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The next Wednesday CPC will be held tomorrow, **October 15, 2025** at **08.00 hours** (IST) in **Lecture Theatre 1**, Nehru Hospital, PGIMER, Chandigarh under the Chairmanship of **Prof. Sanjay Jain**.

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The Clinical handout of the case to be discussed is attached herewith.

The clinical protocol will be discussed by **Dr. Bijaylaxmi Behera, Department of Pediatrics**. Radiology will be presented by **Dr. Akshay Saxena**. Autopsy pathology will be presented by **Dr. Nandita Kakkar**.

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## CPC CLINICAL PROTOCOL 15-10-2025

**Name:** B/O S **Age/Sex:** 31 days, Female baby

**CR No:** 202501438361

**Clinician In charge:** Prof Saurabh Datta

**Clinical Discussant:** Dr Bijaylaxmi Behera

**Pathology Discussant:** Prof Nandita Kakkar

**Radiology Discussant:** Prof Akhshay Saxena

**Pediatric Haematology Discussant:** Prof Prateek Bhatia

**Date of Admission:** 07.02.2025

**Date of Demise:** 14.02.2025

### **Presenting Complaints:**

Fever, lethargy, poor feeding X 2 days

Jaundice with high colored urine and pale stool X 2 days

Skin peeling, dry, progressing to entire body X 2 days

### **History of present Illness –**

Baby was born on 08/01/2025, at full term (39+2 weeks), by NVD(hospital), with birth weight of 3.4 kg. Initiated breastfeeding after birth and was discharged on the same day. On day three of life baby developed poor feeding, lethargy, respiratory distress and yellowish discolouration of body, for which the baby was admitted in a private hospital. Was treated as EOS with antibiotics, received phototherapy of NNJ. Baby had seizure episode on day four of life, received Inj Midazolam and Phenobarbitone. Baby was initially started on nasal prongs oxygen and later given CPAP support for respiratory distress. CXR was s/o pneumonia. Baby also had hypoglycemia, received GIR and shock treated with Dopamine and Dobutamine. Baby was discharged on 01/02/25. Baby was on mixed feeds(breastfeeds and formula feeds)at home. Developed poor feeding, lethargy, fever, icterus and skin peeling three days after discharge and went to the nearby hospital, later referred to PGIMER.

### **Clinical Examination:**

Baby was lethargic

Generalized skin peeling ++ , nails -N

Vitals: HR- 136/min, RR- 36/min, BP- 70/ 42mm Hg, Spo2: 96 % on RA

Respiratory system: BLAEE, NVBS

Cardiovascular: S1S2 -N, No murmur

P/A-distended, liver 4 cm below RCM

Neurological Examination: Lethargic , tone decreased

## HEMOGRAM

| DATE       | 7/02   | 8/02   | 9/02   | 11/02   | 12/02  |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|
| Hemoglobin | 13.6   | 12.8   | 9.8    | 10.2    | 6.9    |
| Platelets  | 36,000 | 54,000 | 15,000 | 103,000 | 75,000 |
| TLC        | 56800  | 65200  | 44000  | 38750   | 22,000 |
| N%         | -      | 24     | 25     | 27      |        |
| L%         | -      | 52     | 40     | 30      |        |
| M%         | -      | 10.3   | 19     | 23.9    |        |
| E%         | -      | 11.8   | 13.6   | 17      |        |
| CRP        | -      | 58.05  | 44     | 15      |        |

**Peripheral smear:** The polymorph and eosinophils show variably sized vacuoles consistent with Jordans anomaly.r/o Channarin Dorfman Syndrome

## RFTs

| DATE            | 7/02 | 8/02 | 9/02 | 12/02 |
|-----------------|------|------|------|-------|
| Na <sup>+</sup> | 157  | 160  | 154  | 128   |
| K <sup>+</sup>  | 5    | 7.08 | 4.97 | 5.61  |
| Cl <sup>-</sup> | 122  | 130  | 121  | 105   |
| Urea            | 111  | 135  | 132  | 100   |
| Creatinine      | 0.88 | 1.77 | 1.81 | 1.77  |

## LFTs

| Date          | 07/12 | 08/02 | 09/02 | 12/02 |
|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Bilirubin (T) | 24    | 25.94 | 26    | 26    |

|                         |      |      |     |     |
|-------------------------|------|------|-----|-----|
| <b>Bilirubin (C)</b>    | 13   | 18   | 18  | 17  |
| <b>AST</b>              | 527  | 1154 | 387 | 272 |
| <b>ALT</b>              | 372  | 470  | 322 | 131 |
| <b>TP (Total Prot.)</b> | 4.0  | 3.8  | 3.8 | 3   |
| <b>Albumin</b>          | 2.66 | 2.2  | 2.4 | 1.9 |
| <b>Ca<sup>2+</sup></b>  |      | 7.8  | 8.7 | 9.5 |
| <b>PO<sub>4</sub></b>   |      | 5.1  | 4.7 | 7.3 |
| <b>ALP</b>              |      | 123  | 114 | 128 |

#### COAGULOGRAM

| Test       | 07/02 | 08/02 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ammonia:</b> 275, <b>Lactate:</b> 9.9, <b>AFP:</b> 458</li> <li><b>GGT-340, Ferritin:</b> 398</li> <li><b>USG abdomen:</b> moderate ascites, periportal edema, GB wall edema(s/o infective aetiology), B/L kidney-raised echogenicity</li> <li><b>Skin Biopsy-</b> Epiptosis shows apoptotic keratinocytes, parakeratosis with irregular acanthosis. There is no interface activity. Dermis shows mild lymphomononuclear inflammation in the perivascular and periadnexal region</li> </ul> |
|------------|-------|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| PT         | 39.6  | >1    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| PTI        | 28    |       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| APTT       | 69.3  | >2    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| INR        | 3.54  |       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Fibrinogen | 0.45  |       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |

#### COURSE IN PGIMER:

At admission, the baby presented with conjugated hyperbilirubinemia, markedly elevated transaminases, and coagulopathy suggestive of severe hepatic dysfunction. Supportive management was initiated with ursodeoxycholic acid (UDCA), fat-soluble vitamins (A, D, E, K), and intravenous vitamin K for correction of coagulopathy and pediatric gastroenterology consultation was taken. In view of ongoing fever, elevated CRP, and leukocytosis, the baby was started on intravenous Cefotaxime, which was subsequently escalated to Colistin, Teicoplanin, and Fluconazole. Peripheral smear revealed Jordan's anomaly, raising the possibility of a neutral lipid storage disorder such as Channarin-Dorfman syndrome, and a whole exome sequencing (WES) test was sent. Dermatology consultation was obtained for generalised skin desquamation, and a skin biopsy was sent. Baby developed hypoglycemia managed with a glucose infusion rate of 10 mg/kg/min and coagulopathy was managed with transfusions of fresh frozen plasma. Ultrasonography of the abdomen showed moderate ascites, gallbladder wall and periportal oedema, and increased renal echogenicity. Baby had gradual worsening of ascites and developed respiratory distress on day three of admission, for which initially CPAP and later went into respiratory failure for which baby was ventilated. On day

three of admission baby developed features of shock for which she was started on Inj Dopamine later was escalated to Inj Adrenaline, Noradrenalin and Vasopressin and Inj Hydrocortisone for refractory shock. Baby had acute kidney injury and gradually progressed to anuria for which baby was put on restricted fluid. But despite all measures baby's condition continued to deteriorate, and she succumbed to illness following cardiopulmonary arrest and was declared dead on 14/02/25 at 05:45 pm.

| UNIT FINAL DIAGNOSIS                                                                               | CAUSE OF DEATH   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Term/39+2 wk/3.4 Kg / AGA/Neonatal cholestasis/ ALF/Sepsis/ AKI/ MODS/ Ichthyosis/Refractory Shock | Refractory shock |