

蛋白尿與腎絲球疾病的評估與處置

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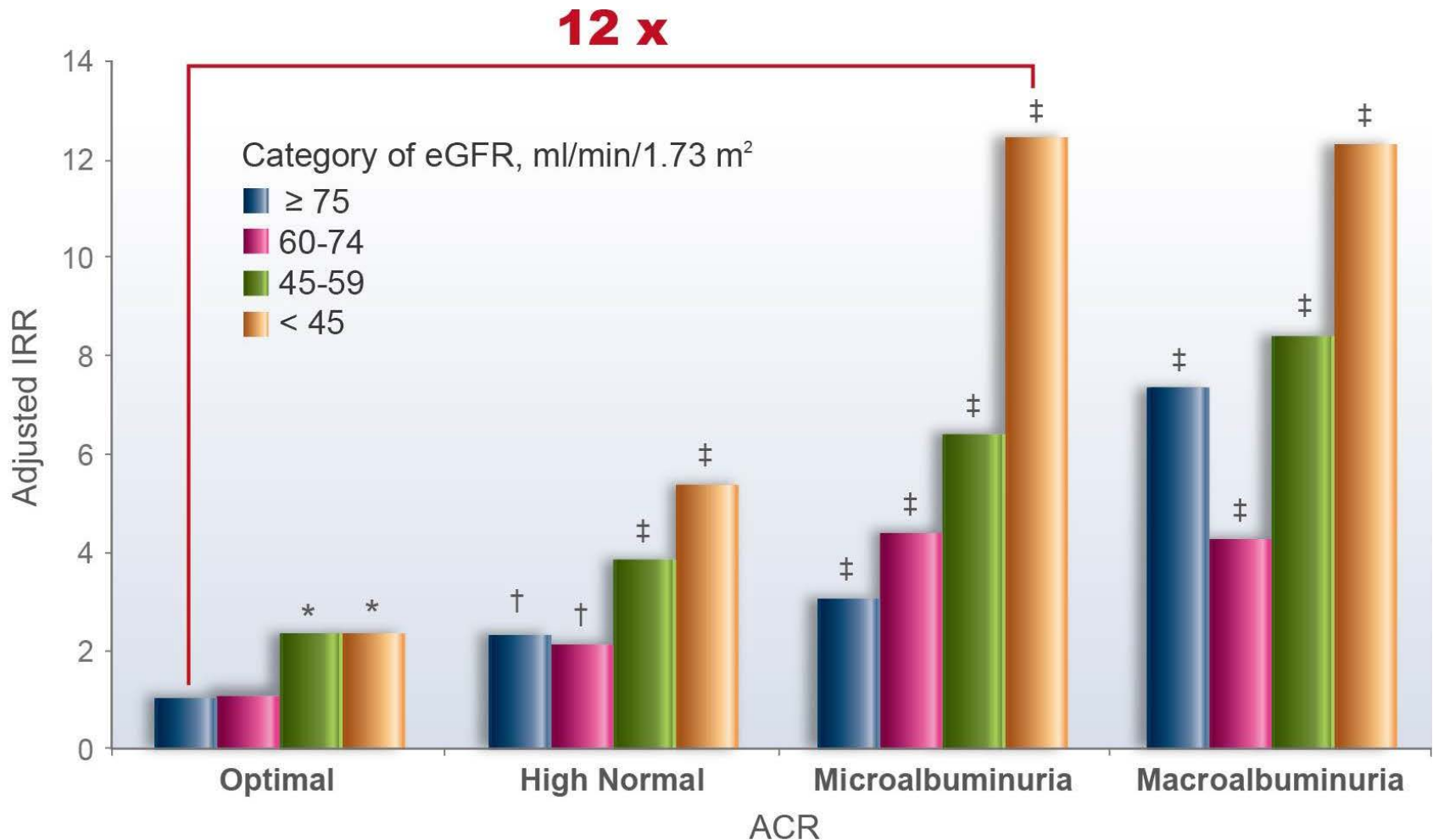
醫生阿 我尿尿有泡泡 怎麼辦 ??



Foamy Urine & Proteinuria

- 小便有無泡沫無法斷定一定有或沒有蛋白尿
 - 尿中含氮廢物和礦物質上升時(改變了尿液的表面張力活性)易有泡泡
 - 晨尿 → 整晚尿液濃縮 + 尿液沖激到馬桶(ex: 男生)易有泡泡
 - 正常生理形成的尿液泡沫一般會在數秒~數分鐘內消失
 - 真正的蛋白尿小便特徵 = 表面漂浮著一層細小的泡沫 + 久久不消失
 - 真正的蛋白尿需經由客觀的評估 = 尿液分析
- 正常的尿中有沒有蛋白？多少算正常？
 - 正常的尿蛋白組成
 - **Tamm-Horsfall protein** (Loop of Henle上皮細胞分泌的Mucoprotein)
 - Albumin (~20%) (65,000 Daltons)
 - 少量Immunoglobulin light chain & β 2-microglobulin
 - 正常尿蛋白量
 - **Total protein < 150mg/24hr & albumin < 30mg/24hr**

Reduced kidney function and MAU are risk factors for cardiovascular death



Reference: Hallan S, et al. Association of kidney function and albuminuria with cardiovascular mortality in older vs younger individuals: The HUNT II Study. Arch Intern Med 2007;167:2490-6.

ESH/ESC guideline recommendation: tests for MAU are widely available and relatively inexpensive and highly predictive

Availability, prognostic value and cost of some markers of organ damage (scored from 0 to 4 pluses)			
Markers	CV predictive value	Availability	Cost
Electrocardiography	++	++++	+
Echocardiography	+++	+++	++
Carotid intima-media thickness	+++	+++	++
Arterial stiffness (pulse wave velocity)	+++	+	++
Ankle-Brachial index	++	++	+
Coronary calcium content	+	+	++++
Cardiac/vascular tissue composition	?	+	++
Circulatory collagen markers	?	+	++
Endothelial dysfunction	++	+	+++
Cerebral lacunae/white matter lesions	?	++	++++
Est. glomerular filtration rate or creatinine clearance	+++	++++	+
Microalbuminuria	+++	++++	+

Categories of CKD in KDIGO 2012

Prognosis of CKD by GFR and Albuminuria Categories: KDIGO 2012				Persistent albuminuria categories Description and range		
				A1	A2	A3
				Normal to mildly increased <30 mg/g <3 mg/mmol	Moderately increased 30-300 mg/g 3-30 mg/mmol	Severely increased >300 mg/g >30 mg/mmol
GFR categories (ml/min/ 1.73 m ²) Description and range	G1	Normal or high	≥90			
	G2	Mildly decreased	60-89			
	G3a	Mildly to moderately decreased	45-59			
	G3b	Moderately to severely decreased	30-44			
	G4	Severely decreased	15-29			
	G5	Kidney failure	<15			

Other markers of kidney disease, no CKD); Yellow: moderately increased risk; Orange: high risk; F

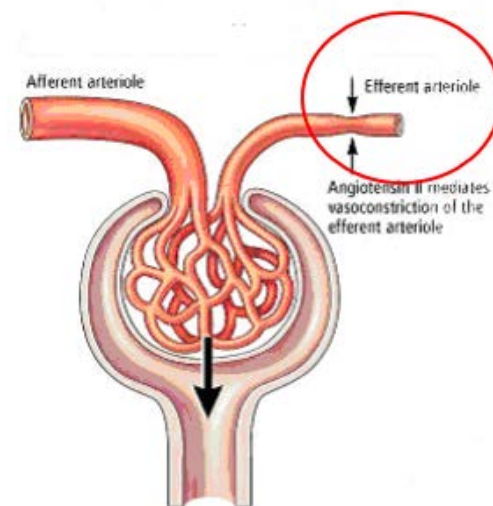
有蛋白尿就是腎臟有問題？

- **Transient proteinuria (or physiologic proteinuria)**

- 因為暫時性腎小球濾過量或壓力上升等hemodynamic change造成
- 見於fever, 運動後, CHF (venous congestion), 懷孕, 寒冷, 情緒壓力 等
- 解除後自動回復 & Urine daily protein loss 通常小於 1 g/d

- **Postural proteinuria**

- 2%~5%青少年，30歲後多半會消失
- 直立時發生，又稱orthostatic proteinuria
- 可能機制：直立時norepinephrine及AT-II 增加
- 通常<1g/d



Classification of Proteinuria

Measure	Categories		
	Normal to mildly increased	Moderately increased	Severely increased
AER (mg/24 h)	<30	30–300	>300
PER (mg/24 h)	<150	150–500	>500
ACR		microalbuminuria	macroalbuminuria
(mg/mmol)	<3	3–30	>30
(mg/g)	<30	30–300	>300
PCR			
(mg/mmol)	<15	15–50	>50
(mg/g)	<150	150–500	>500
Protein reagent strip	Negative to trace	Trace to +	+ or greater

Reference: KDIGO Clinical Practice Guideline for the Management of BP in CKD (2012)

尿蛋白的檢驗

- **Urinalysis (dipstick, 半定量法)**

- **1+ 30mg/dL, 2+ 100mg/dL, 3+ 300mg/dL, 4+ 1~2g/dL**
 - Se 32~46%, Sp 97~100%
- **只能測Albumin; 需一天尿蛋白>300~500mg/d才會(+)**
 - $30\text{mg/dL} = 30\text{mg}/100\text{ml} \times 1000\sim1500\text{ ml (假設一天尿量)} = 300\sim450\text{mg}$
- 一旦持續Positive就已經是Macroalbuminuria(>300mg/day)
 - **無法早期偵測Diabetic kidney disease的Microalbuminuria (30~300mg/d)**
 - 在Microalbuminuria時開始用ACEI/ARB有機會改善DKD/延緩腎功能惡化
- False positive
 - Sp. gravity >1.020 (太濃) or Urine Ph >7 or pyuria/hematuria
 - 24hr內用過含碘顯影劑
- False negative
 - Sp. gravity <1.005 (太稀) or Urine Ph 太低(ex: <5.0)



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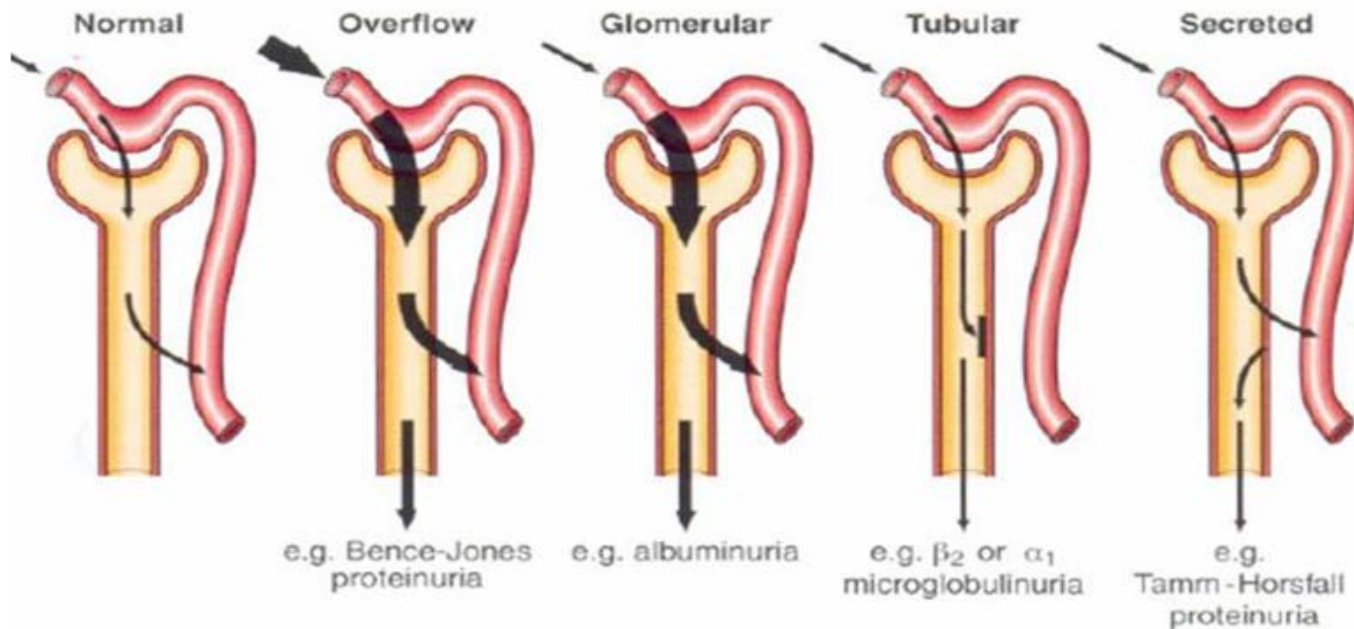
- 定量法才能早期發現**Microalbuminuria**
- **24 hr urine total protein/albumin & creatinine**
 - Gold standard & avoid circadian variation & 可測各種protein
 - 標準 = "**empty to empty**" (開始留前解尿解乾淨, 結束前解尿解乾淨)
 - 起算時第一泡尿必需要捨棄, 因為這是之前時間所製造和累積的尿液。
 - 較不方便/費時 & 收集檢體易出錯
 - 驗證: 由total urine Cr, 判定檢體收的好不好(Cr產量: <50y/o, 男 20~25mg/kg/d & 女 15~20mg/kg/d; >50y/o 10~20mg/kg/d)

尿蛋白的檢驗

- **Spot urine albumin/creatinine ratio (ACR) or PCR**
 - Spot urine ACR: Urine Albumin/urine Cr
 - $ACR \div 24\text{hrs urine albumin}$ 成立於24hrs urine cr稍>1g
 - 單次的尿蛋白/尿肌酸酐比(PCR)僅僅代表了該病人一天排出1000mg 肌酸酐時所同時排出的尿蛋白量
 - 肌肉量很多，一天排出的肌酸酐很可能會遠超過 1000 mg
 - ➔ ACR(PCR)低估了一天腎臟實際排出的Albumin(protein)
 - 體型瘦小, PCR 則會高估
 - 取清晨第一尿，可得到整晚的平均結果，降低個體生理週期波動的問題

Classification of Persistent proteinuria

- Secretory(or situational) & Tubular基本 $< 2\text{g/d}$
- $>2\text{g/d}$ → 考慮glomerular or overflow



Persistent pathological proteinuria

Types	Types of urine proteins
Glomerular proteinuria	Albumin, large molecules (≥ 68 kD) : transferrin, anti-thrombin, immunoglobulin G
Tubular proteinuria	LMW (≤ 25 KD) proteinuria: α_1 -microglobulin (A ₁ M) or retinol-binding protein (RBP), β_2 -microglobulin (B ₂ M)
Overflow proteinuria	immunoglobulin light chains (Bence-Jones protein) , hemoglobinuria, myoglobiuria, lysozyme

Tubular proteinuria

- Tubular interstitial disease or tubular injury/dysfunction
 - Acute hypersensitivity interstitial nephritis(ATIN)
 - NSAID, antibiotics
 - Gouty nephropathy
 - Heavy metals
 - Sick cell disease
 - Fanconi syndrome(proximal tubule injury; congenital, drug toxicity, heavy metals)

Overflow proteinuria

- Overproduction of immunoglobulin light chains, myoglobin, hemoglobin
 - Multiple myeloma
 - Amyloidosis
 - Hemoglobinuria
 - Myoglobinuria

Glomerular Disease

- **ESRD in Taiwan (2011)**
 - Causes: **1st DKD**, 2nd GN, 3rd Hypertensive nephropathy
- **Glomerular disease: a spectrum of disease groups**
- **Nephrotic syndrome vs Nephritic syndrome**
 - 是依據**表現型態**上的區分(proteinura/hematuria/HTN/GFR decreasing)
 - 某些腎絲球疾病則可能具有跨越兩種Syndrome的表現

Glomerular Disease Classification

- **Nephrotic syndrome** (小球阻擋蛋白流失能力↓↓為主)
 - 定義: **Proteinuria>3.5g/d & Alb<3.5mg/dL & edema/dyslipidemia**
 - 較少高血壓 & **U/A**僅蛋白尿而無大量**RBC** & 較少一開始就有**AKI**
 - 蛋白流失太多 → malnutrition & immune compromised (Ig loss)
 - 流失AT-III及其他抗凝血因子 → thrombosis risk (~25%)
- **Nephritic syndrome** (小球發炎 + 合併阻擋蛋白流失能力↓)
 - Proteinuria未達Nephrotic level → **Subnephrotic proteinuria <3.5g/d**
 - 常表現高血壓 & **U/A gross/microscopic hematuria (+/- RBC cast)**
 - 常一開始有**dysmorphic RBC** & **AKI(也可水腫)** & 可能有**WBC cast**

- 依病理: IgA nephropathy, MCD, membranous GN, FSGS, MPGN
- 依臨床進展：RPGN, CGN
- 相同病因可造成不同病理：
 - NSAID: MCD, membranous GN
- 相同病理可由不同病因造成：
 - membranous GN: NSAID, HBV, SLE, malignancy

Endothelium 內皮細胞

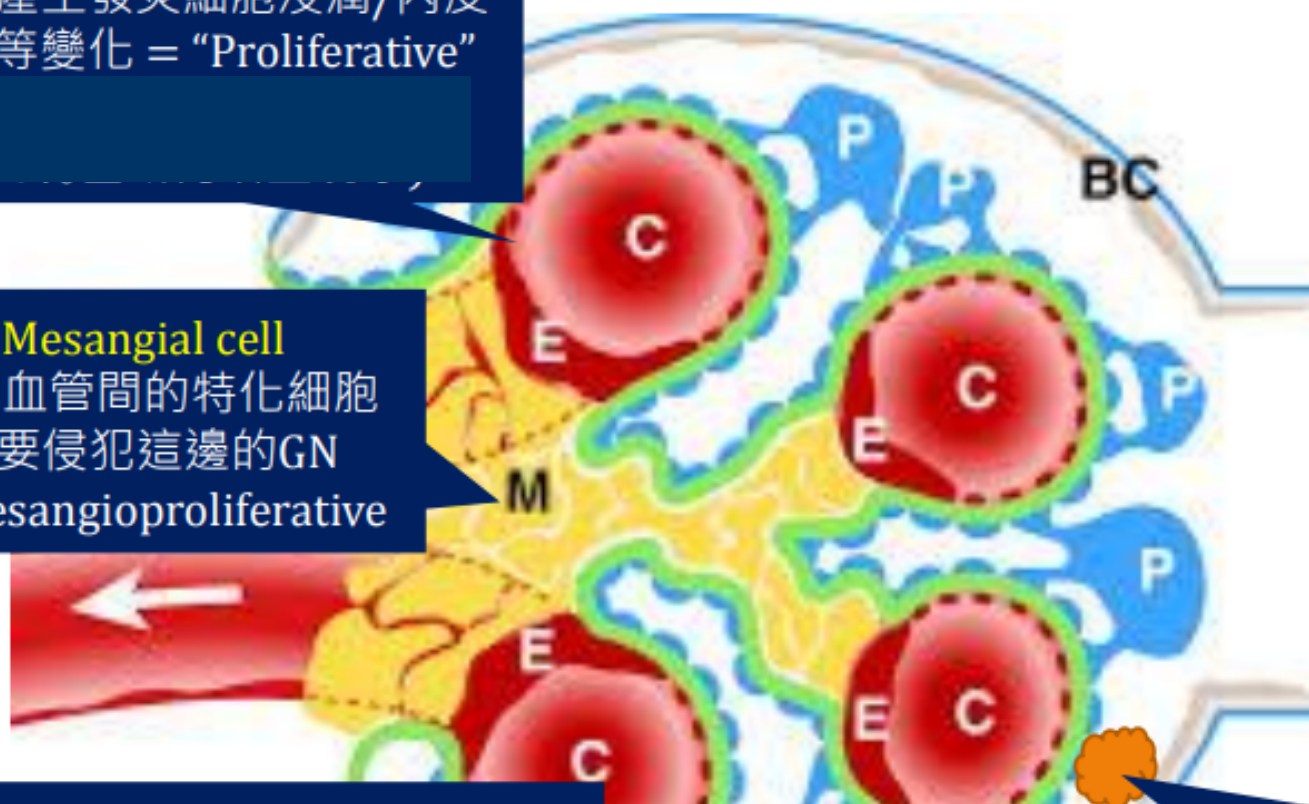
大多數GN侵犯的部分
GN時產生發炎細胞浸潤/內皮
增生等變化 = "Proliferative"

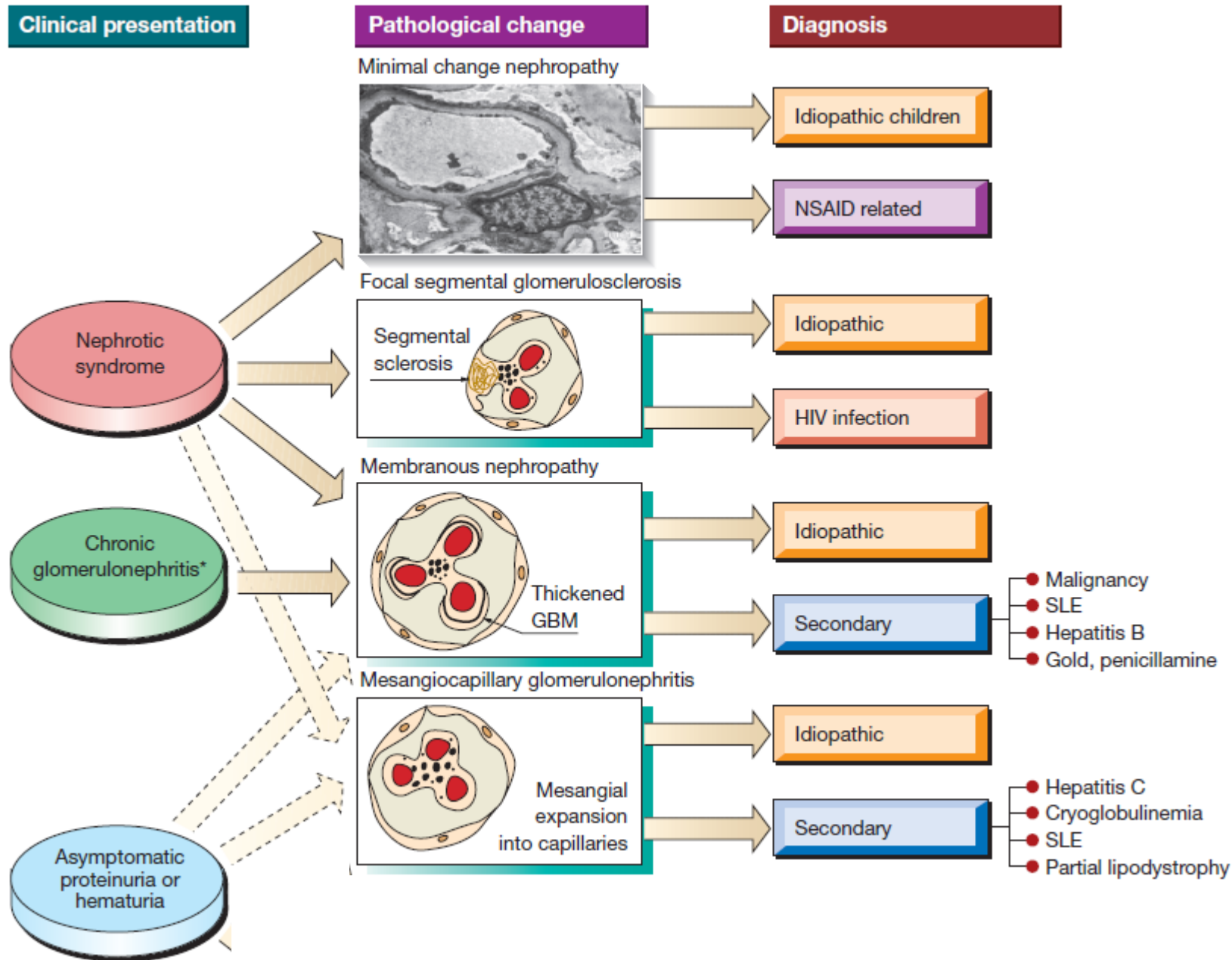
Mesangial cell

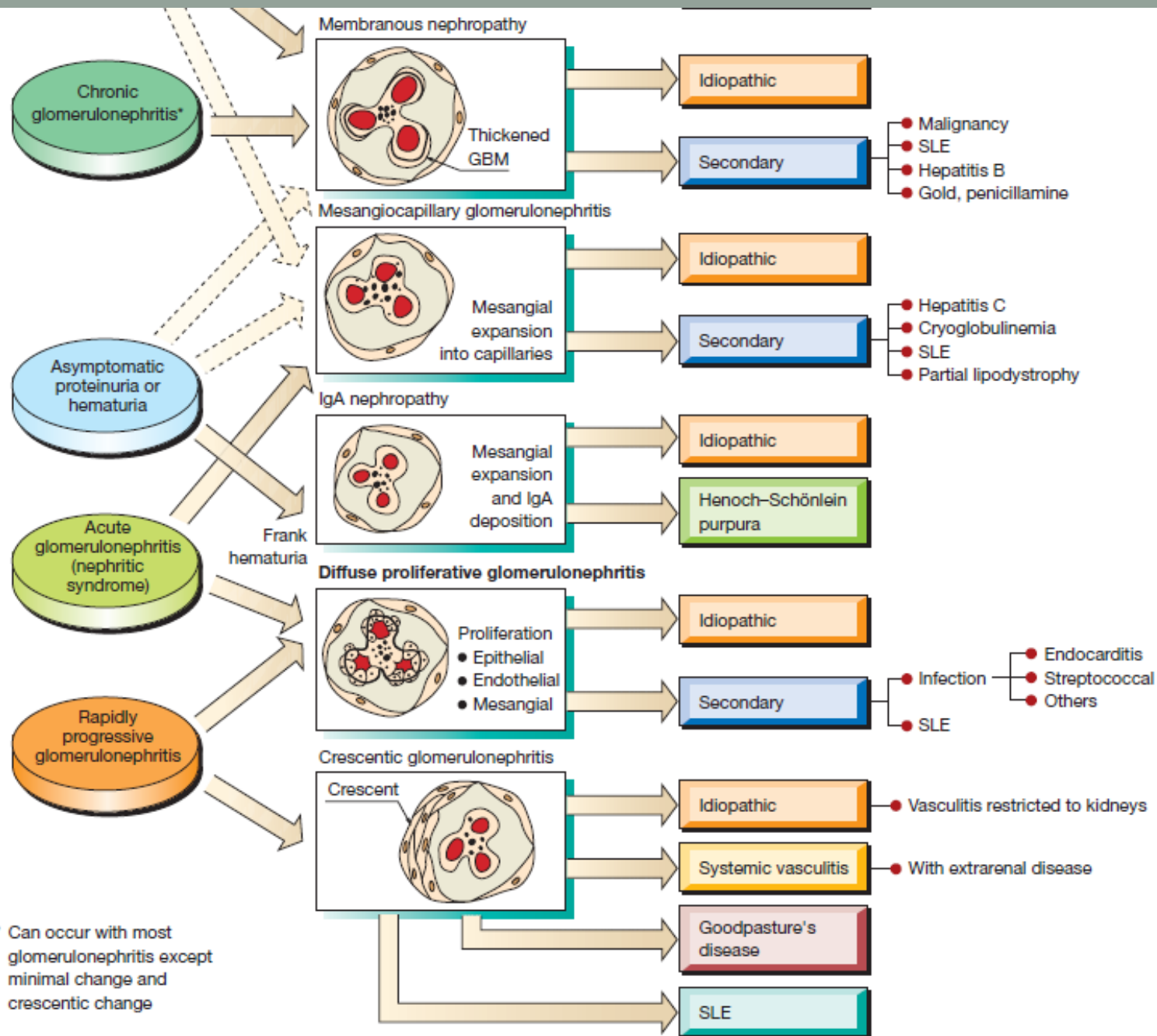
在微血管間的特化細胞
主要侵犯這邊的GN
= Mesangioproliferative

Podocyte (= Epithelium)和內皮細胞
以BM隔開 = "Membranous"區域
Membranous → 僅上皮(無發炎)
Membranoproliferative → 內皮+上皮

Crescent = 某些嚴重GN時
產生一坨纖維性/細胞性增生
塞在鮑氏囊中的現象(臨床表
現通常是RPGN)







Nephritic Syndrome

- 依照**病因分類及螢光染色/抗體**區分
- **Pauci-immune, minimal staining** (沒有明顯螢光染色)
 - **ANCA (Anti-Neutrophil Cytoplasmic Antibody) (+)**
 - GPA = Wegener's, EGPA = Churg-Strauss, Microscopic polyangiitis
- **Linear staining** (線狀螢光染色)
 - Anti-GBM disease, Goodpasture syndrome
- **Granular staining** (顆粒狀螢光染色)
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 - **ANCA (Anti-Neutrophil Cytoplasmic Antibody) (+)**
 - 這群疾病會有ANCA (+), 但生理意義仍未明; C3/C4正常
 - Trigger factors: bacterial infection, drug
 - 常見藥物包含hydralazine, allopurinol, contaminated cocaine

口訣:
WC洗屁屁
(W/C-C/P/P)

ANCA-associated Vasculitis (GPA = **W**egener's, EGPA = **C**hurg-Strauss)

Disease	Granuloma	Renal	Pulmonary	Asthma	Ab type	ANCA(+)
Granulomatosis with polyangiitis (GPA)	(+)	80%	90%(+ENT)	(-)	c-ANCA (anti-PR3)	90%
Eosinophilic GPA	(+)	45%	70%	(+)	p-ANCA (anti-MPO)	50%
Microscopic polyangiitis	(-)	90%	50%	(-)		70%

Nephritic Syndrome

- 佔全部GN的~15% (西方人) & 腎臟多以**RPGN**表現 & **可能肺出血**
- **Anti-GBM (Anti-Glomerular Basement membrane Antibody) (+)**
 - 此類抗體的病生理意義仍未明; 本院無法驗; C3/C4正常
- RPGN/Acute GN +/- Lung hemorrhage
 - Medical emergency (RPGN + 咳血者要想到肺出血 & 可能須插管)
 - Need early diagnosis (ex: biopsy) & treatment (ex: plasmapheresis)
 - **首先排除ANCA-associated vasculitis & Anti-GBM disease**
 - 其他: systemic vasculitis in SLE, uremic bleeding with pulm. edema

Anti-GBM Disease (young male, 5~40 y/o, M:F 6:1)

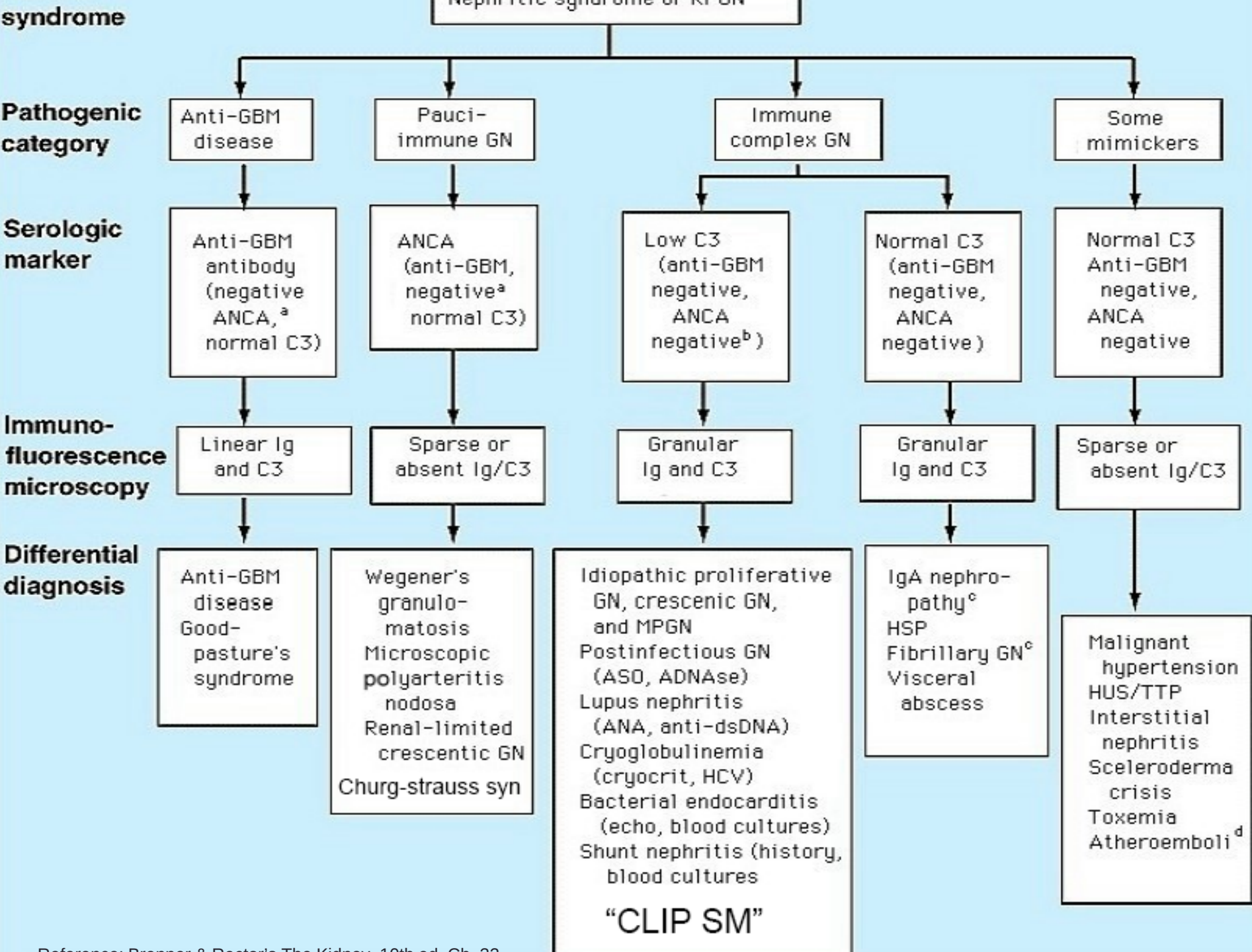
Disease	GN	Lung hemorrhage	Anti-GBM Ab
Goodpasture's	(+)	(+)	(+)
Anti-GBM disease	(+)	(-)	(+)

Reference: Brenner & Rector's The Kidney, 10th ed. Ch. 32

Nephritic Syndrome

- **Granular staining** (顆粒狀螢光染色)
 - 佔全部GN的40~45 % (西方人) & variable presentation
 - **Immune complex disease** (IC disease, 腎絲球內有IC deposition)
 - 可以依據**C3 level**分成兩群 → 再各自分成**systemic vs renal-limited**

Immune Complex Disease			
Low C3 (“CLIP-SM” + C)		Normal C3	
Systemic	Renal-limited	Systemic	Renal-limited
Cryoglobulinemia (HCV/RF/Cryo+,SPEP)	Poststreptococcal GN (PSGN)(10~14d, ASLO+)	HSP (Henoch-Schonlein Purpura) (血尿,腹痛, 紫斑)	IgA nephropathy
SLE (Lupus) (ANA/ds-DNA Ab+)	Shunt nephritis (VP shunt Hx)		Fibrillary GN
Endocarditis (IE) (fever, B/C+, valvular dx)	Membranoproliferative GN (MPGN)		
Other: idiopathic proliferative GN/Crescentic GN 註: Ccholesterol emboli造成的蛋白尿C3/C4也會低		註: HSP = IgA nephropathy + systemic vasculitis	



Nephrotic Syndrome

- 分為Primary glomerular disease vs Systemic disease

Primary Glomerular Disease	Systemic Disease
MCD (minimal change disease)(20%) 小兒腎病症候群最常見原因 Primary & Secondary (NSAID , Hodgkin's)	DM (HbA1C , Kimmelsteil-Wilson) (Retinopathy 60% in T2DM)
MN (Membranous nephropathy)(30%) 成人腎病症候群最常見原因 Primary: phospholipase A2 receptor Ab Secondary: HBV, HCV, Syphilis, Cancer , SLE	Amyloidosis (AL = light chain disease) (AA = inflammation dx)
FSGS (focal segmental glomerulosclerosis) (40%) Primary (suPAR) & secondary (HIV , Heroin, etc)	SLE (Typically WHO class V)
MPGN (5%) (HCV +/- Cryo ; HBV, etc)	Cryoglobulinemia (Typically MPGN in kidney)
Fibrillary-immunotactoid glomerulopathy (1%)	
其他: Mesaingial proliferative GN, IgM/C1q nephropathy	

Glomerular Disease Approach

- **Recent infection/fever**
 - **Infective endocarditis**
 - **PSGN (10~14 days after GAS)**
 - **IgA nephropathy (5~7 days after URI)**
 - **SLE**
- **Skin purpura/ecchymosis**
 - TTP/HUS
 - PSGN
 - IE
 - HSP
 - Cryoglobulinemia
- **成年人最多之GN**
 - **IgA nephropathy**
- **成年人最多之nephrotic syndrome**
 - **Membranous nephropathy**
- **IVDU**
 - **Infective endocarditis**
 - **HIV-related FSGS**
- **Nephrotic syndrome**
 - 年輕人MCD most common
 - MPGN/MN/SLE
 - 合併 **HBV** → **MN**
 - 合併 **HCV** → **Cryoglobulinemia**
 - **Solid tumor cancer** → **MN**
- **合併lymphoma**
 - RPGN, Amyloidosis
- **兒童 & 合併血便 → HUS**
- **腎衰竭/意識混亂/溶血/血小板低**
 - **Thrombocytopenic Purpura(TTP)**
 - **Atypical HUS**

Glomerular Disease Approach

- 是否合併Hemoptysis
 - 先排除感染、氣道問題、嚴重肺水腫、凝血異常
 - 考慮Pulmonorenal syndrome
 - Check ANCA(檢查M25-223) & Anti-GBM (本院無)
 - Check ANA & Anti-ds-DNA Ab (L72-241) & C3/C4
- ANCA/Anti-GBM disease not likely or negative
 - Check C3/C4 level → Low C3 level then: check CLIP-SM
 - ASLO (L72-109), Cryo.(L72-239), ANA & Anti-ds-DNA Ab
 - B/C +/- 2D-ECHO, HBsAg/HCV Ab/RPR/HIV, RF (L72-134)
- 排除GN mimics
 - TTP/HUS/aHUS → ↓Hb/PLT/haptoglobin, MAHA in PB smear, ↑LDH
 - Cholesterol emboli → ↓C3/C4, toe cyanosis, cath., eos., livedo.
 - MM → Hb, Ca, S/U IFE(L72-204)/PEP(L72-201) or SFLC (L72-214)
 - AIN → rash, new drug, urine WBC + WBC cast

Glomerular Disease Approach

- 考慮Renal echo → 腎臟超音波為nephromegaly
 - 考慮Amyloidosis, Sarcoidosis, HIV, DM, PKD
- 考慮Renal biopsy
 - IF (immunofluorescence) +/- EM (electric microscopy)
- For nephrotic syndrome
 - HbA1C (for DM)
 - ANA/C3/C4/Anti-ds-DNA Ab (for SLE)
 - Serum+Urine IFE or serum IFE + serum free light chain (for MM/AL)
 - Cryoglobulin test (for Cryoglobulinemia)
 - HBsAg(MN), HCV Ab (MPGN/Cryo), HIV (FSGS), RPR (MN)
 - PLA2 receptor Ab (本院無法驗)(for MN)
 - suPAR (本院無法驗) (for FSGS)
 - Cancer screen if MN

Glomerular Disease Treatment

- **General**

- Dietary protein (average daily need + average loss amount)
- **Albumin (1pc = 12.5g) + Diuretics for edema & Na restriction (<2g/d)**
- Diet + Statin for dyslipidemia in nephrotic syndrome
- **ACEI/ARB** → ↓ proteinuria, slow non-immunologic progression
- Consider influenza/pneumococcus vaccination

- **Primary**

- Nephrotic syndrome: consider steroid, cytotoxic agents
- Acute GN/RPGN: consider pulse steroid x 3 days then maintain dose
- Lupus: **steroid + endoxan (or MMF) +/- plasmapheresis**
- ANCA-associated vasculitis/Anti-GBM disease
 - **Pulse steroid + endoxan (or rituximab) +/- plasmapheresis**

- **Secondary**

- Treat underlying disease (ex: Antibiotics for IE/PSGN)

Steps of Proteinuria Approach

- 排除False (+) & transient & admixture proteinuria
- **Repeat U/A +/- TP/Cr or ACR** (or 24hr urine TP/Cr)
- 年輕人 & TP/Cr <1g/mg → 排除Postural proteinuria
 - Split urine measurement = 活動 (7am~11pm) + 平躺 (11pm~7am)
→ 如果平躺8hr期間的尿蛋白<50mg而活動時有顯著蛋白尿則可確診
- Persistent proteinuria → 進一步檢查其他原因
 - Clinical: DM, HTN, edema, CKD, hematuria, fever/infection/URI
 - Lab: urinalysis, spot urine ACR(L72-338)/TPCr or 24hr urine TP/Cr
 - >2g/d (1g/g) 先考慮Glomerular proteinuria / overflow proteinuria
 - <2g/d (1g/g) 先考慮Tubular proteinuria / early glomerular disease
 - Edema, no HTN/AKI/hematuria → nephrotic likely
 - HTN/AKI/hematuria, edema, recent fever/infection → nephritic likely
 - AKI的BUN/Cr大多>20/FeNa<1% (可和ATIN/ATN等區分)

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