

## # Traumatic chest Pain :-

### # Trimodal distribution of Trauma mortality :-

1- immediate (sec. to min.) → major injury to Aorta, heart, Brainstem, spinal cord.

2) Early (few hours) → hemopneumothorax, 80% subdural & epidural hematoma, pelvic fracture, liver & spleen injury, exsanguination.

3- late (Days to weeks) → multisystem failure, sepsis.

# shot Gun in chest

- 7-7m → soft tissue only
- 3-7m → deep fascia & internal organ
- < 3m → massive tissue destruction.

### # Approach to Patient with Traumatic chest :-

- 1) Primary survey → A B C D E exposure.
  - airway head tilt chin lift cervical
  - Breath. look listen feel
  - Circul. BP HR Pulse
  - Disability AVPU GCS
  - remove clothes
- 2) Secondary survey → examine from head to toe.

## Chest wall injury

### 1) Contusion (most common)

injury → small blood vessel damage → erythema, ecchymosis

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Fluid Accumulate in lung → Crepitus

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Can't expand → Absent or limited heart sound.

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hypoventilation → Pain on Breathing.

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Dyspnea

### 2) Sternal fracture

- death due to :-

- Pulmonary contusion
- Cardiac contusion
- Cardiac tamponade
- Cardiac rupture.

### 3) Rib fracture 50% of chest Trauma.

↳ Rib 1, 2, 3 + sternum → Great force to fracture

↳ Rib 4-9 → most common fractures

↳ Rib 10-12 (floating) → less common to fracture.

### 4) Flail chest (Paradoxical movement)

# more than 3 fractures in different places become detached from Rib Cage

# Complications :-

- pulmonary contusion
- hemothorax.

# we Give Pain killer → ↓ hypoventilation → ↓ hypoxia.

## Pulmonary injury

1) simple, closed Pneumothorax :- (spontaneous)

- lung tissue disrupted → Air Go to Pleural space
- Can progress to tension.

\*2) open pneumothorax :-

penetrating - Trauma → wound > 2/3 Tracheal Diameter

sucking chest wound → Air enter Pleura → lung collapse (10cm)

→ Tracheal deviation to opposite side

→ Hyper-resonance sound.

→ Absent Breathing sounds.

# management :- chest tube.

- Dressing 3 way valve

### \*3) Tension Pneumothorax :-

- Air escape to pleural space that act as a one way valve through injury to visceral pleura.

→ mediastinal shift → impaired venous return

→ hypotension

# S & S :- hypoxia, Air hunger, shifted Trachea, dilated neck vein, hypotension & Absent Breath sound, hyper-resonance.

# management :- Decompression by needle in 2nd intercostal midclavicular line.

- chest tube in 5th intercostal Anterior Axillary line.

### - Thoracotomy indications :-

- Complete pneumothorax
- hypotension after Blood replacement
- Chronic, recurrent Pneumothorax
- complicated with hemothorax & epyema.
- leak for 5-7 days.

# Pleura can tolerate 3000 ml of Blood.

- Hemothorax → Flat neck veins.

# management :-

- Treat hypovolemic shock
- decompression.
- urgent thoracotomy
- # > 1500ml/Blood or 30ml per hour.

### # Pericardial tamponade

↳ injury to coronary Artery or myocardium

↳ Pericardium tolerate 200-300 ml Blood.

# Beck's Triad :-

- hypotension
- Dilated neck vein

# management :-

Pericardiocentesis - needle - muffled heart sound.

45° toward the Apex from xiphoid Process.

## # Indication for Thoracotomy :-

- 1) Cardiac Tamponade.
- 2) Massive Air leak.
- 3) Massive hemothorax ( $>1500$  ml)
- 4) Great vessel injury
- 5) Esophagus Rupture.
- 6) Diaphragmatic injury.
- 7) Tracheo esophageal fistula.

## # Abdominal Pain :-

- 5% of emergency department
- 15-30% need surgery
- Causes :-
  - unknown 40%
  - Gastroenteritis 7%
  - PID, UT, nephrolithiasis & Appendicitis (3%)
- Visceral Pain → mesenteric ischemia
- Somatic Pain → cholecystitis
- Referred → MI

## # Causes of Abdominal Pain :-

- 1) surgical
  - inflammation
  - obstruction
  - Ischemia
  - Perforation / Rupture.
- 2) Gyne
  - ectopic pregnancy
  - PID
  - Ruptured ovarian cyst
  - Endometriosis.
- Torsion of Testis

## # life threatening conditions in Abdomen :-

- 1) Ruptured ectopic pregnancy
- 2) Ruptured AAA
- 3) Bowel Perforation.
- 4) MI (inferior leads)
- 5) mesenteric ischemia.

## # Differential Diagnosis :-

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lower lobe pneumonia</li> <li>- PE</li> <li>- MI</li> <li>- hepatitis, hepatic Abscess</li> <li>- <u>herpes zoster</u>, hepatic congestion</li> <li>- cholecystitis, cholangitis</li> <li>- Biliary colic</li> <li>- Pancreatitis, Appendicitis</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lower lobe pneumonia</li> <li>- PE</li> <li>- MI</li> <li>- Gastritis, Gastric ulcer</li> <li>- Pancreatitis</li> <li>- splenic rupture.</li> <li>- <u>herpes zoster</u></li> </ul> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Appendicitis</li> <li>- Crohn's Disease.</li> <li>- Diverticulitis</li> <li>- Gyne disorders</li> <li>- Ischemic cholangitis</li> <li>- Inguinal hernia</li> <li>- <u>herpes zoster</u></li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Diverticulitis</li> <li>- Gyne.</li> <li>- hernia</li> <li>- <u>herpes zoster</u></li> </ul>  |

## # Treatment of non-Traumatic Abdominal Pain :-

- Keep fasting
- IV fluid.
- symptomatic treatment
  - Antacid
  - Antispasmodic
  - Analgesia (small dose)
- Antibiotic.
  - peritonitis
  - sepsis
  - perforation.

## # epigastric pain :-

- pancreatitis, peptic ulcer, Gastritis
- MI, Aortic Aneurysm.

## # Diffuse Pain :-

- peritonitis
- early appendicitis
- pancreatitis
- mesenteric ischemia.
- Sickie cell Crisis
- DKA
- Aortic Aneurysm.
- Gastroenteritis
- IBD.
- heavy metal Poisoning.
- Perforated bowel

## # Abdominal Pain :-

- inflammation
- contraction of intestinal muscles
- Distention of an organ.
- loss of Blood supply.

# 40% of Abdominal Pain unknown etiology

# 7% Gastroenteritis (Diarrhea, vomiting)

# 3%  
- PID  
- Appendicitis  
- UTI  
- Nephrolithiasis

## # Somatic Pain vs. Visceral Pain

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|--|--------------------|
| - well localized                           | - poorly localized |
| - sharp                                    | - vague & Diffused |
| - inflammation of the Parietal Peritoneum. |                    |

- cholecystitis → somatic

- Mesenteric ischemia → visceral

- MI → Referred, to shoulder

## # Causes of Abdominal Pain :-

- inflammation
- Obstruction.
- Ischemia
- Perforation.

### Surgical

- Appendicitis
- cholecystitis
- pancreatitis
- diverticulitis
- intestinal obstruction
- uretric calculi
- Urinary Retention
- testicular torsion
- intussusception
- mesenteric infarction.
- peptic ulcer
- large bowel perforation.

### Gynecological

- UTI
- PID
- ectopic Pregnancy
- endometriosis
- Rupture / torsion of ovarian cyst.

### Medical

- D K A
- PE
- lower lobe pneumonia.
- inferior lead MI.

## # life threatening conditions :-

1- Ruptured AAA (2cm - 5cm)

2- MI (epigastric Pain)

3- Mesenteric ischemia (Thrombus from AF)  
↳ Pain Generalized & vague.

4- Bowel Perforation (or hollow viscus)

5- Ruptured ectopic Pregnancy.

- \* 5% come to the ER with abdominal pain, 15% - 30% will require surgery
- \* 40% of them unknown etiology
- \* 7% gastroenteritis = Diarrhea, Vomiting
- \* 3% Appendicitis, then PID, UTI, Nephrolithiasis

Visceral pain: Mesenteric ischemia

Somatic pain: cholecystitis

referred pain: MI

- \* common non-traumatic Abdominal pain causes: inflammation, obstruction, ischemia, perforation <sup>Rupture.</sup>
- ↳ Diabetic Ketoacidosis

\* Life threatening conditions

- 1) Rupture of AAA, Normally 2 cm
- 2) MI in inferior leads
- 3) Bowel perforation
- 4) Ruptured ectopic pregnancy
- 5) Mesenteric ischemia

Non-traumatic chest pain

- ↳ cardiac
- ↳ non-cardiac

\*Stable angina: follow up.

Acute coronary syndrome MI <sup>ST</sup> ~~MI~~ unstable angina

Life threatening conditions in chest pain:

- 1 Myocardial ischemia
- 2 Pulmonary embolism
- 3 Aortic dissection
- 4 Cardiac tamponade
- 5 Tension pneumothorax
- 6 Acute esophageal perforation

Angina: Levine's sign

- 1 Oxygen mask + pulse oximeter
- 2 cardiac Monitor
- 3 Blood pressure monitor.

Hypertension  
CI / MI inferior.

Unstable angina

Stable angina

→ Aspirin, Nitroglycerine

↑ 10 min

2-5 min

↓ if Bleeding

Not at Rest

Relieved by rest

↓ clopidogrine

Not resolved by nitroglycerin.

episodes

"plavix"

inferior II III AVF

lateral I AVL V5, V6

Anterior V1 - V4

Septal V1, V2

left main stenosis AVR

## ABDOMINAL TRAUMA

Injury → Blunt → 80% } → Different history  
→ penetrating }

Hemodynamically stable

↳ ABC

- FAST: focused abdominal sonography for trauma

↳ can detect pericardial tamponade

Dis-adv.: cannot assess hollow perforations, operator dependent, Retroperitoneal

- DPL: Detect bowel injury?

- ct. scan.

## CPR

## # Abdominal Trauma :-

- Abdominal injury 80% Blunt  
Penetrating

- Organ involved in :-

Blunt trauma

↓  
 Spleen 50%  
 Liver 40%

Penetrating

↓      ↓  
 Stabbing    Gun shot

# Approach to Blunt trauma pt :-

- Type / velocity
- pt. side.
- intrusion.
- status
- Type of collision.
- Restraints
- ABC
- FAST
- CT scan
- Lab work.

#

	Advantages	Disadvantages
FAST/ US	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Rapid, Portable</li> <li>can repeat test,</li> <li>no Risk of contrast</li> <li>non-invasive,</li> <li>Cardiac tamponade (non-hypovolemic Reason of hypotension)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- cant visualize Retroperitoneal injuries</li> <li>- Operator dependant</li> <li>- cant Assess hollow organ perforation.</li> </ul>
CT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- define organ injury</li> <li>- not operator D.</li> <li>- Good for Retro-peritoneal organs</li> <li>- non-invasive.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- not Great for hollow viscus</li> <li>- Cost</li> <li>- for stable pt.</li> <li>- contrast complication.</li> </ul>
DPL		

# Findings on CXR that suggest intra-Abdominal injury :-

- lower Rib fracture
- Free Air under Diaphragm.
- Diaphragmatic hernia.



## # Shock :-

- low tissue perfusion.

- Shock Pt Develop :-

1) Hyperkalemia  $\rightarrow \downarrow O_2$   
& Glucose  $\rightarrow$  cell Death  $\rightarrow$  lysis  
 $\rightarrow K^+$  to Blood.

2) Metabolic Acidosis  $\rightarrow$  because  
of switching from Aerobic to  
Anaerobic  $\rightarrow$  (Glucose  $\rightarrow$  Pyruvate  
 $\rightarrow$  lactic Acid)  $> 2 \text{ mmol/L}$

3) Edema  $\rightarrow$  cell death  
 $\rightarrow$  inflammatory mediators  $\rightarrow$  EC  
injury  $\rightarrow$  extravasation.

4) Tachycardia & VC

5) Hyperventilation ( $\uparrow CO_2$  elimination)

6)  $\downarrow$  Urin output

7)  $\uparrow$  ADH, Aldosterone, Cortisol ( $\uparrow$  symp.)

## # Shock Types :-

**I** Hypovolemic shock (Most Common)  
- Cold Shock -

- $\rightarrow$  Hemorrhagic (4 stages)
- $\rightarrow$  Non-hemorrhagic (Burn, dehydration, vomit, Gastroenteritis)

	I	II	III	IV
Blood loss *	$< 750 \text{ ml}$ $< 15\%$	$750 - 1500 \text{ ml}$ $15 - 30\%$	$1500 - 2000 \text{ ml}$ $30 - 40\%$	$> 2000 \text{ ml}$ $> 40\%$
HR *	$< 100$ * early sign * slight tachy	$100 - 120$ First sign	$120 - 140$	$> 140$
BP	normal	normal	Decreased hypotension late	Decreased
PP systole Diastole	normal	decreased ( $\uparrow$ Diastolic Pressure) & systole Fixed	decreased ( $\downarrow$ systolic)	decreased ( $\downarrow\downarrow$ systolic)
RR	$14 - 20$	$20 - 30$	$30 - 40$	$> 35$
indicator Urin output *	normal $> 30 \text{ ml/h}$	$20 - 30 \text{ ml/h}$	$5 - 15 \text{ ml/h}$ <del>20</del>	negligible (Anuria)
mental status *	conscious managed by observation.	conscious but Anxious Crystalloid	<del>conscious</del> Anxious Confused crystalloid + colloid	Coma "

$\uparrow$  JVP  
edema  $\leftarrow$

## **II** Cardiogenic shock (Failure to Pump)

$\rightarrow$  MI, myopathy, injury, valve Disease, Arrhythmia.

## **III** Obstructive shock ( $\downarrow$ Preload due to obstruction)

$\rightarrow$  Cardiac Tamponade, Tension Pneumothorax, pleural effusion

SOFA score :-

## **IV** Distributive shock (Warm shock)

$\rightarrow$  hypoperfusion + vasodilation  $\rightarrow$  hypotension

most common: **A** Septic shock (SIRS)  $\rightarrow$  systemic inflammatory response syndrome

-  $PCO_2 < 32 \text{ mmHg}$   $\rightarrow$   $HR > 90$ ,  $RR > 20$ ,  $WBC > 12000$  or  $< 4000$ , Fever  $> 38.3^\circ C$  or  $< 36^\circ C$ .

- Mean Arterial Pressure  $< 65$  **B** Neurogenic shock  $\rightarrow$  SC injury  $\rightarrow$   $\downarrow$  symp.  $\rightarrow$  VD & Bradycardia.

# how much BV loss to develop hypotension?

- child 50%  
- Adult 30-40%

## **VI** Anaphylactic shock.

$\rightarrow$  histamine

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Reaction ال  
IgG mediator

## **V** Endocrine shock

# Bacteremia :- Presence of bacteria in Blood without signs of infection

# Sepsis :- SIRS (signs) + documented infection (suspected source of infection)

# septic shock :-  
- hypotension  
- sepsis  
- Refractory shock. (need fluid  $> 1l$ )

## # Management :-

1) - ABC.  
2) - Fluid Resuscitation  $250 - 500 \text{ ml}$  in 5-10 min.

3) - Drug - vasopressin (not Given in hypovolemic shock but in septic shock or Distributive.

- Dobutamine (tve inotropic)  $\rightarrow$   $\uparrow$  contractility in Cardiogenic shock

- wide spectrum Antibiotic (empirical)  $\rightarrow$  septic shock

4) - Monitor HR, BP, Urin output,  $O_2$  SAT & ECG, CVP (fluid monitor)

$\rightarrow$   $\uparrow$  2-5 when we Give fluid. ( $250 - 500$  in 5-10 min)

5) surgery

6) lactate is normal  $\rightarrow$  end of resuscitation.