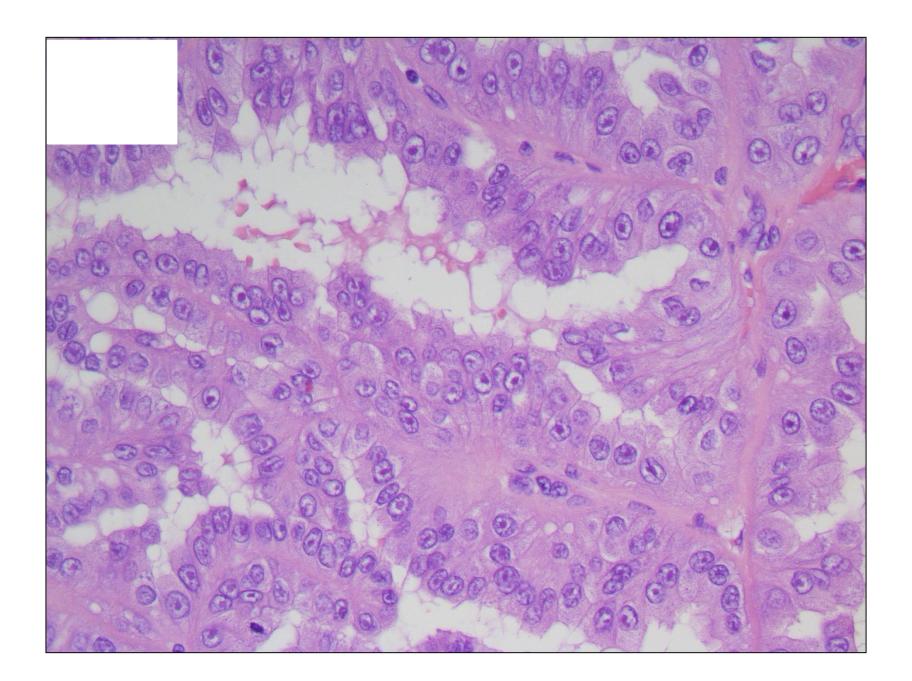


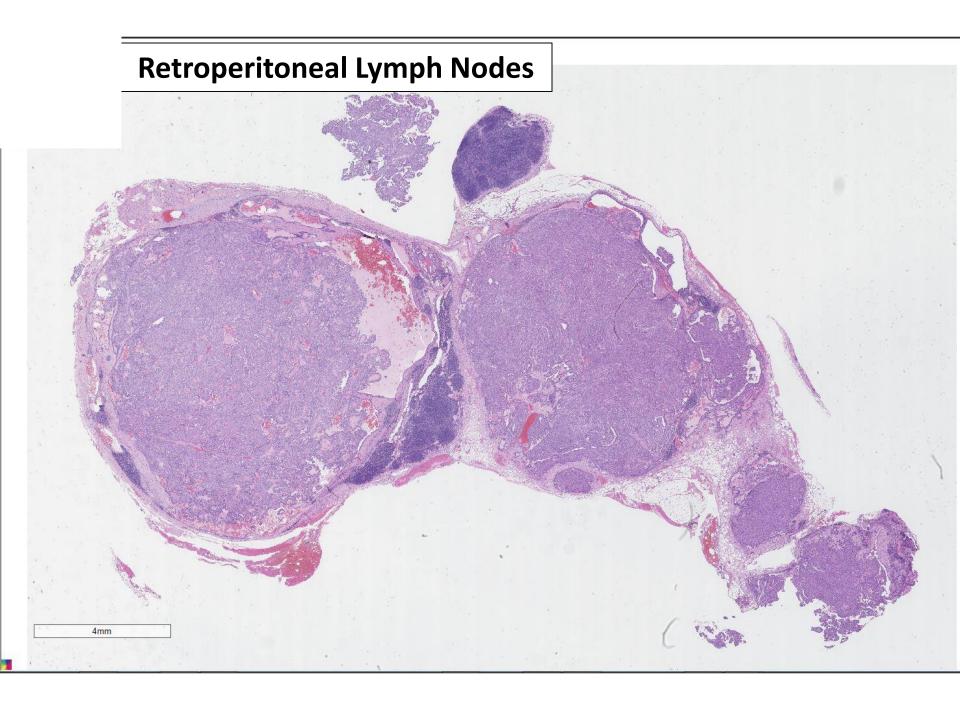


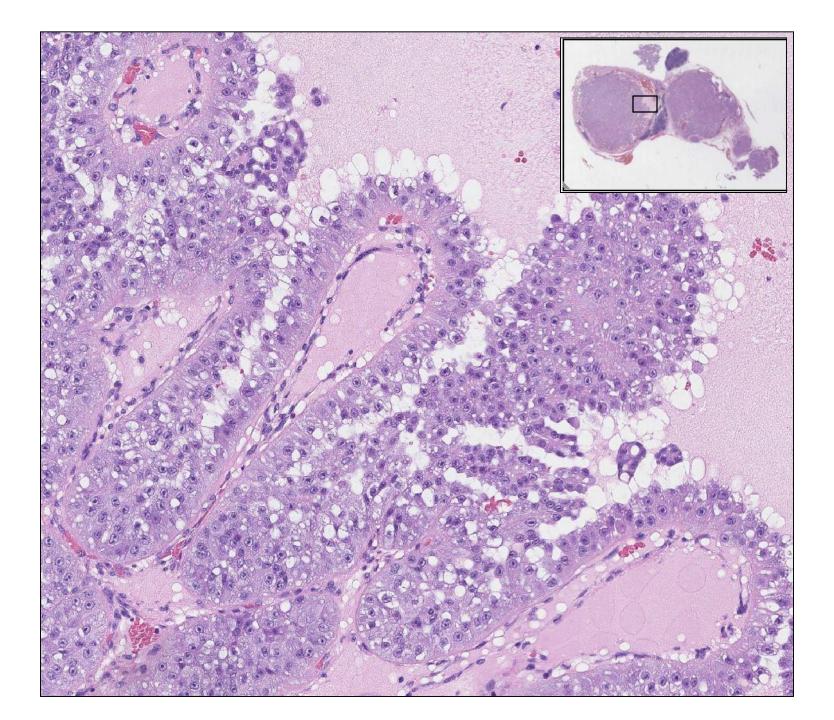












## **Immunohistochemistry**

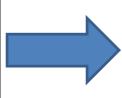
#### **Positive**

- ➤ AE1/AE3
- > PAX8
- > AMACR

#### **Negative**

- CK7 (completely negative)
- > CD10
- HMWK (34βE12)

- > CAIX ?
- > Fumarate hydratase?
- > FH mutation?
- > Other?

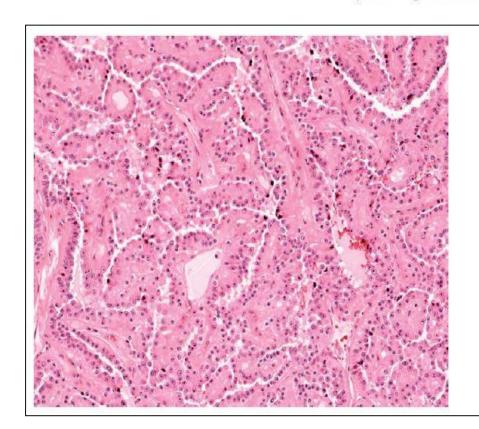


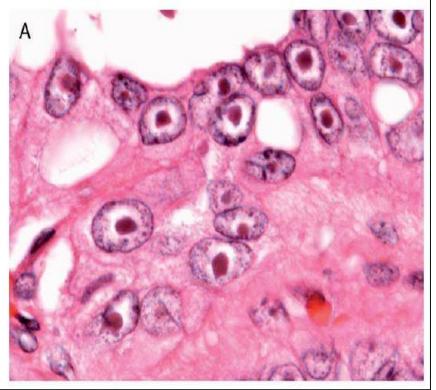
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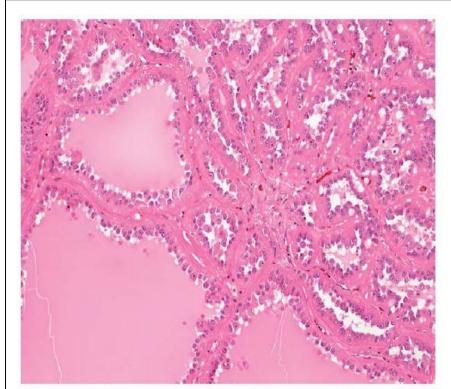
# The Morphologic Spectrum of Kidney Tumors in Hereditary Leiomyomatosis and Renal Cell Carcinoma (HLRCC) Syndrome

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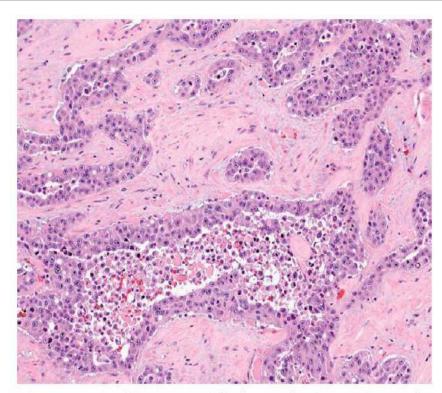
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**FIGURE 5.** Oncocytic and cystic tumor. This case was diagnosed as an oncocytoma; however, the <u>characteristic</u> nuclear features of HLRCC were present (hematoxylin and eosin,  $10 \times$ ).



**FIGURE 7.** HLRCC tumor with desmoplastic reaction and a solid and tubular pattern (hematoxylin and eosin,  $10 \times$ ).

Broad morphologic spectrum

> can resemble oncocytoma!

TABLE 2. Architectural Patterns of HLRCC Kidney Tumors

-	Papillary	Tubular	Tubulo- papillary	Solid	Mixed*	Total
No cystic component	15/40	0/40	0/40	0/40	4/40	19/40
With cystic areas†	8/40	2/40	5/40	1/40	0/40	16/40
Predominantly cystic†	2/40	0/40	3/40	0/40	0/40	5/40
Total	25/40	2/40	8/40	1/40	4/40	40/40
With desmoplastic reaction	0/40	0/40	1/40	1/40	0/40	2/40
With clear cells‡	3/40	0/40	1/40	1/40	0/40	5/40

<sup>\*</sup>Any combination of the 4 main patterns.



FIGURE 1. Gross photograph of a renal tumor with cystic and solid areas. Although the tumor was small in size, it had penetrated the capsule and there were metastases in adjacent lymph nodes.

#### High stage with metastases

even if small in size

<sup>†</sup>Defined as cystic component involving less than 50% ("with cystic areas") or more than 50% ("predominantly cystic") of the tumor.

<sup>‡</sup>Tumors showing focal clear cell change. One case (case 34) was originally classified as clear cell RCC.

#### WHO classification of tumours of the kidney

Renal cell tumours Clear cell renal cell carcinoma	8310/3	Mesenchymal tumours occurring mainly in adults Leiomyosarcoma 8890/3		
Multilocular cystic renal neoplasm of low	0010/0	Angiosarcoma	9120/	
malignant potential	8316/1*	Rhabdomyosarcoma	8900/	
Papillary renal cell carcinoma	8260/3	Osteosarcoma	9180/	
Hereditary leiomyomatosis and renal cell		Synovial sarcoma	9040/3	
carcinoma-associated renal cell carcinoma	8311/3*	Ewing sarcoma	9364/3	
Chromophobe renal cell carcinoma	8317/3	Angiomyolipoma	8860/	
Collecting duct carcinoma	8319/3	Epithelioid angiomyolipoma	8860/	
Renal medullary carcinoma	8510/3*	Leiomyoma	8890/	
MiT family translocation renal cell carcinomas	8311/3*	Haemangioma	9120/0	
Succinate dehydrogenase-deficient	001170	Lymphangioma	9170/	
renal carcinoma	8311/3	Haemangioblastoma	9161/	
Mucinous tubular and spindle cell carcinoma	8480/3*	Juxtaglomerular cell tumour	8361/	
Tubulocystic renal cell carcinoma	8316/3*	Renomedullary interstitial cell tumour	8966/	
Acquired cystic disease–associated renal	03 10/3	Schwannoma	9560/	
cell carcinoma	8316/3	Solitary fibrous tumour	8815/	
Clear cell papillary renal cell carcinoma	8323/1	Solitary librous turnour	0010/	
Renal cell carcinoma, unclassified 8312/3		Mixed epithelial and stromal tumour family		
Papillary adenoma 8260/				
Oncocytoma	8290/0	Mixed epithelial and stromal tumour	8959/0 8959/0	
Checeytoria	0230/0	mixed epithelial and stromal turnour	0300)(	
Metanephric tumours		Neuroendocrine tumours		
Metanephric adenoma	8325/0	Well-differentiated neuroendocrine tumour	8240/3	
Metanephric adenofibroma	9013/0	Large cell neuroendocrine carcinoma	8013/3	
Metanephric stromal tumour	8935/1	Small cell neuroendocrine carcinoma	8041/3	
		Phaeochromocytoma	8700/0	
Nephroblastic and cystic tumours occurring				
mainly in children		Miscellaneous tumours		
Nephrogenic rests		Renal haematopoietic neoplasms		
Nephroblastoma	8960/3	Germ cell tumours		
Cystic partially differentiated nephroblastoma	8959/1			
Paediatric cystic nephroma	8959/0	Metastatic tumours		
Mesenchymal tumours				
		The morphology codes are from the International Classificat	ion of Diseas	
Mesenchymal tumours occurring mainly in chil		for Oncology (ICD-O) [917A]. Behaviour is coded /0 for beni	ign tumours;	
Clear cell sarcoma 8		/1 for unspecified, borderline, or uncertain behaviour; /2 for carcinoma in		
Rhabdoid tumour	8963/3	situ and grade III intraepithelial neoplasia; and /3 for malignant tumours.		
Congenital mesoblastic nephroma 8		The classification is modified from the previous WHO classification (756A),		
Ossifying renal tumour of infancy	8967/0	taking into account changes in our understanding of these le	esions.	
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Fig. 1 – World Health Organization (WHO) classification of tumours of the kidney. Reproduced with permission from the WHO International Agency for Research on Cancer [1].

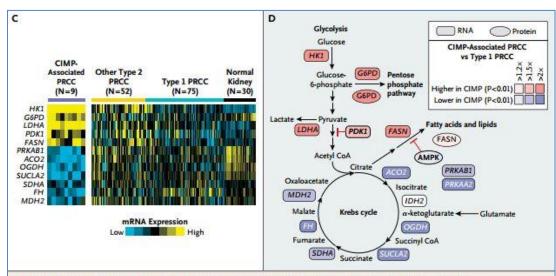
WHO = World Health Organization.

#### ORIGINAL ARTICLE

## Comprehensive Molecular Characterization of Papillary Renal-Cell Carcinoma

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#### Figure 3. A Subgroup of Papillary Renal-Cell Carcinoma That Manifests a CpG Island Methylator Phenotype (CIMP).

As depicted in Panel A, molecular subtyping by means of a DNA methylation platform revealed three subtypes of papillary renal-cell carcinoma (PRCC), one of which showed widespread DNA hypermethylation patterns characteristic of CIMP-associated tumors (the other subtypes are identified as cluster 1 and cluster 2). Corresponding data tracks highlight molecular features associated with CIMP tumors (nine cases), including CDKN2A silencing, germline or somatic mutations of FH, type 2 histologic status, and expression of both cell-cycle-related genes<sup>23</sup> and hypoxia-related genes.<sup>24</sup> Panel B shows differences in patient age and overall survival among the three subtypes. Data on survival were not available for two patients in the cluster 2 group. Panel C shows differential messenger RNA (mRNA) expression patterns for key genes involved in metabolism among CIMP-associated PRCC, type 1 PRCC, non-CIMP-associated type 2 PRCC, and normal kidney. Panel D shows differential expression patterns of CIMP-associated tumors versus type 1 tumors in metabolism-related pathways, with a focus on gene-expression and protein-expression patterns previously associated with Warburg-like effects in kidney cancer.<sup>21</sup> P values were calculated with the use of a t-test.

## Type 2 Papillary RCC with CpG Island Methylator Phenotype (CIMP)

- > CDKN2A
- Somatic FH mutations
- Cell cycle-related genes
- > Hypoxia-related genes
- Poor survival

### Case 2

32 year-old male, 4.0 cm left renal mass, partial nephrectomy

## Renal Tumours with Oncocytic/Eosinophilic Cytoplasm

Table 2 – Tumours characterized by cells with oncocytic or eosinophilic cytoplasm.



Oncocytoma

Chromophobe renal cell carcinoma, eosinophilc variant

Hybrid oncocytic-chromophobe tumours

Clear cell renal cell carcinoma with eosinophilic cytoplasm (usually high grade)

Papillary renal cell carcinoma with oncocytic features

Papillary renal cell carcinoma, Type 2

Tubulocystic renal cell carcinoma

Follicular thyroid-like carcinoma

Acquired cystic kidney disease associated renal cell carcinoma

Renal tumours associated with SDH-B mutations

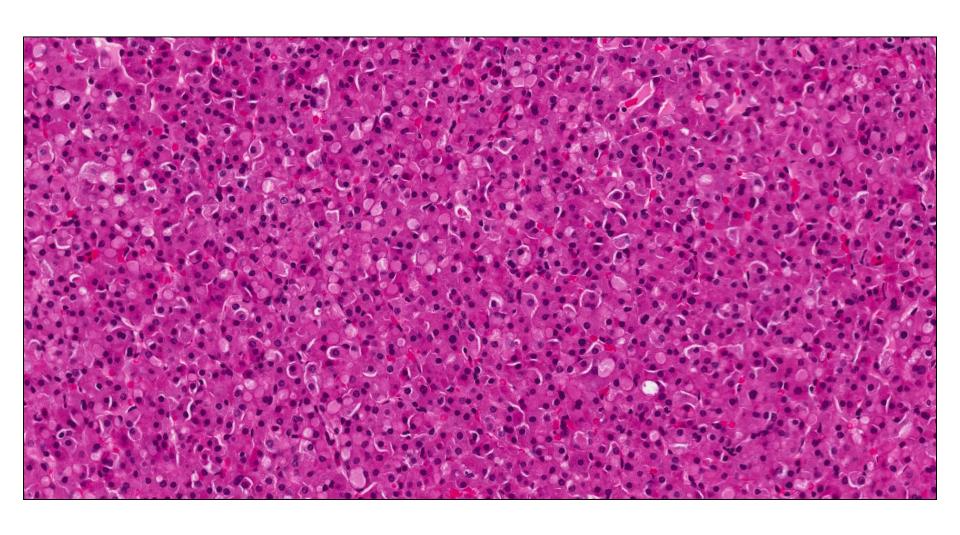
Epithelioid angiomyolipoma

MiTF family translocation renal cell carcinoma

Renal cell carcinoma of any histologic type with rhabdoid features

Expanded Differential Diagnosis

## **SDH-Deficient Renal Cell Carcinoma**



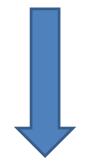
## **Immunohistochemistry**

#### **Positive**

- PAX8
- CK7 (very rare, < 5%)</li>
- AE1/AE3 (30% most are weak positive/negative)

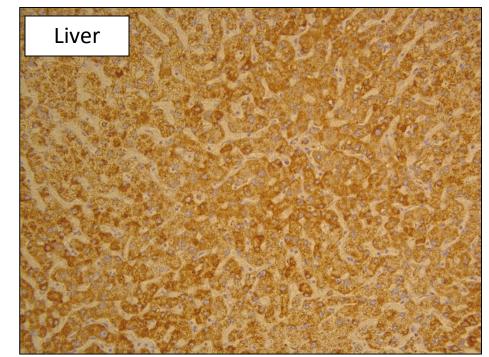
#### **Negative**

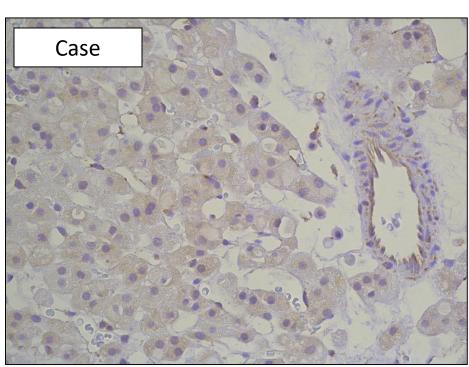
- CD117 (scattered mast cells are positive)
- SDH-B

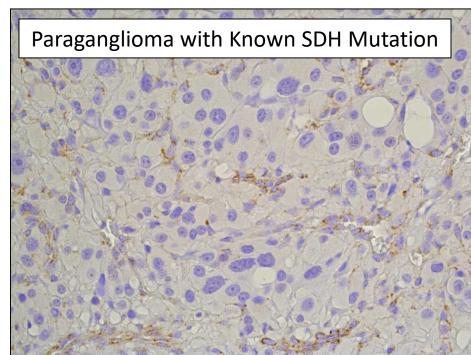


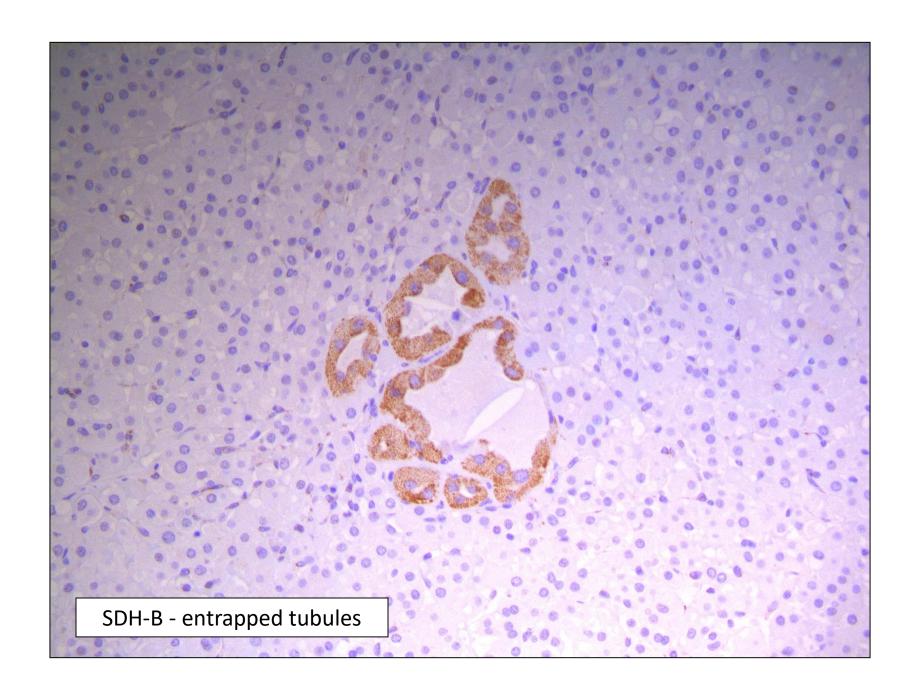
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## SDH-B Immunohistochemistry





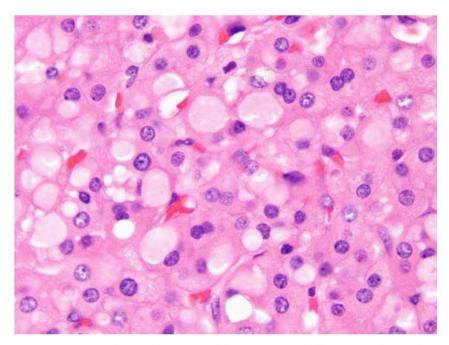




#### The International Society of Urological Pathology (ISUP) Vancouver Classification of Renal Neoplasia

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**FIGURE 7.** SDHB RCC. Note compact nests of eosinophilic polygonal cells with vacuolated cytoplasm. Distinctive pale eosinophilic cytoplasmic inclusions are present.

#### **SDH-Deficient Renal Cell Carcinoma**

- Most SDHB RCC follow an indolent course
- Rare cases with sarcomatoid change and/or metastases
- Other SDH-deficient neoplasms
  - paraganglioma/pheochromocytoma
  - GIST
  - pituitary adenoma

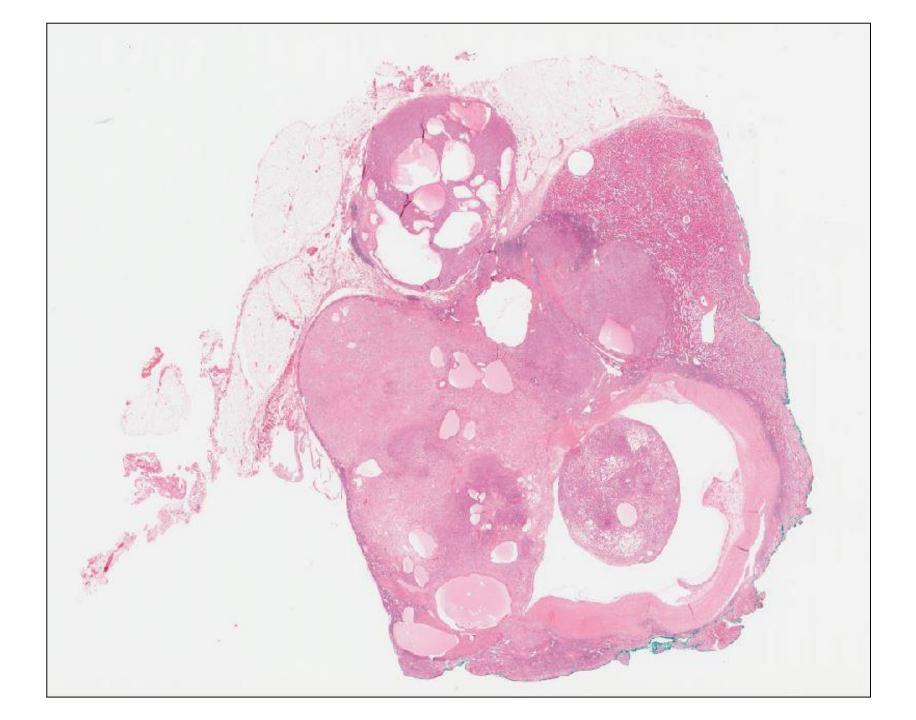
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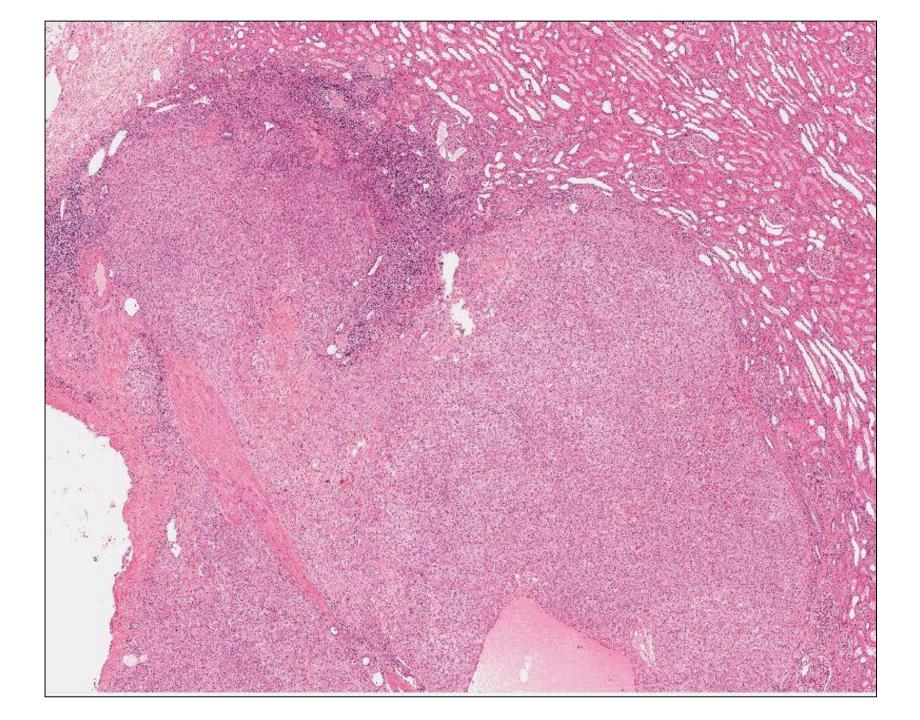
53 year-old female, 2.9 cm incidentally found right renal mass, partial nephrectomy

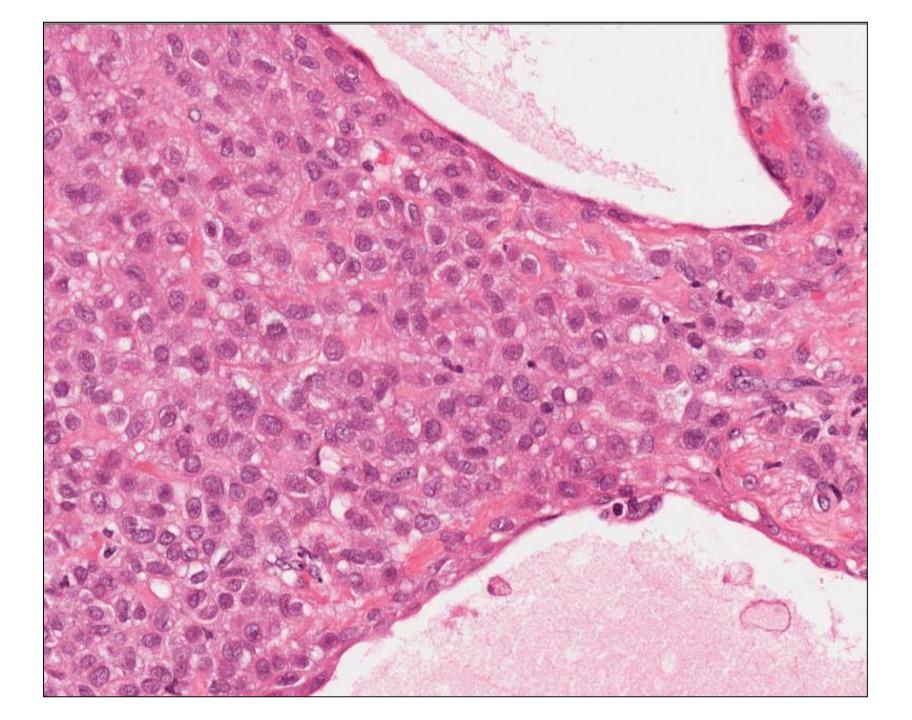
(History of severe hypertension)

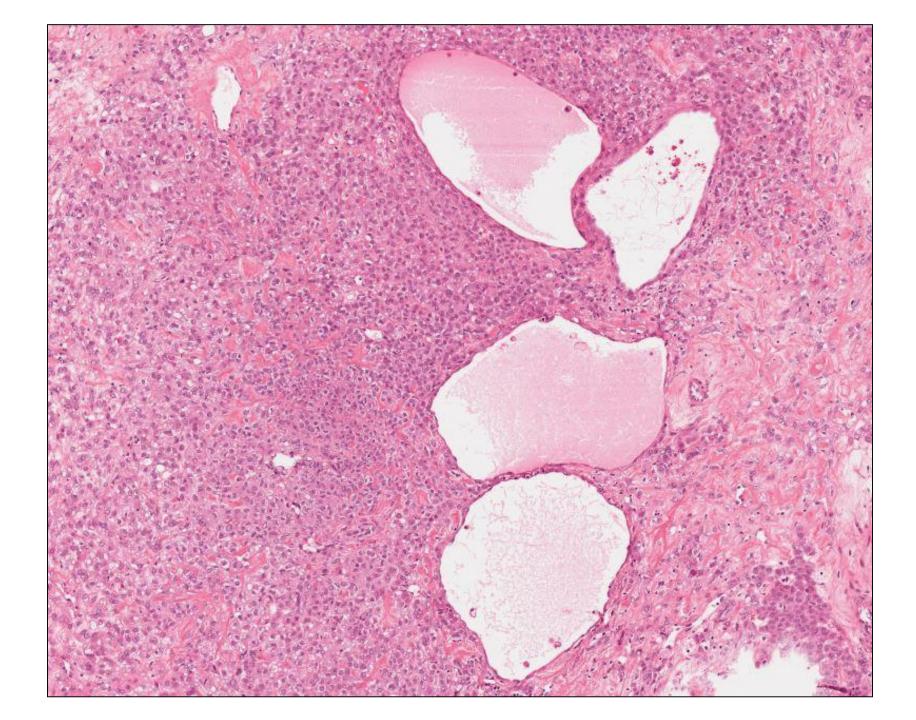
## **Gross Description**

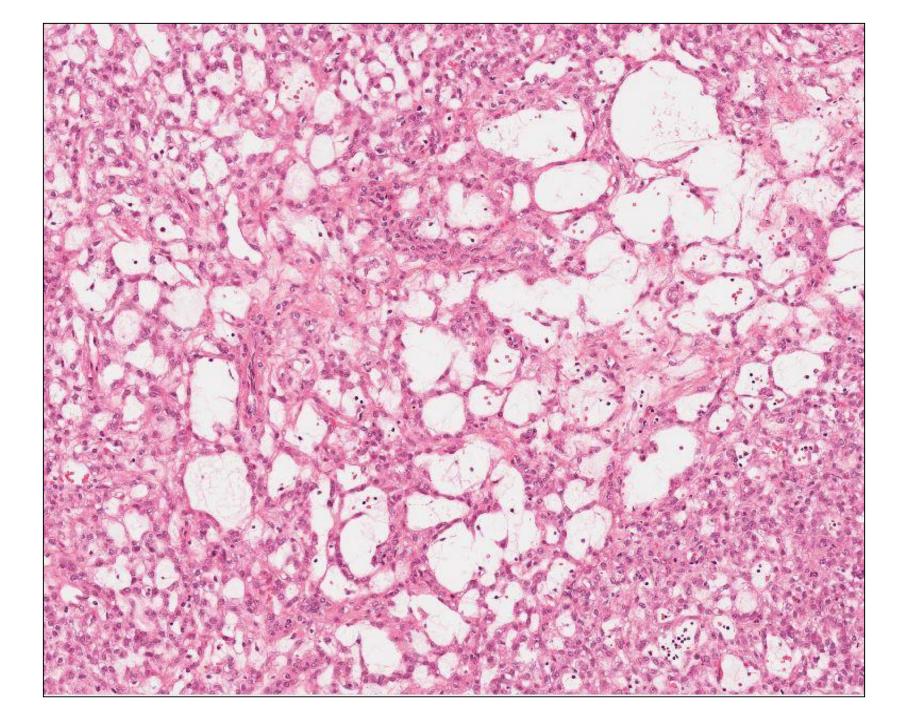
- Partial nephrectomy specimen including perinephric fat
- 2.9 cm well-defined, lobulated, pale-tan mass
- Solid and cystic areas with focal hemorrhage
  - o cysts containing clear serous fluid
  - solid areas of variable consistency firm and soft/edematous
- Tumour grossly confined to the kidney focally exophytic forming a pushing border with perinephric fat

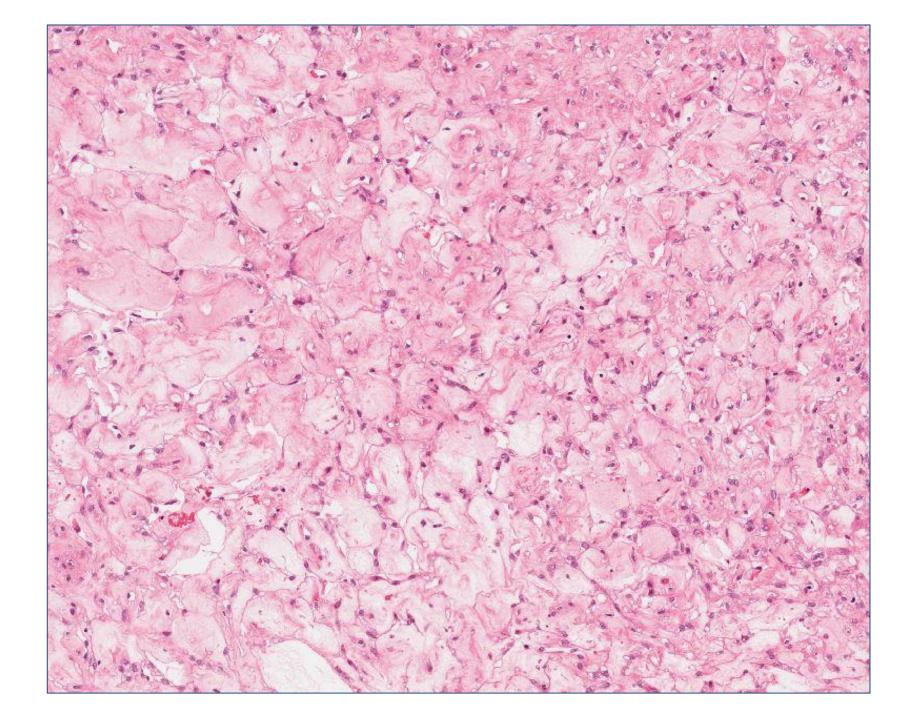


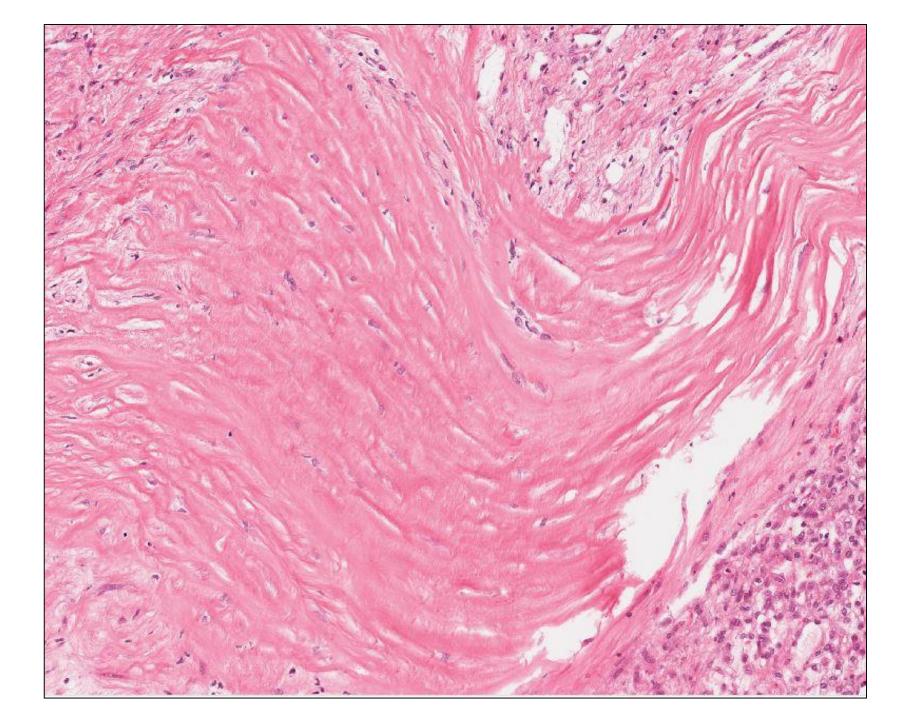


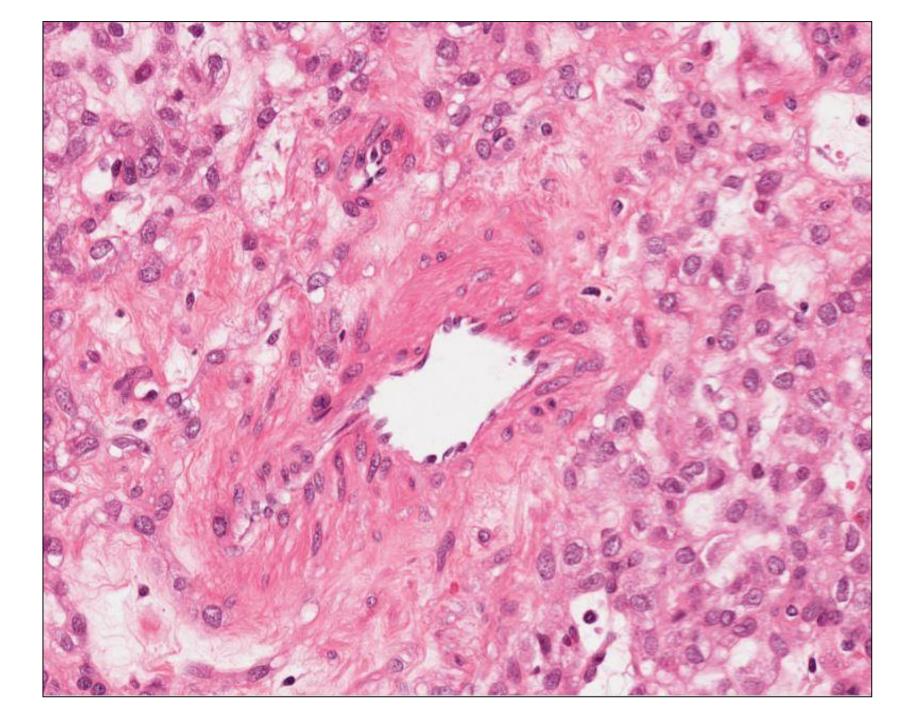


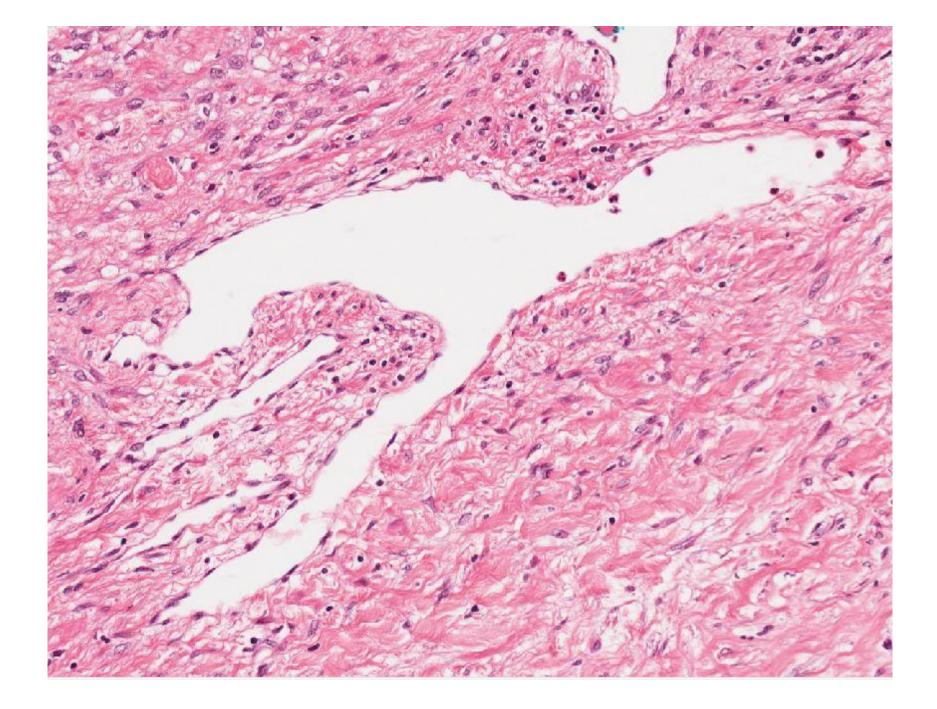












## **Summary of H&E Morphology**

- Multinodular mass forming a well-demarcated border with the adjacent kidney
- Polygonal uniform cells with pale eosinophilic cytoplasm - no mitotic activity
- Solid growth, cystic and microcystic areas along with areas of densely hyalinized stroma
- Scattered branching epithelium-lined tubular structures
- Aggregates of blood vessels within the tumour
  - thick-walled
  - thin-walled and gaping/branching, focally staghorn in shape

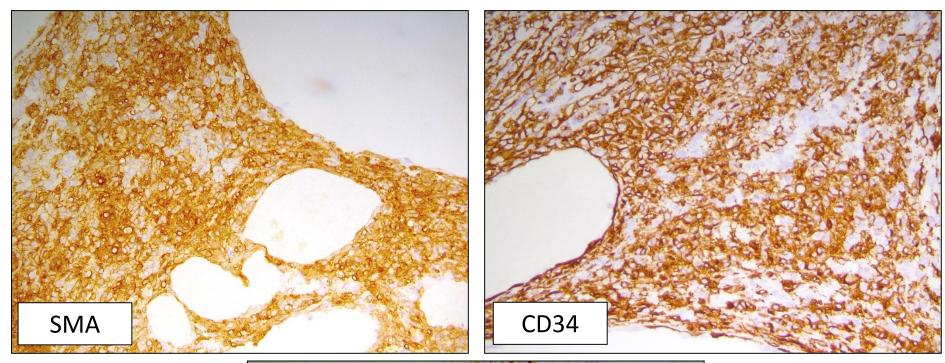
## **Immunohistochemistry**

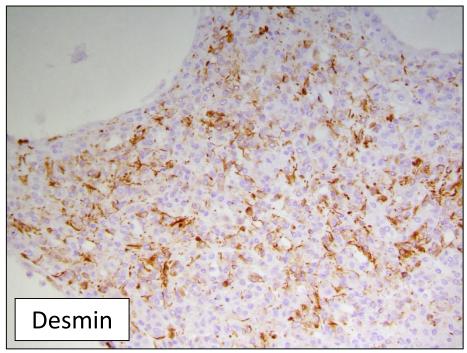
#### **Positive**

- SMA
- CD34
- Desmin (focal)
- CD117 (tumour and admixed mast cells)

#### **Negative**

- AE1/AE3
- HMB45
- Melan A
- MiTF
- CD31

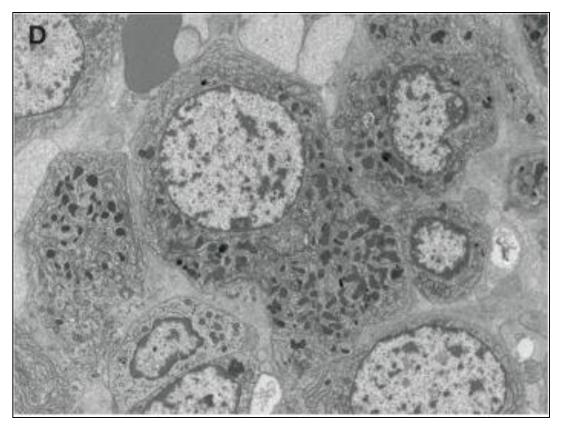


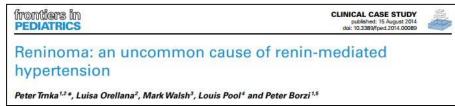


## Juxtaglomerular Cell Tumour

- Rare, benign tumour typically occurring in young adults (mean age 26.8 years) with a slight female predominance
- Usually associated with severe hypertension due to renin production by the tumour cells - rare cases are non-functioning (as in the present case)
- Characteristic H&E morphology and immunophenotype as illustrated by the present case
- Electron microscopy tumour cells contain rhomboid renin protogranules (not performed in this case)

# Electron Microscopy: Renin Protogranules/Crystals





## Main Histologic Differential Diagnosis

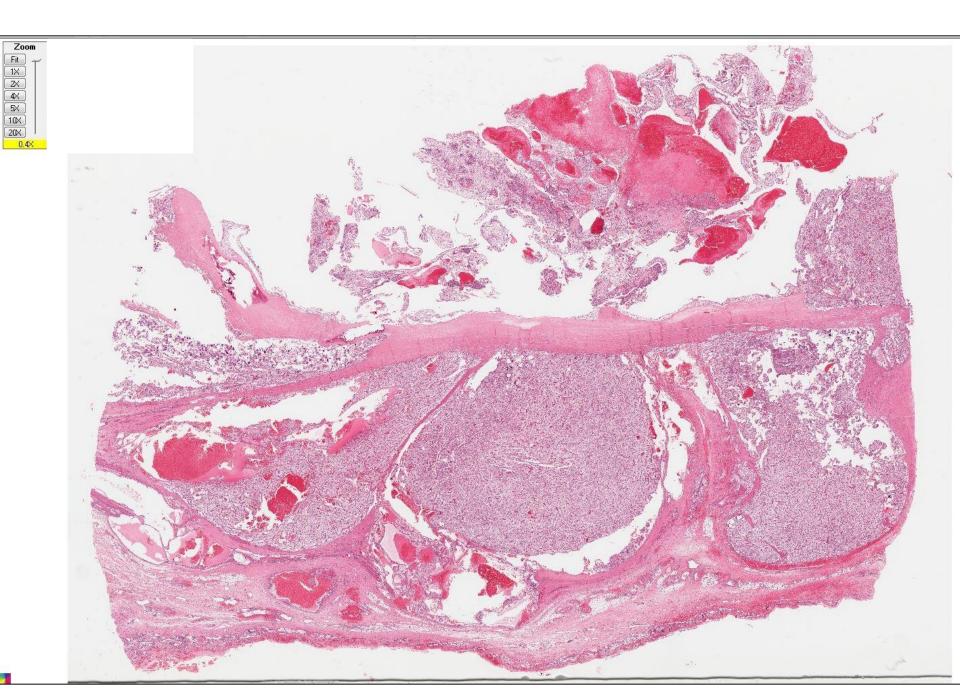
- Hemangiopericytoma
  - lack thick-walled blood vessels and polygonal cells with abundant cytoplasm
  - negative staining with actin
  - not associated with hypertension
- Glomus tumour
  - considerable morphologic and immunophenotypic overlap with juxtaglomerular cell tumour
  - no apparent endocrine function
- Epithelioid angiomyolipoma
  - o admixed fat
  - positive staining for HMB45

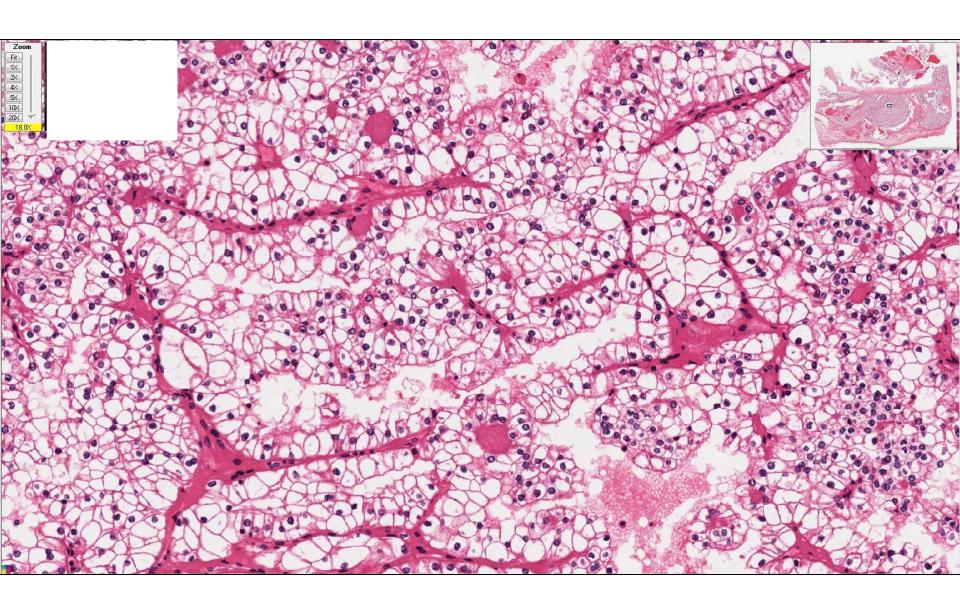
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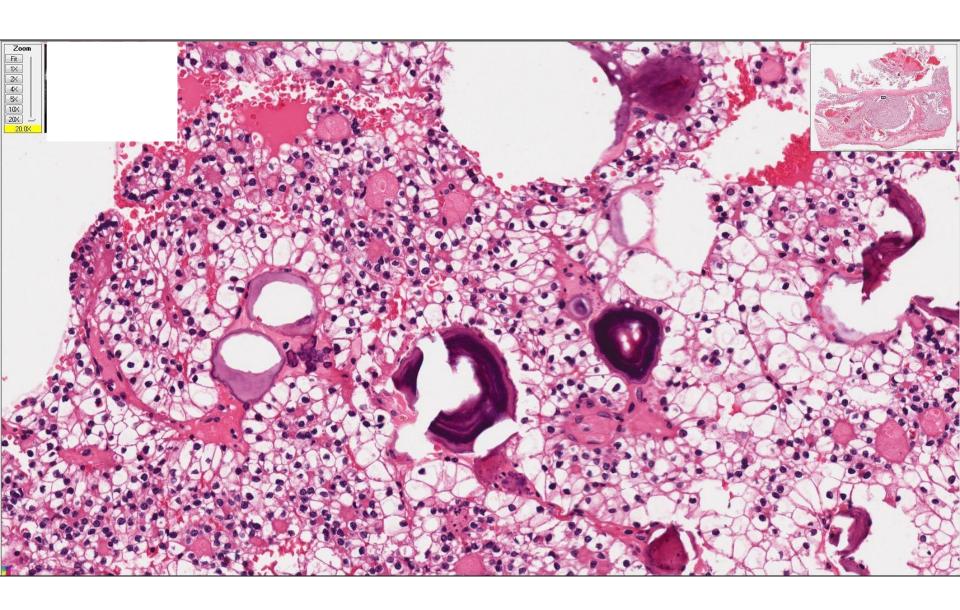
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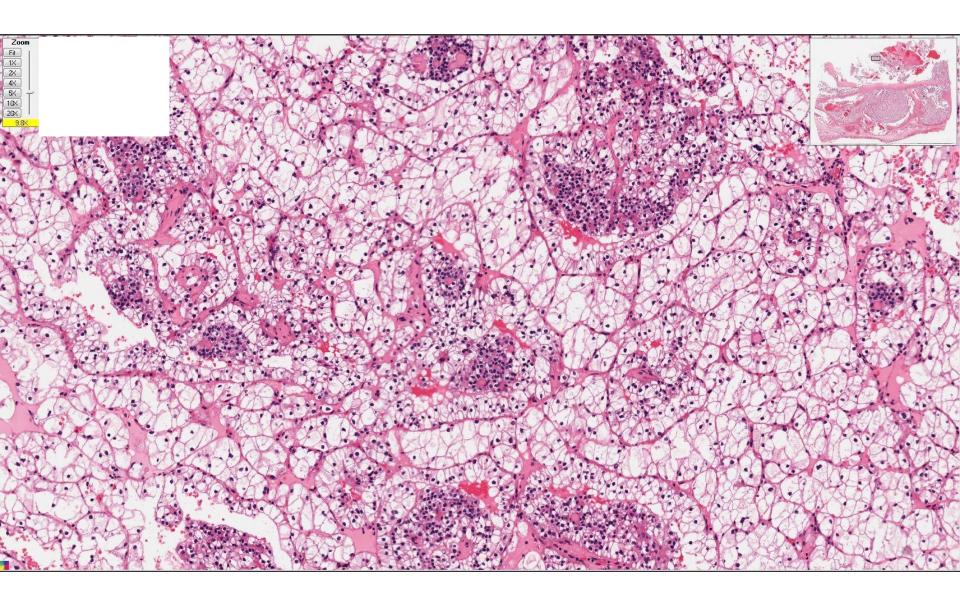
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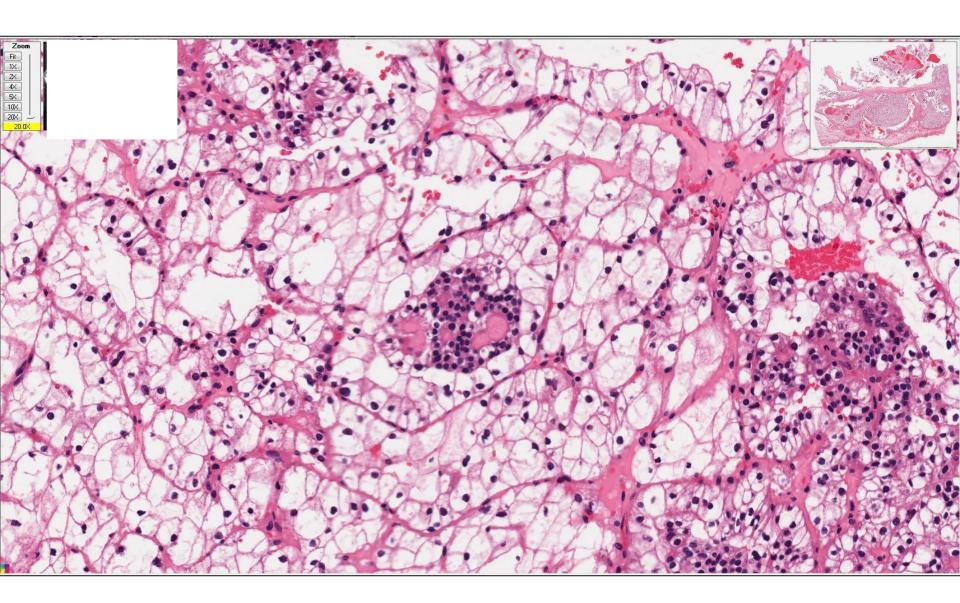
35 year-old female, 5.0 cm left renal mass, radical nephrectomy and right para-caval lymphadenectomy



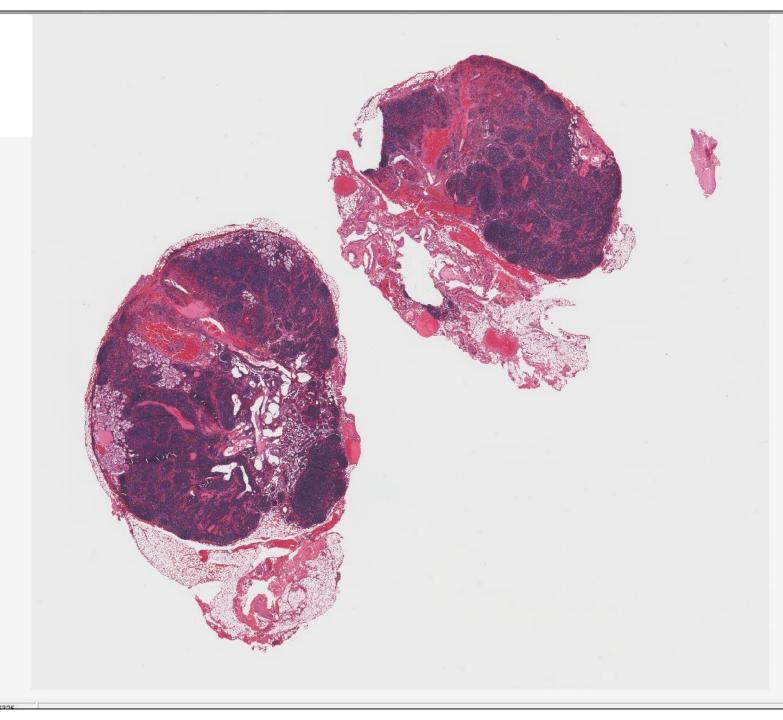


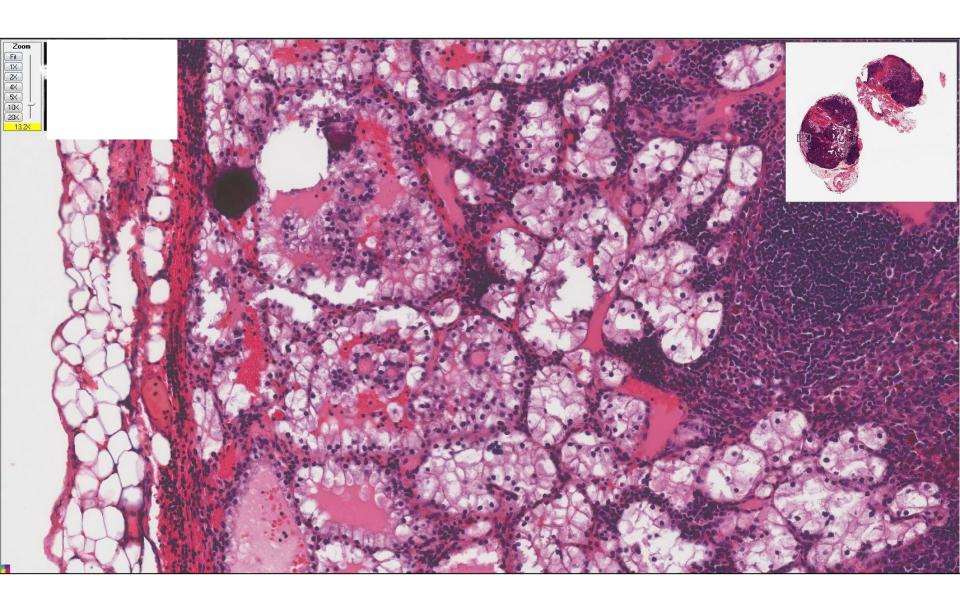






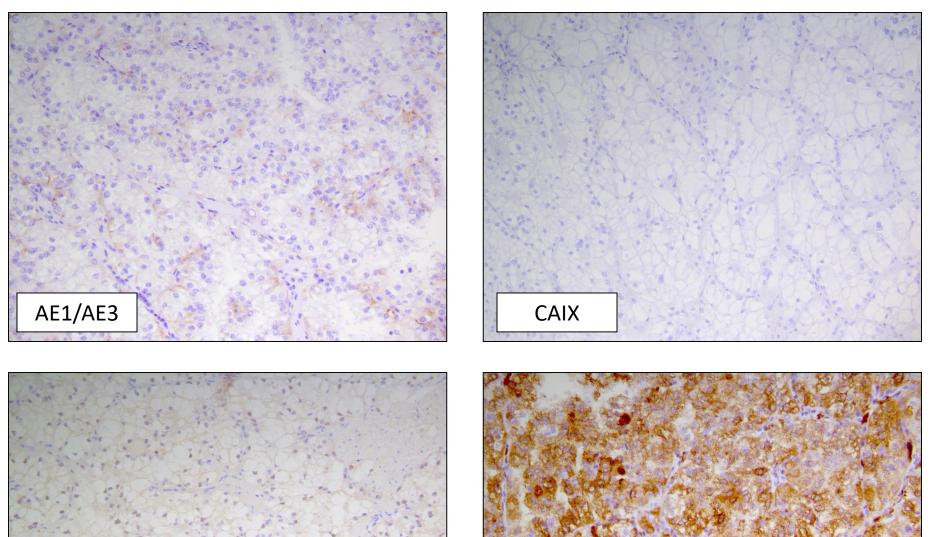
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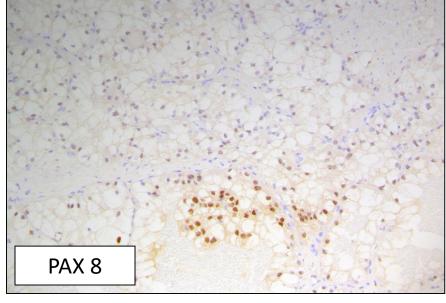


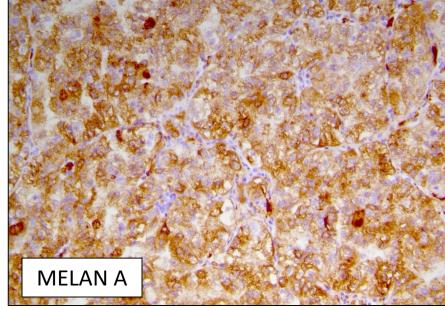


## **Differential Diagnosis**

- Metastatic ovarian clear cell carcinoma
- Conventional clear cell RCC with foci of granular cell change
- Chromophobe RCC
- Epithelioid PEComa
- Xp11 translocation-associated RCC
- t(6;11) translocation-associated RCC







## MiTF Translocation Renal Neoplasms

- Recognized by WHO only for last 10 years
- Outcomes highly variable
  - overall survival similar to clear cell RCC
  - presentation with positive lymph nodes in children good
  - presentation with distant metastases in adults poor
- Translocations involving MiT transcription factors (MiTF, TFEB, TFEC, TFE3)
  - TFE3/Xp.11 RCC
  - TFEB/t(6;11) (MALAT1-TFEB) RCC
  - Melanocytic Xp11 translocation renal cancer
  - TFE3-associated PEComa



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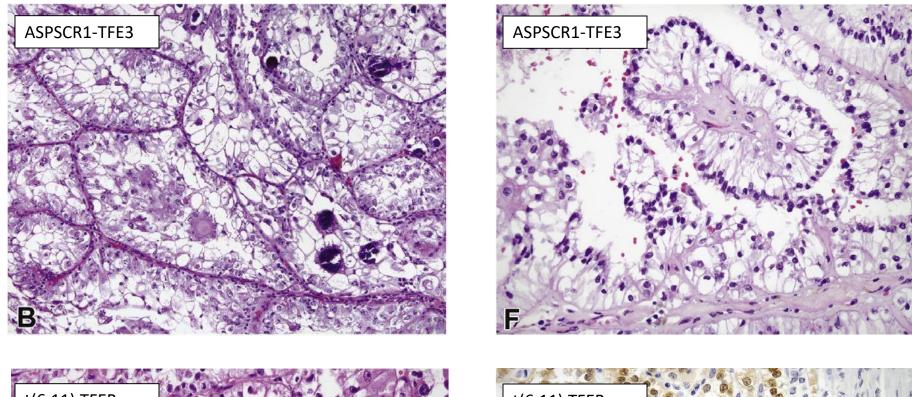
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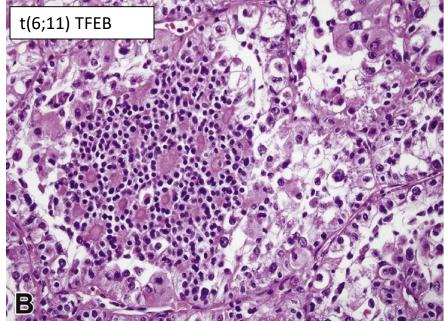
Table 1 – Cancers with Xp11 translocation/TFE3 gene fusions				
Neoplasm	Fusion	Age range (years)	Translocation	
ASPS	ASPSCR1-TFE3	1–71	der(17)(X;17)(p11.2q25)	
RCC	ASPSCR1-TFE3	1–75	t(X;17)(p11.2;q25)	
RCC	PRCC-TFE3	2–69	t(X;1)(p11.2;q21)	
RCC	SFPQ-TFE3	3–68	t(X;1)(p11.2;q34)	
RCC	NonO-TFE3	39	inv(X)(p11.2;q12)	
RCC	CLTC-TFE3	14	t(X;17)(p11.2;q23)	
RCC	Unknown	32	t(X;3)(p11.2;q23)	
RCC	Unknown	77	t(X;10)(p11.2;q23)	
Xp11 PEComa	SFPQ–TFE3 and others	9–55	t(X;1)(p11.2;q34) and others	
Melanotic Xp11 Translocation Cancer	SFPQ–TFE3 and likely others	11–55	t(X;1)(p11.2;q34) and likely others	
Subset of Epithelioid Hemangioendothelioma <sup>57</sup>	YAP1-TFE3	14–50	t(X;11)(p11.2;q13)	

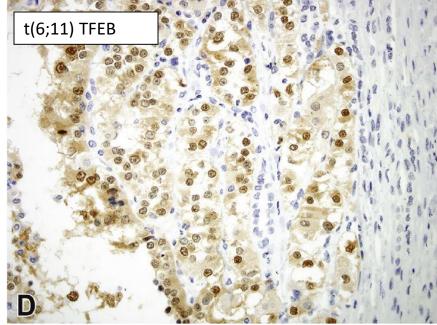
ASPS = alveolar soft part sarcoma.

RCC = renal cell carcinoma.

PEComa = perivascular epithelioid cell tumor.







## H&E Morphology and IHC Features That Sort Out The Differential

- well circumscribed solid and cystic
- predominantly clear cytoplasm with clusters of cells having granular eosinophilic cytoplasm
- distinctive second population of smaller cells with scant cytoplasm and entrapped eosinophilic hyaline basement membrane-like material
- weak AE1/AE3 positivity and strong expression of melanocytic markers, particularly MelanA and HMB45

## Immunohistochemistry and FISH

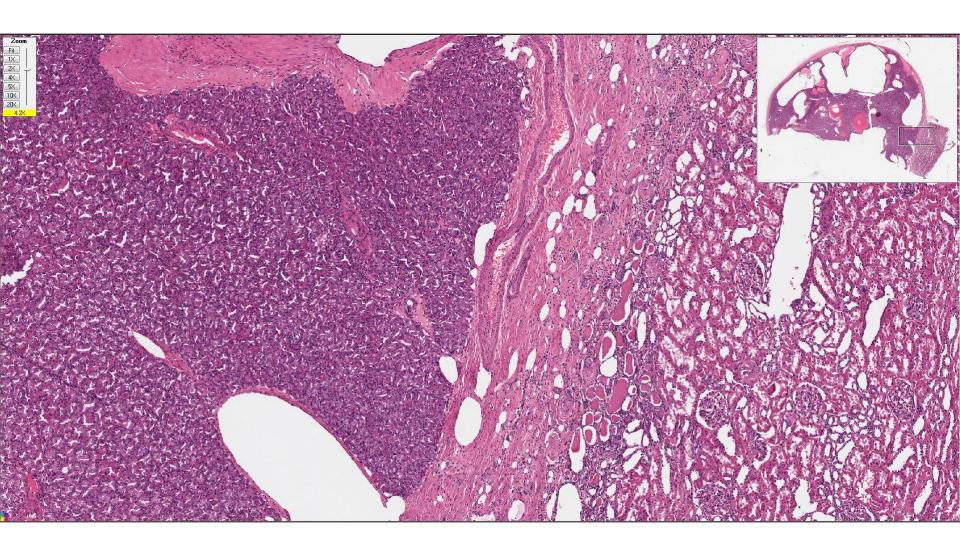
Biomarker	Reaction	
AE1/AE3	Focal Positive	
CD117	Negative	
СК7	Rare entrapped cells	
AMACR	Diffuse, weak blush	
MelanA	Diffuse, strong	
HMB45	Strong, focal	
PAX8	Diffuse, strong nuclear	
TFE3 FISH	Negative for rearrangement	
TFEB FISH	Rearrangement detected	

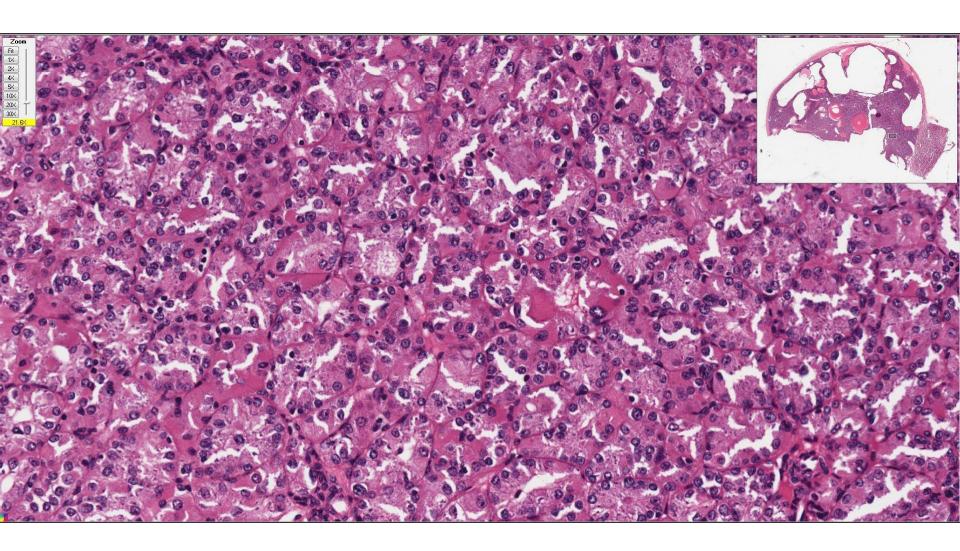
## **Diagnosis**

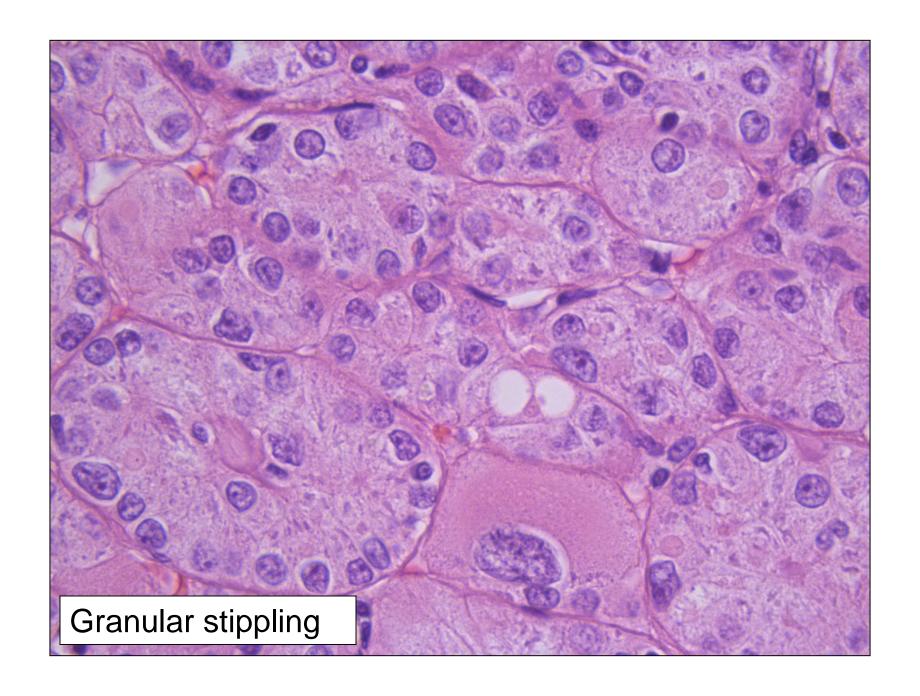
- T(6;11) TFEB translocation-associated RCC
- less common than Xp11 carcinomas, with <</li>
   100 cases reported
- described over a wide age range (3-68y), typically young adults
- many reported cases follow a benign course well characterized metastatic cases have been described suggesting a subset may be aggressive

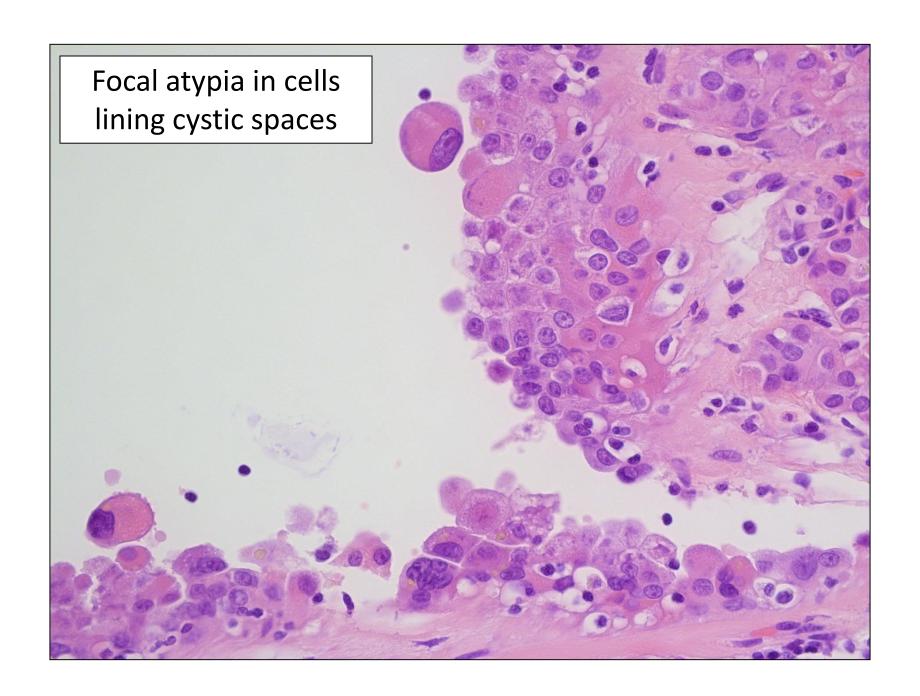
### Case 5

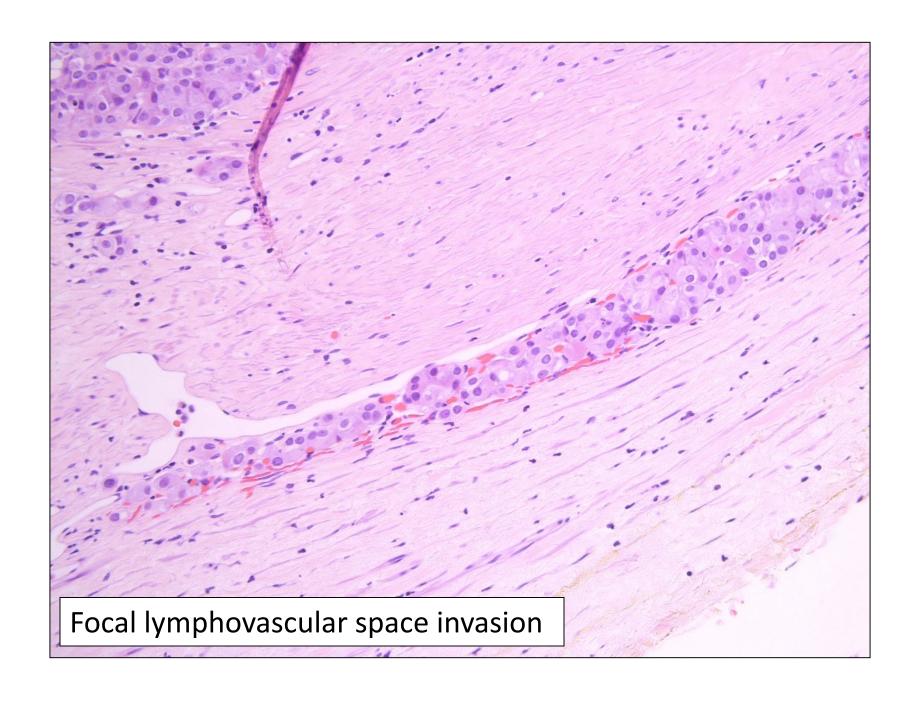
31 year-old female, 2.9 cm left renal mass, partial nephrectomy











## **Immunohistochemistry**

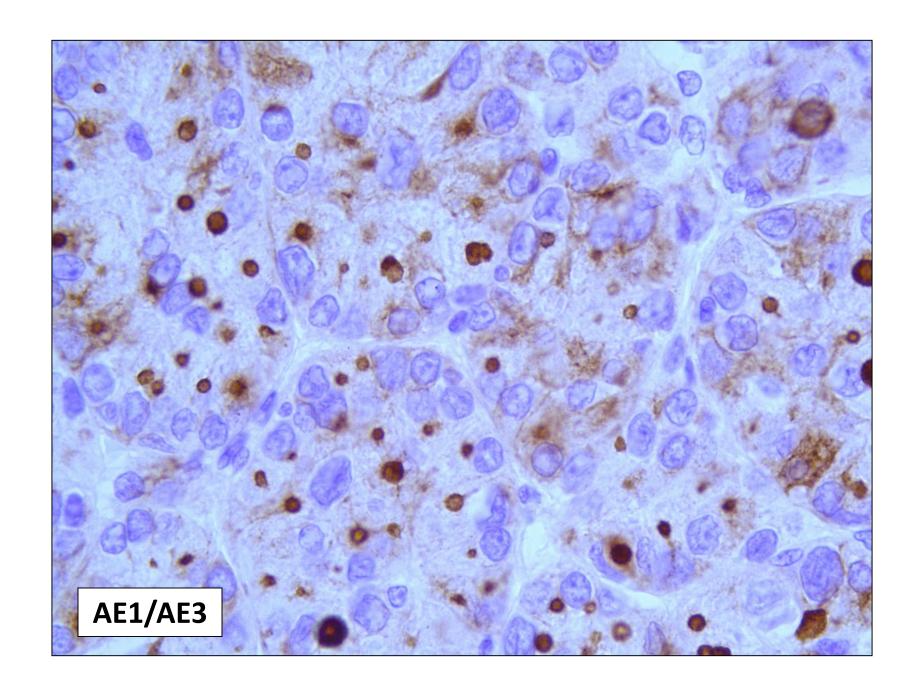
#### **Positive**

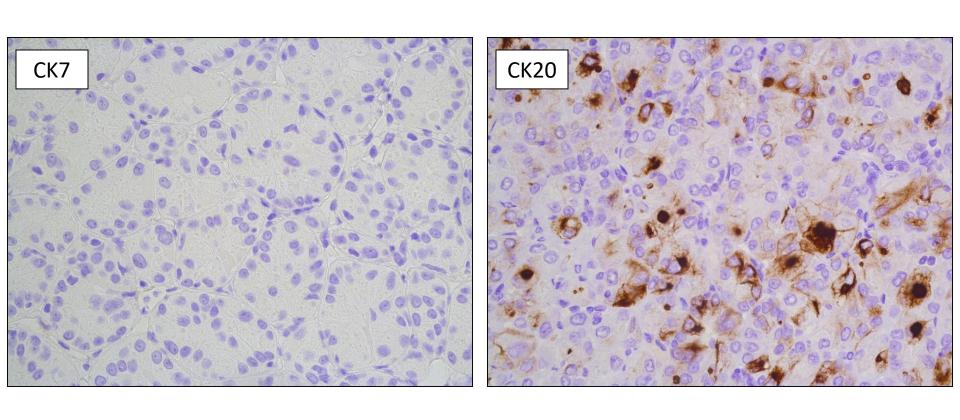
- PAX-8
- AE1/AE3\*
- CAM 5.2\*
- CK18\*
- SDHB intact expression
- MIB1 < 1% of nuclei</li>

#### **Negative**

- CK7
- CD117
- Chromogranin
- Synaptophysin
- CAIX
- HMB45

<sup>\*</sup> Dot-like/chunk-like





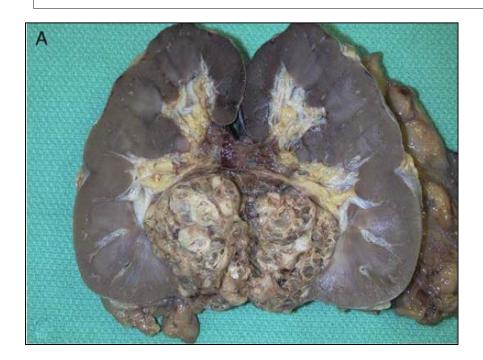
CK20 positivity is very rare in renal tumours

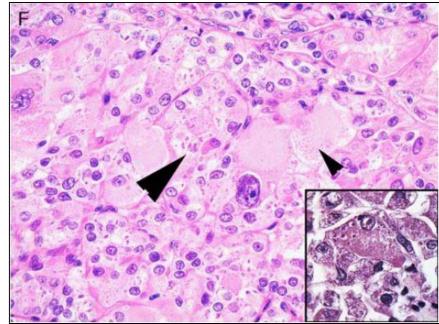
#### Eosinophilic, Solid, and Cystic Renal Cell Carcinoma

Clinicopathologic Study of 16 Unique, Sporadic Neoplasms Occurring in Women

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Clinical	Females, usually low stage, good prognosis	
Gross	Solid and cystic or solid (minority), tan, single tumors	
Light microscopy	<ul> <li>Architecture: Solid and cystic. Hobnail arrangement of cells lining septa. Diffuse or tightly compact acinar or nested growth in solid foci. Capsule absent.</li> <li>Cytology: Eosinophilic, voluminous cytoplasm with granular stippling, round to oval nuclei, and prominent nucleoli. Scattered foamy histiocytes, lymphocytes, and multinucleated cells.</li> </ul>	
IHC	Positive: PAX8, CK20 <sup>+</sup> /CK7 <sup>-</sup> phenotype most common, Vimentin, AMACR (+/-), CD10 (+/-) Negative: CA9, CD117, HMB45	
Electron microscopy	Abundant rough endoplasmic reticulum	
Molecular karyotype	LOH: 16p and Xq (3/3 cases); 11p (2/3 cases) CN gains: 1p, 7p-q, 10q, 13q, 16p-q (2/3 cases) CN losses: 19p, 19q, Xp, Xq (2/3 cases)	

Gain of Chr 16 (only 1 case analyzed)

CN indicates copy number.

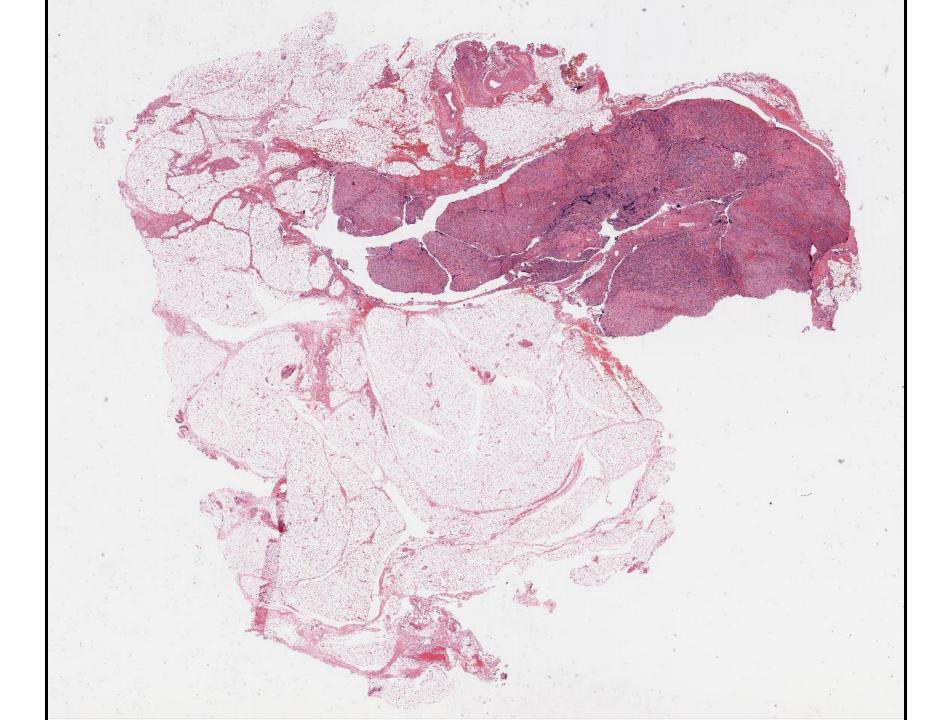
aCGH

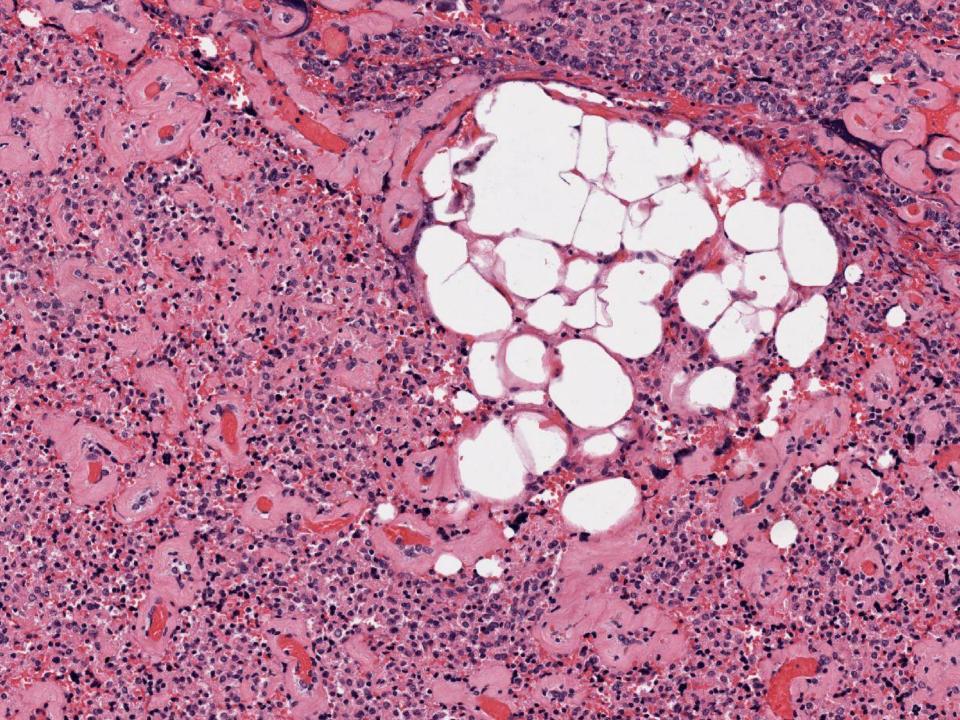
Association with tuberous sclerosis???

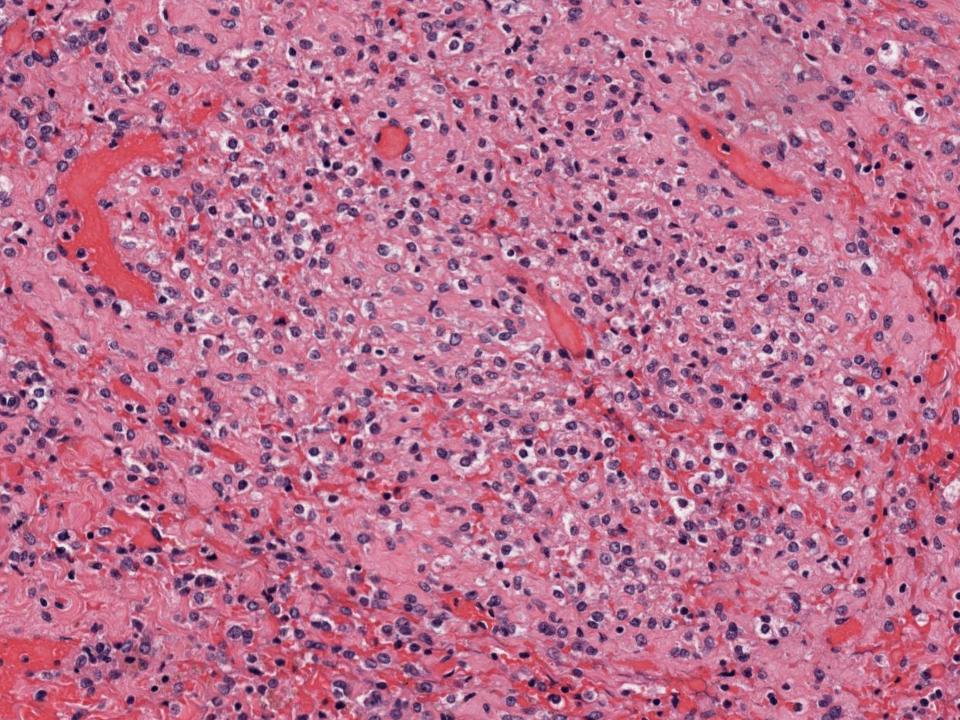
Diagnosis	Key Distinguishing Features	IHC	
ESC RCC	Female individuals, solid and cystic growth, voluminous eosinophilic cytoplasm, granular cytoplasmic stippling, usually low stage	CK20 <sup>+</sup> /CK7 <sup>-</sup> , CD117 <sup>-</sup> , PAX8 <sup>+</sup> , PanCK <sup>+</sup> , HMB45 <sup>-</sup> , CA9 <sup>-</sup> (no membranous reactivity)	
Chromophobe RCC, eosinophilic	Solid and uniform architecture, irregular nuclear membranes, perinuclear halos	CD117 <sup>+</sup> , CK7 <sup>+</sup> , CK20 <sup>-</sup>	
Oncocytoma	Uniform cytology, lacks macrocysts	CD117 <sup>+</sup> , CK7 <sup>-/+</sup> , CK20 <sup>-</sup>	
Epithelioid angiomyolipoma	Epithelioid cells that may be pleomorphic, lacks macrocysts	PAX8 <sup>-</sup> , HMB45 <sup>+</sup> , PanCK <sup>-</sup> , CK7 <sup>-</sup> , CK20 <sup>-</sup>	
Papillary RCC, oncocytic	Papillary formations (at least focal), uniform cytology	CK7 <sup>+</sup> , CK20 <sup>-</sup>	
Clear cell RCC, eosinophilic morphology	Focal clear cell areas, delicate vasculature, may contain macrocysts	CA9 <sup>+</sup> , CK20 <sup>-</sup>	
MiT translocation RCC	Large cells with clear (or eosinophilic) morphology, focal papillary and nested growth, lack cysts (usually)	TFE3 <sup>+</sup> , TFEB <sup>+</sup> , HMB45 <sup>+</sup> , PanCK <sup>-</sup>	
SDH-deficient RCC	Lacks macrocysts, uniform low-grade oncocytic cells with flocculent to densely eosinophilic cytoplasmic vacuoles	CD117 <sup>-</sup> , SDHB <sup>-</sup> , SDHA <sup>+</sup> , CK20 <sup>-</sup>	

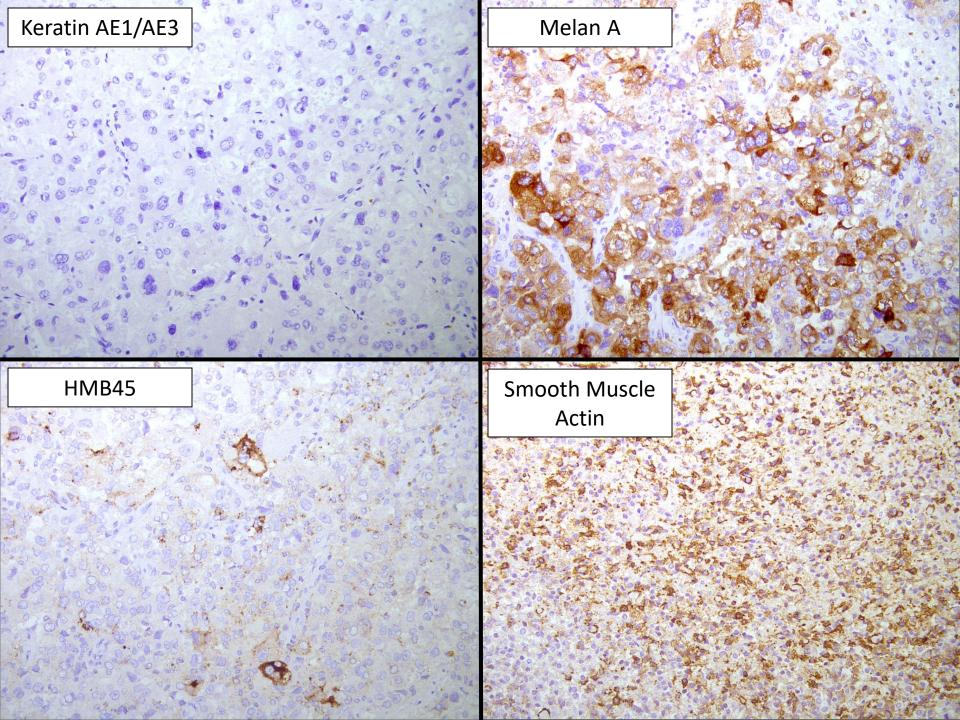
## Case 6

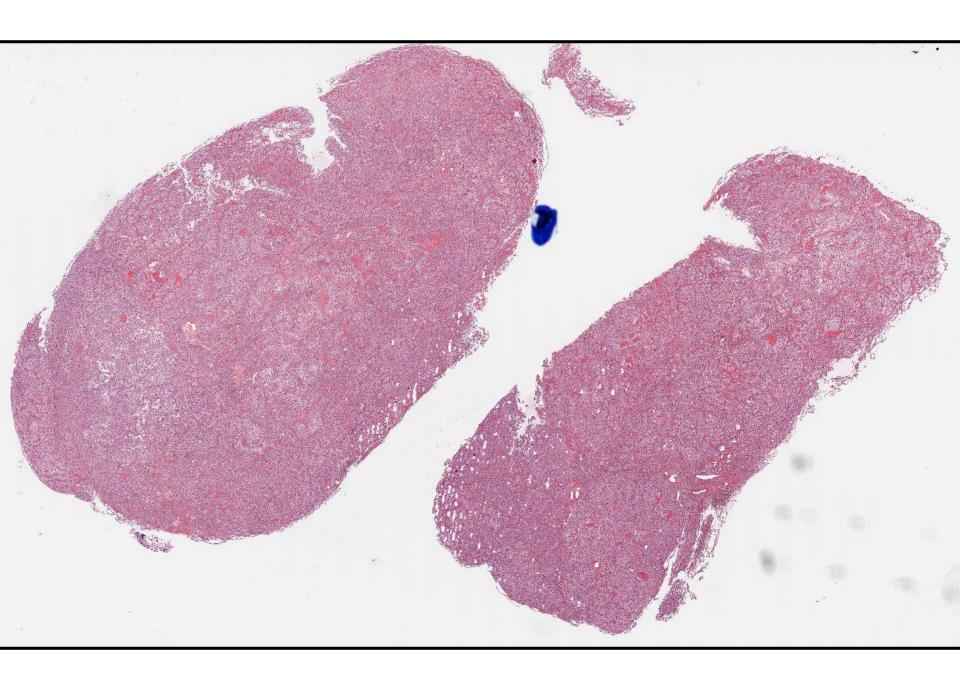
39 year-old male, bilateral renal masses 5.0 cm left renal mass, partial nephrectomy - previous right nephrectomy for "RCC of unknown histological subtype"

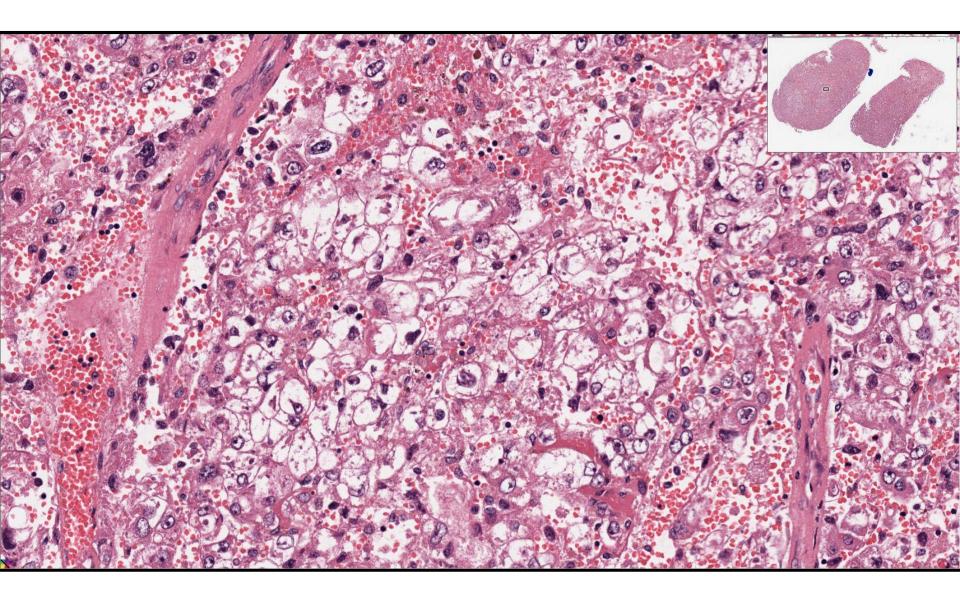




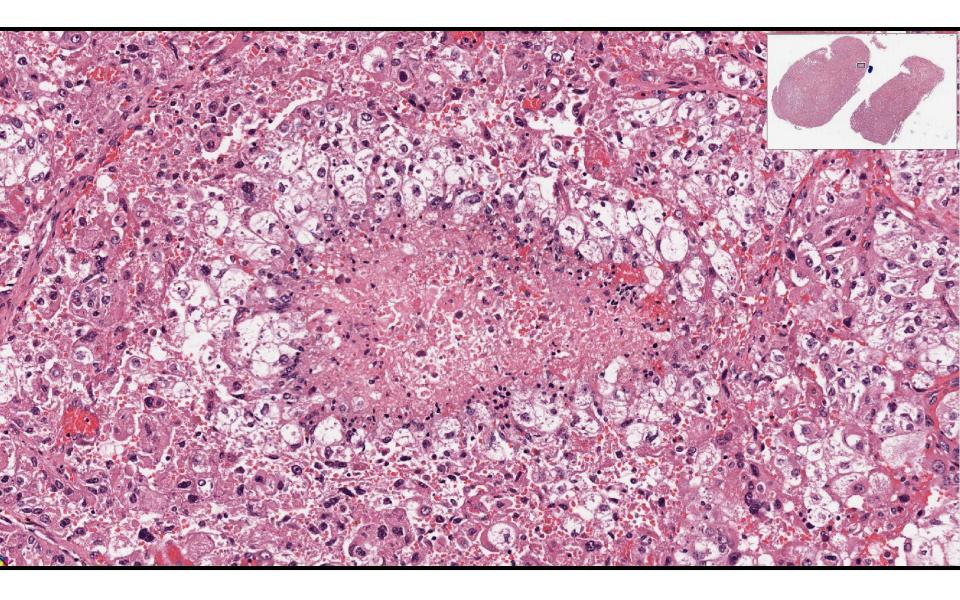








Cytologic Atypia



**Focal Necrosis** 

# **Atypical Epithelioid Angiomyolipoma**

- typically follow benign course
- diagnostic confusion with:
  - clear cell RCC <u>+</u> sarcomatoid features in TSC
  - Delgado et al, Cancer, 1998
- rare malignant transformation sarcoma ex AML
- metastases and death within 1 year
  - Pea et al, Am J Surg Pathol, 1998

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# Renal Epithelioid Angiomyolipoma With Atypia: A Series of 40 Cases With Emphasis on Clinicopathologic Prognostic Indicators of Malignancy

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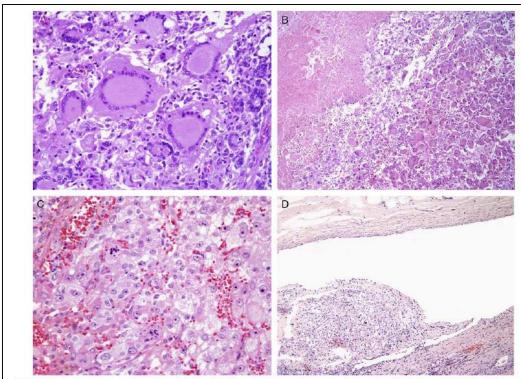
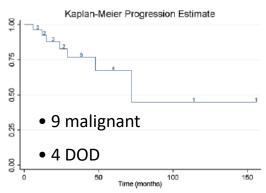


FIGURE 2. A, Neoplastic multinucleated giant cells with nuclei arranged peripherally in a ring-like fashion tracing the cell contour were seen in about half of cases of epithelioid AML with atypia. B, Coagulative necrosis in an epithelioid AML with severe atypia. C, Epithelioid AML with severe atypia showing atypical mitotic figures. D, Renal vein invasion was seen in a minority of cases.



**FIGURE 3.** Kaplan-Meier progression estimate for epithelioid AML with atypia showing 2, 3, and 5 year estimated progression-free probabilities of 83%, 77%, and 67%, respectively.

#### **TABLE 4.** Pathologic Features Predictive of Malignancy in Epithelioid AML With Atypia

- 1. ≥ 70% atypical epithelioid cells
- 2. ≥ 2 mitotic figures per 10 hpf
- 3. Atypical mitotic figures
- 4. Necrosis

Three or more of the above features predicts increased risk of clinically malignant behavior.

### Renal Angiomyolipoma

#### Clinicopathologic Study of 194 Cases With Emphasis on the Epithelioid Histology and Tuberous Sclerosis Association

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**TABLE 1.** Clinical Features of Epithelioid and Nonepithelioid Renal Angiomyolipomas

	Epithelioid AML (n = 15)	Nonepithelioid AML (n = 179)	P
Mean age at surgery (y)	38.6	52.3	0.000
Male/female Clinical	1:6.5	1:4	NS 0.007
presentation Non-TSC	11 (73.3%)	167 (93.3%)	
TSC Size (am. ronge)	4 (26.7%)	12 (6.7%) 5.6 (0.2-35)	0.021
Size (cm, range) Follow-up available Follow-up duration	8.6 (1-30) 15/15 (100%)	137/179 (76.5%)	0.021 0.034 NS
Mean	5.1	3.0	110
Range Recurrence/	0.1-19.9 0	0.1-23.7	NS
metastasis	-	*	3 10

TABLE 3. Clinicopathologic Features of Renal Angiomyolipomas in Patients With and Without Tuberous Sclerosis Complex

	Associated With TSC (n = 16)	Not Associated With TSC (n = 178)	P
Mean age	31.5	53.0	< 0.001
Male to female ratio	1:1.3	1:3.5	NS
Mean size (cm) and range	12.9 (2.5-35)	5.3 (0.2-28)	< 0.001
Epithelioid AML	4 (25.0%)	11 (6.2%)	0.007
Epithelial cyst		6 (3.4%)	< 0.001
Microscopic			< 0.001
AML foci			
Present	10 (62.5%)	11 (6.2%)	
Mean number	26.2	5.3	
Range	7-50	1-12	

