

PHENOTYPE HEMOCHROMATOSE NEONATALE FOIE ET SURCHARGE EN FER FŒTALE ET PERINATALE: QUELS DIAGNOSTICS ?

SYNTHESE

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Diagnostic de GALD/ HNAI

1/Extrahepatic iron overload is not specific of GALD

- Iron in oral mucosal salivary glands
and /or MRI pancreas low signal intensity
- not always present in GALD cases
 - can be present in non GALD cases

2/ Be careful with C5b9 immunohistochemistry

- specially on liver biopsy sample
- is not specific of GALD

3/ Always think about other differential diagnoses

- importance of autopsy
- importance of liver histological examination

1/Extrahepatic iron overload is not specific of GALD

NH is a phenotype: several diseases can present with hepatic
+/- extrahepatic siderosis

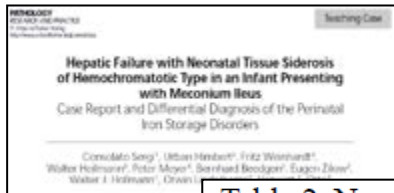


Table 2. Neonatal disorders associated with iron accumulation

1. Primary neonatal iron accumulation

- Familial type (autosomal recessive inheritance) ^(a)
- Sporadic type

GALD

Association with GALD

2. Secondary neonatal iron

2.1. Syndromic

- Edward syndrome (Trisomy 18) ^(b)
- Down syndrome (Trisomy 21, OMIM 190685) ^(c)
- Zellweger syndrome (Cerebro-hepato-renal syndrome, OMIM 214100) ^(d)
- Tricho-hepato-enteric syndrome (Trichorrhexis blastysis, OMIM 222470) ^(e)
- Donohue syndrome (Leprechaunism, OMIM 246200) ^(f)
- Renal tubular dysgenesis syndrome (OMIM 267430) ^(g)

2.2. Non Syndromic

- Intrauterine infection ^(h) myofibromatosis
- Exposure to toxic agents (e.g. pyrrolizidine) ⁽ⁱ⁾
- Δ^4 -3-oxosteroid 5 β -reductase deficiency ^(j)
- Hereditary tyrosinemia (OMIM 276700) ^(k)
- Hemolytic disease (positive Coombs reaction) ^(l)
- Exogenous iron overload ^(m)
- Congenital heart disease ⁽ⁿ⁾
- Neonatal lupus erythematosus syndrome ^(o)
- Bowel obstruction ^(p)

Can be secondary to chronic fetal distress

- Mitochondrial cytopathies
 - DGUOK mutations
 - GRACILE syndrome
- Transaldolase deficiency
- Familial Hemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis (FHL)
- Martinez-Frias syndrome
- 16p duplication

Infections

- Parvovirus B19
- CMV
- HSV
- Echovirus
- Adenovirus
- Enterovirus
- Orthomyxovirus A or B
- Respiratory syncytial virus
- Rubella
- Chlamydia psittaci
- Coxiella burnetii
- Mycoplasma pneumoniae
- S aureus
- Toxoplasma gondii
- E Coli

Phénotype HN: 4 nouveaux cas....

Neonatal anemia: 1 case

Congenital
dyserythropoietic
anemia type 1 (CDAN1)

CDG1a (PMM2): 1 case

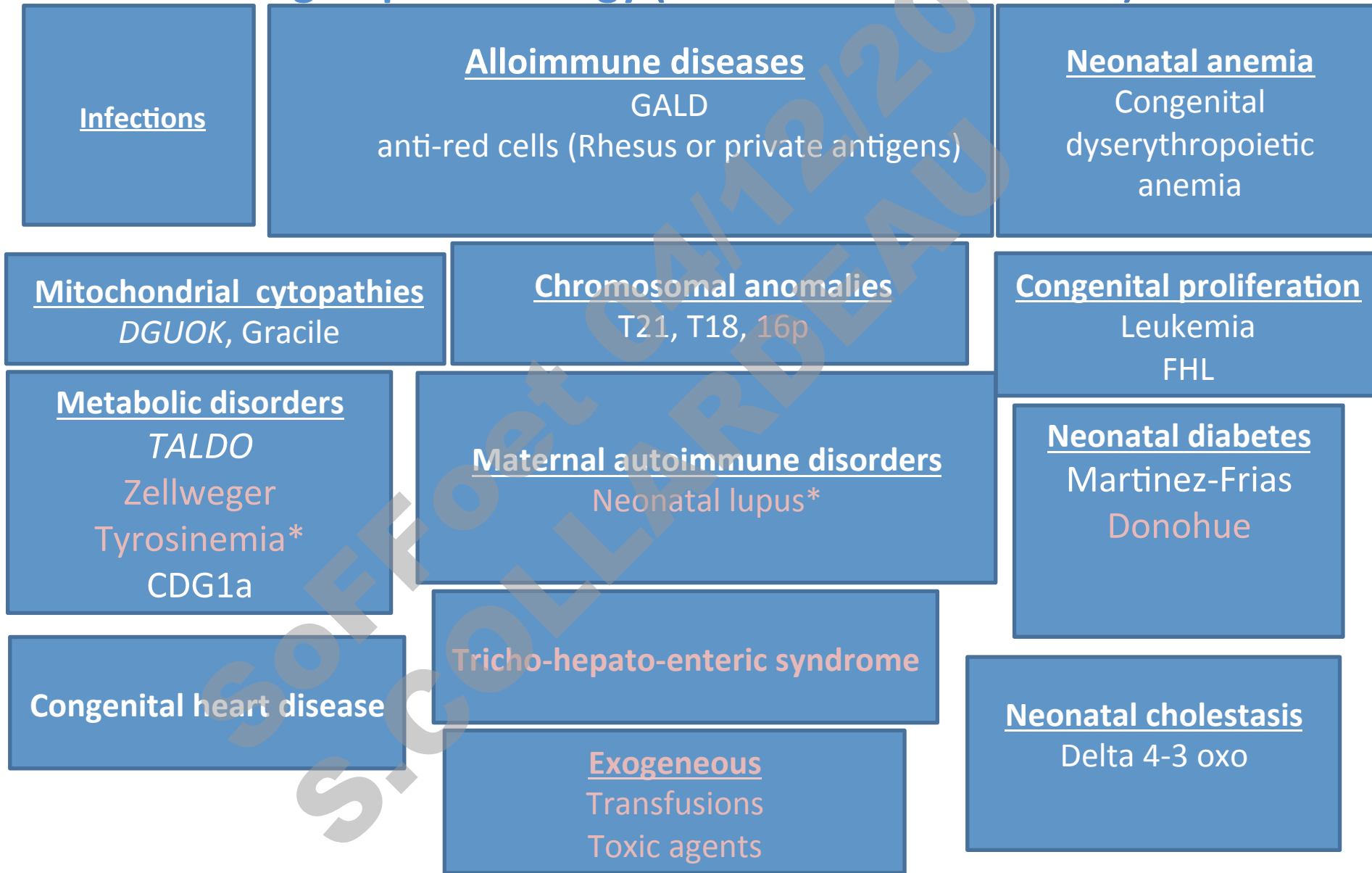
**Congenital leukemia &
chromosomal breakage syndrome
(Bloom syndrome): 1 case**

FHL/XIAP: 1 case

Never reported to date

Diseases with NH phenotype

13 groups of etiology (literature and our cases)



Maternal autoimmune disorders and NH

Pediatric and Developmental Pathology 15, 450-470, 2012
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French Retrospective Multicentric Study of Neonatal Hemochromatosis: Importance of Autopsy and Autoimmune Maternal Manifestations

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dysimmunity manifestations in half of the mothers

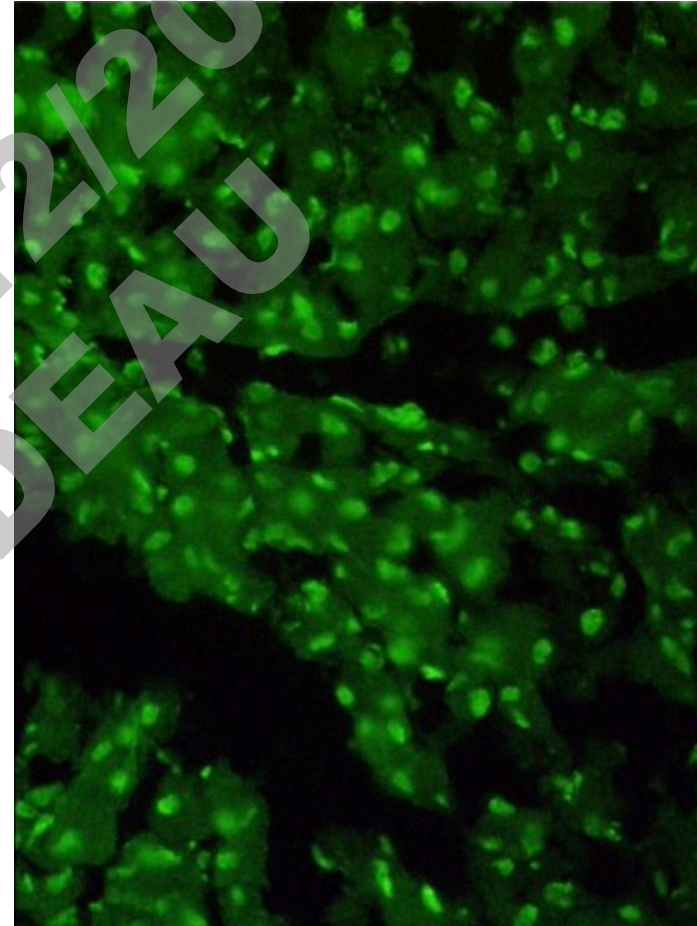
5 mothers : personal history of autoimmune disease:

- systemic erythematous lupus (1 case)
- hypothyroidism (2 cases)
- peripheral vascular disease (1 case)
- autoimmune hepatitis (1 case)

9 mothers without clinical autoimmune disorder:
antinuclear autoantibodies at time of delivery

Characterization of the autoantibodies in 4 cases:

- anti-Ro/SSa and anti RLa/SSB in 1 case
- anti-mitochondria and anti-phospholipid in 2 cases
- and anti-cardiolipid in 1 case



Indirect immunofluorescence study :nuclear staining of hepatocytes and endothelial cells

Maternal autoimmune disorders and NH

Some NH cases could be a possible consequence of autoimmune disorders in the mothers with transfer of autoantibodies through the placenta

Schoenlebe J, Buyon JP, Zitelli BJ, Friedman D, Greco MA, Knisely AS. Neonatal hemochromatosis associated with maternal autoantibodies against Ro/SS-A and La/SS-B ribonucleoproteins. Am J Dis Child 1993;147:1072–1075. 1 case

Classification and genetic features of neonatal haemochromatosis: a study of 27 affected pedigrees and molecular analysis of genes implicated in iron metabolism

2 / 8 mothers with anti-Ro/SSa and anti R-La/SSB antibody

Alison L Kelly, Peter W Lunt, Fernanda Rodrigues, P J Berry, Diana M Flynn, Patrick J McKiernan, Deirdre A Kelly, Giorgina Mieli-Vergani, Timothy M Cox

Primary Biliary Cirrhosis-Specific Antimitochondrial Antibodies in Neonatal Haemochromatosis

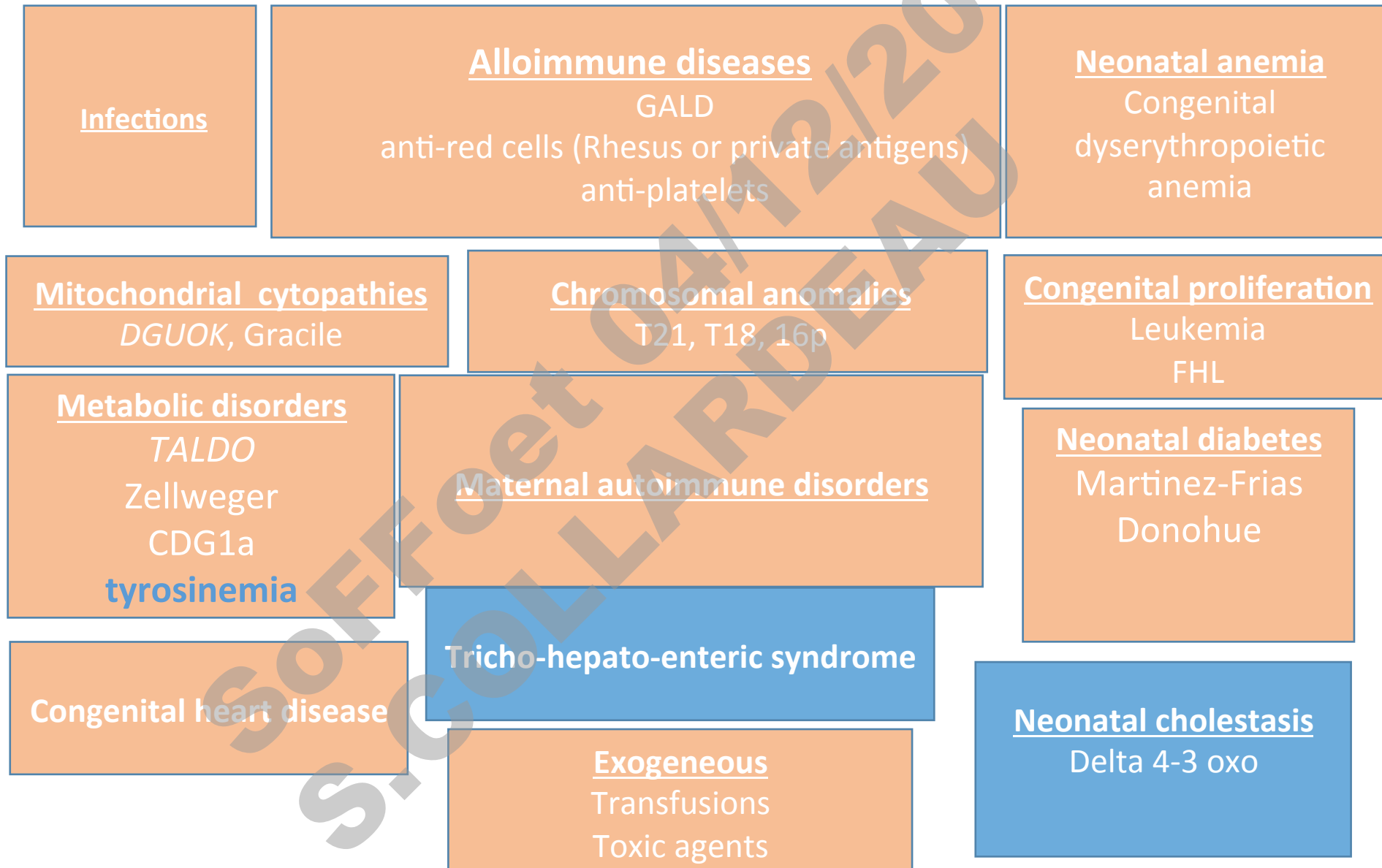
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AMA in the mother & the child

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Diseases with NH phenotype

Fetus or
at birth



Hepatic iron overload characteristics

epithelial

macrophages

Alloimmune diseases

GALD

anti-red cells (Rhesus or private antigens)

Neonatal anemia

Congenital
dyserythropoietic
anemia

Neonatal diabetes

Martinez-Frias
(Donohue)

mixte

Congenital heart disease

Exogenous

Transfusions

Toxic agents

Chromosomal anomalies : 5 cases

T21 (L)

T18

(16p)

Maternal autoimmune disorder

Neonatal lupus

Infections

Parvo B19 (L)

CMV

HSV1

HSV2

Enterovirus

E Coli

Congenital proliferation

Leukemia

FHL

Tricho-hepato-enteric syndrome

Neonatal cholestasis

Delta 4-3 oxo

Metabolic disorders

TALDO

Zellweger

Tyrosinemia

CDG1a

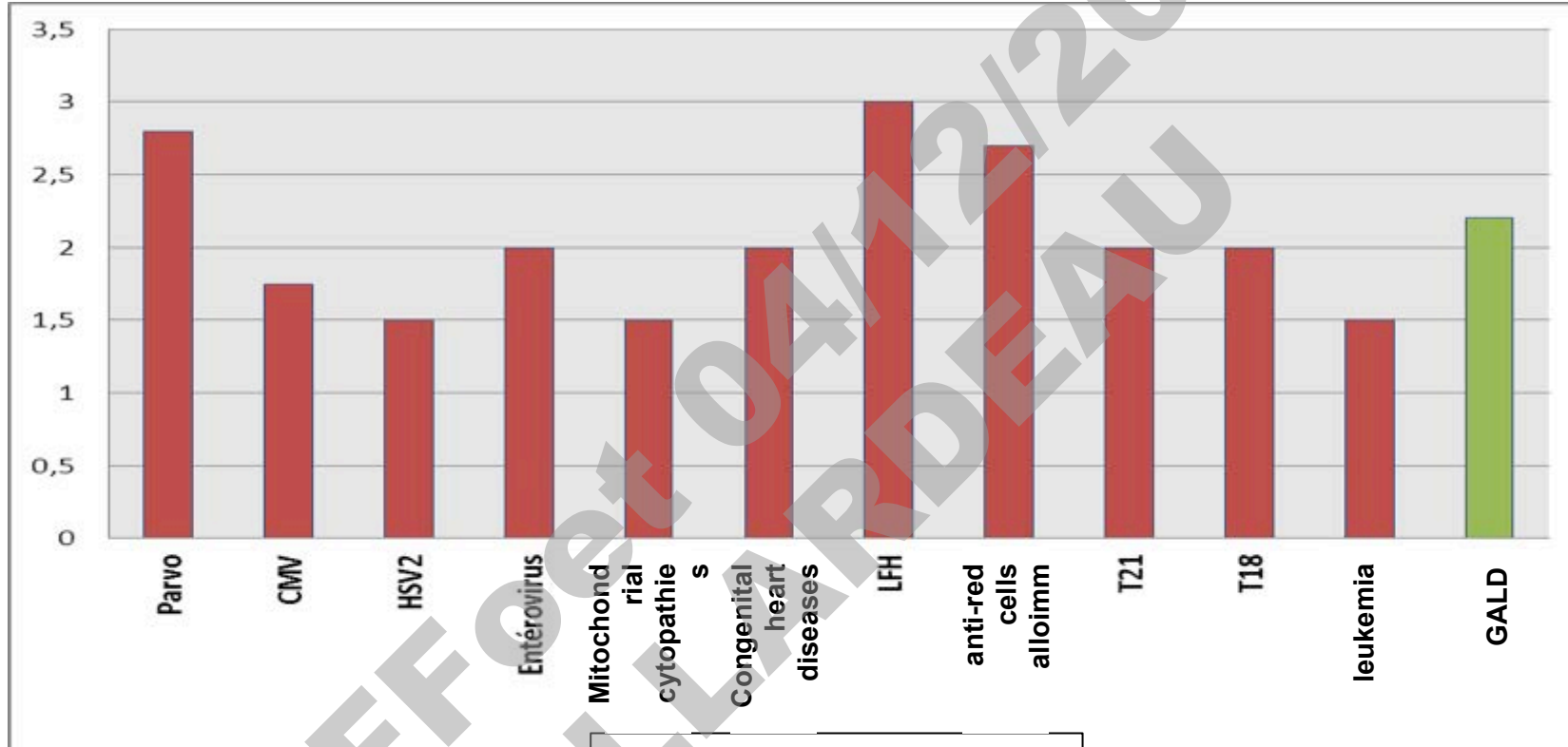
Mitochondrial cytopathies : 4 cases

DGUOK

Gracile

Hepatic iron overload characteristics: Perls score

1+ = <25%, 2+ = 25%-50%, 3+ = 50%-75%, 4+ = >75% stained parenchyma



No significant difference

Average non GALD cases = 2,4

Fetus : 2,4

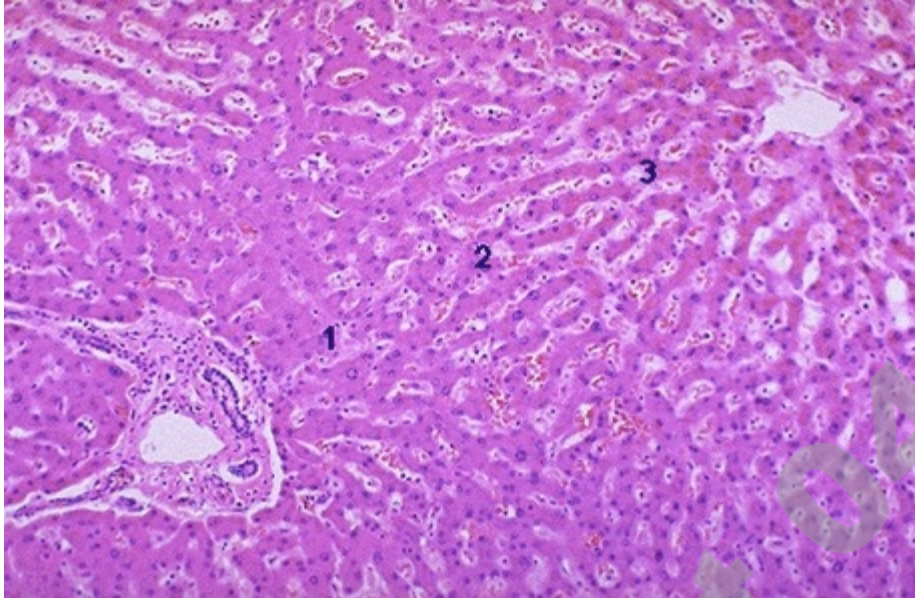
Neonates: 2,3

Average : GALD cases= 2,1

Fetus: 2,9

Neonates: 2,1

Hepatic iron overload characteristics: location



Either diffuse or focal

- HSV2
- CMV
- T21
- Congenital heart disease
- leukemia

Mainly Z1

- HSV1

Mainly Z2

- Delta 4-3 oxo

Heterogeneous

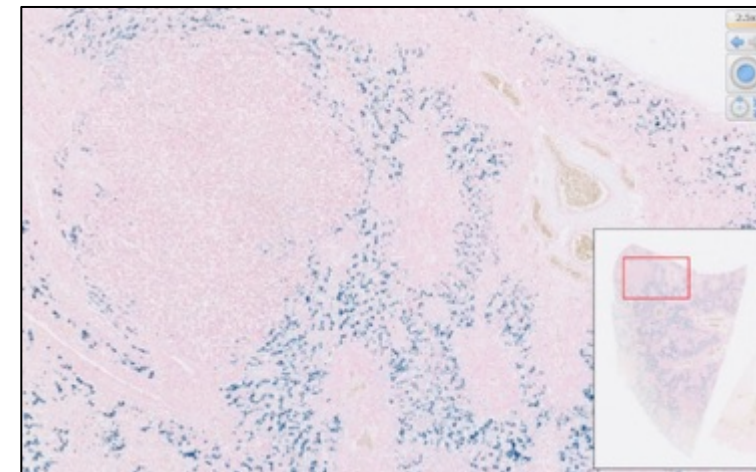
- GALD
- DGUOK
- FHL

Diffuse : all zones $z1=z2=z3$ same intensity

- Gracile
- E Coli
- CDAN1

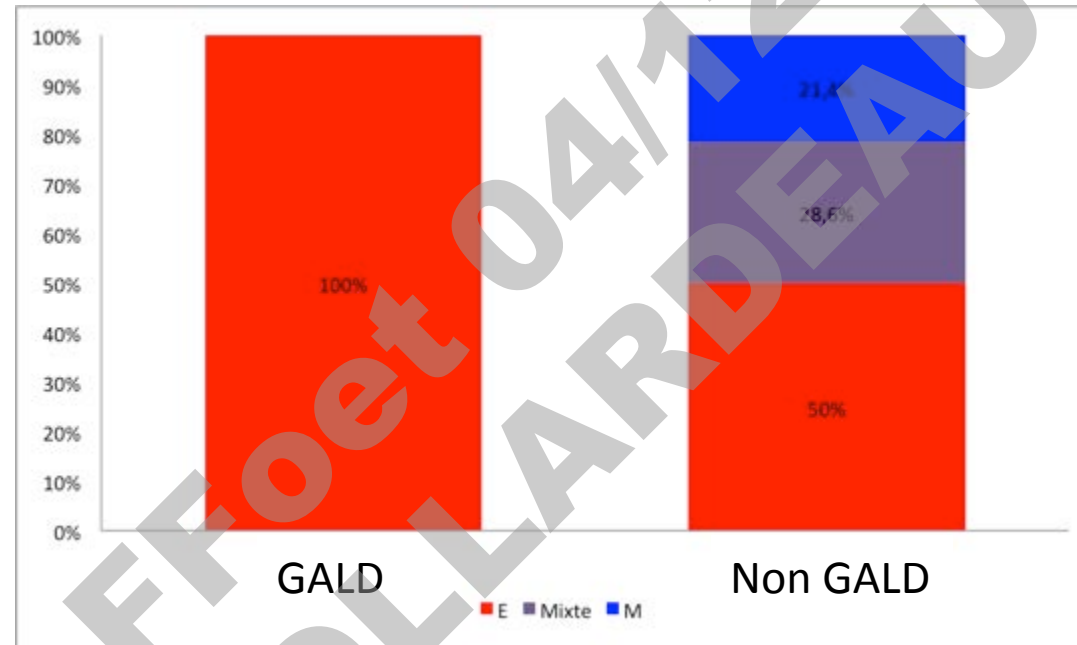
Diffuse : all zones $z1>z2>z3$

- Transaldolase
- T18
- anti-Rh alloimm
- Martinez-Frias
- CDG1a



Results : extrahepatic iron overload

- 91,3% GALD (since 26 GW)
- 75,5% non GALD (since 17 GW: parvovirus)



**Perls positivity in macrophages spleen, lymph nodes, bone marrow
do not favor the diagnosis of GALD**

Look systematically for hemosiderosis on these tissues

Extrahepatic iron overload

only seen after Perls staining

localization varied:

- depending on the age
- within the same sibship

Sometimes:

- **only seen in a few organs**
- **with a mild intensity** (high-power magnification is required)

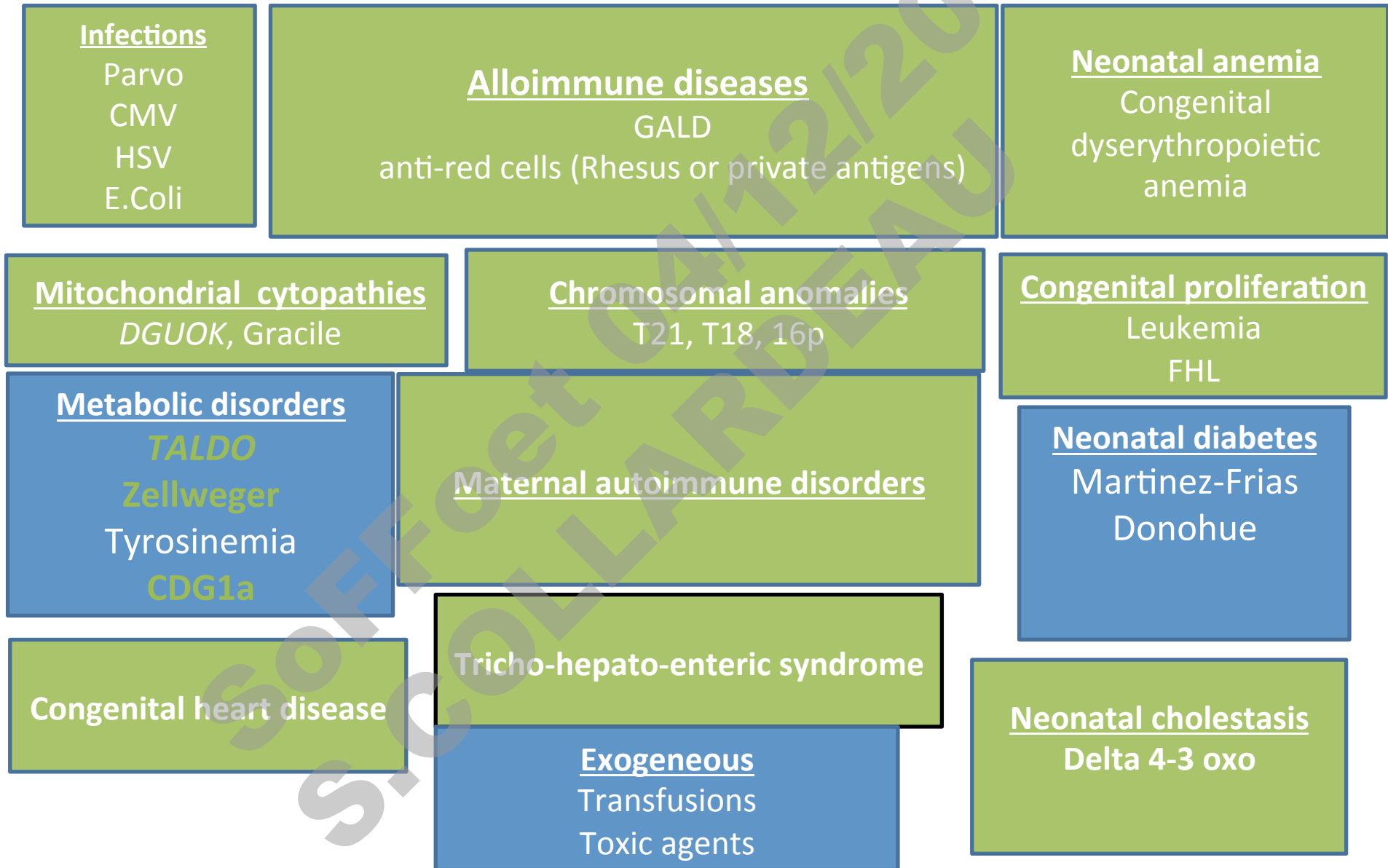
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Absence

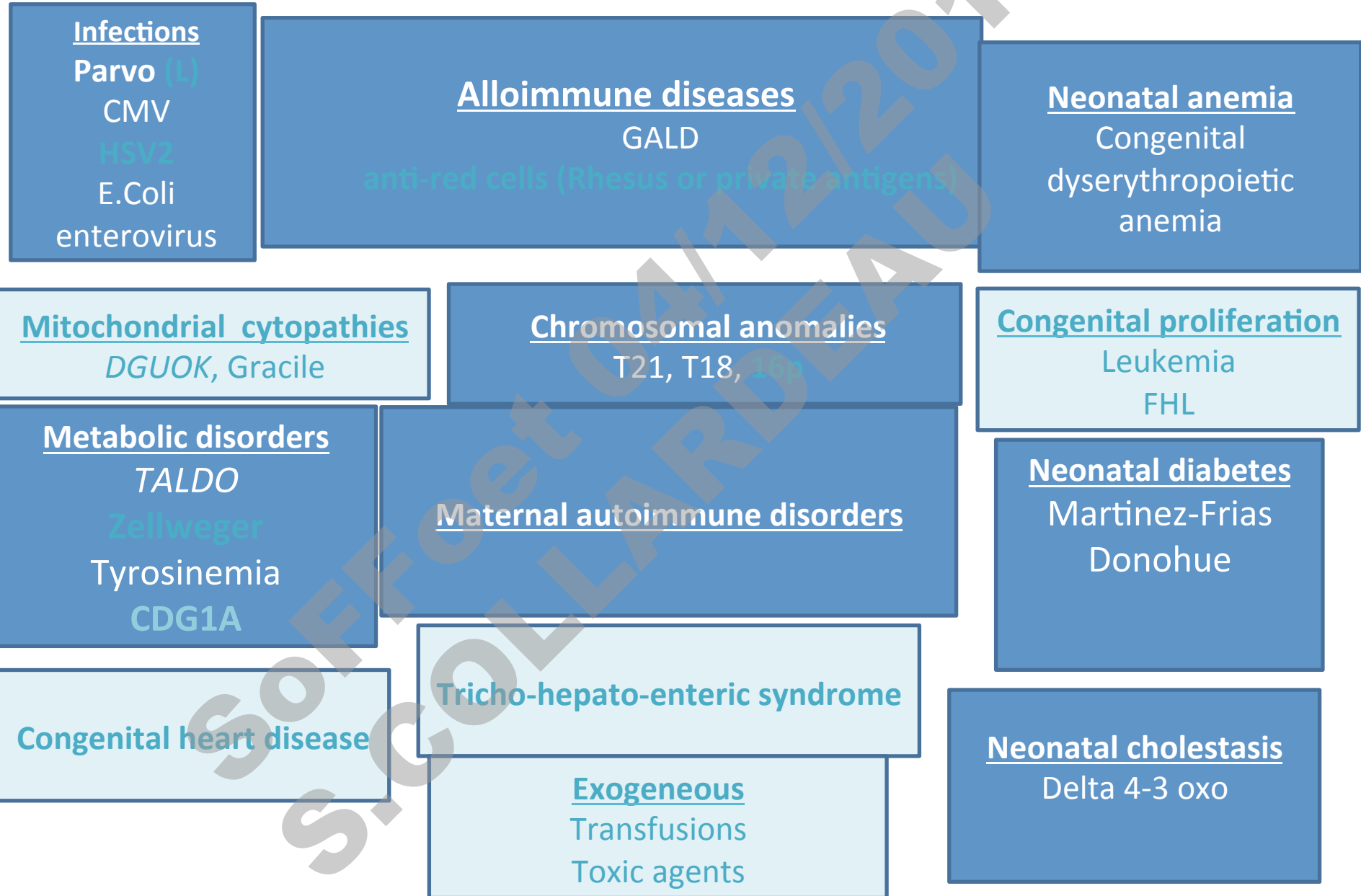
- GALD: 2 cases (fetuses 27GW)
- 1/ 4 CMV (21 GW)
- 3/5 parvo (18, 24 GW)
- Gracile (neonate 4 days)
- Leukemia: 22 GW
- ½ T18 (neonate 5 days)
- Congenital heart disease : 1/5 (neonate 52 days)

**Don't reject the diagnosis of GALD
if absence of extrahepatic iron overload
especially in young fetuses**

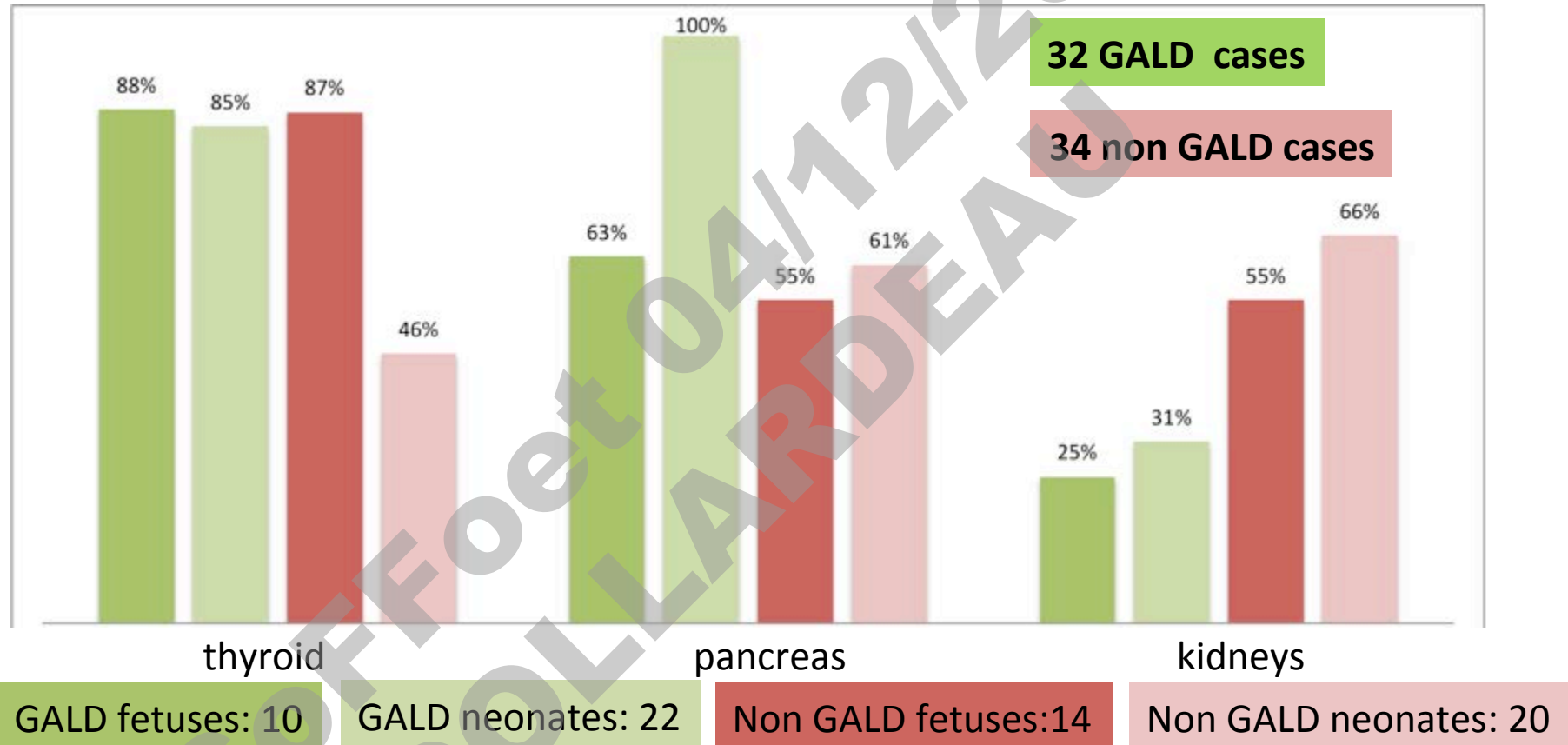
Extrahepatic iron overload

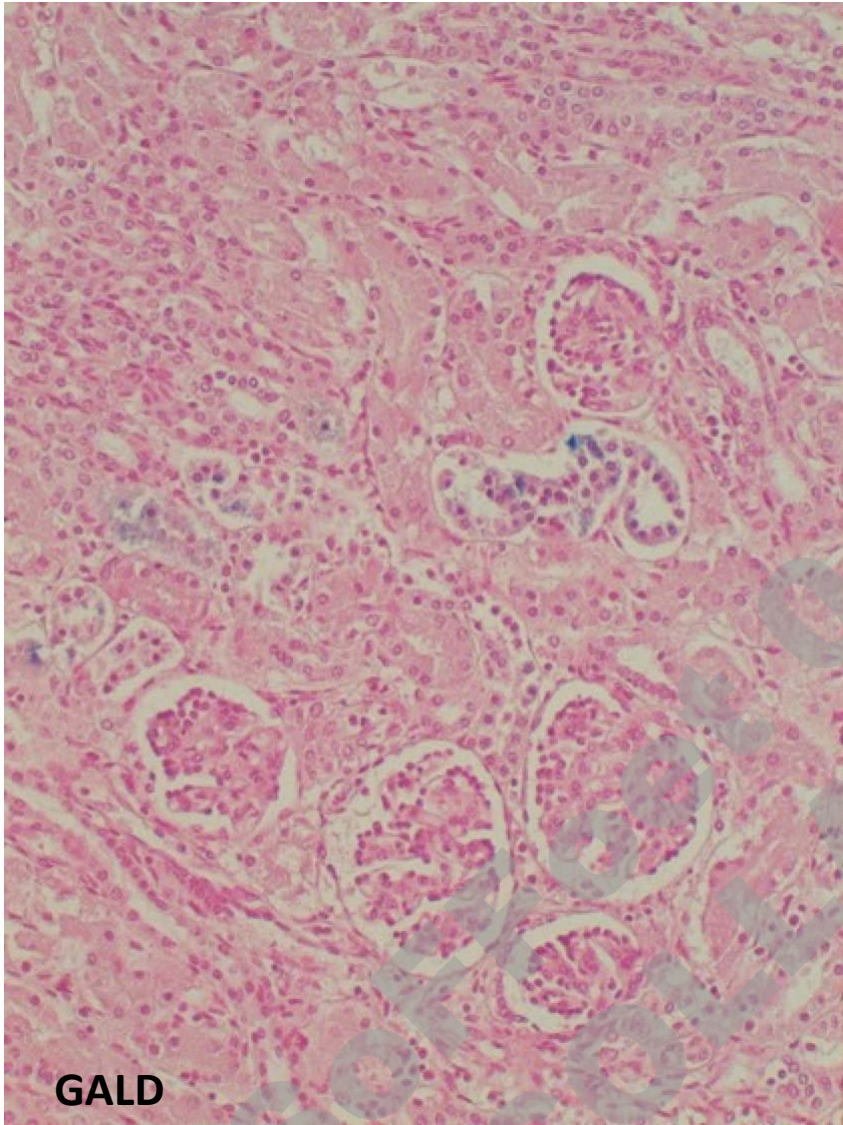


Reticuloendothelial system not spared



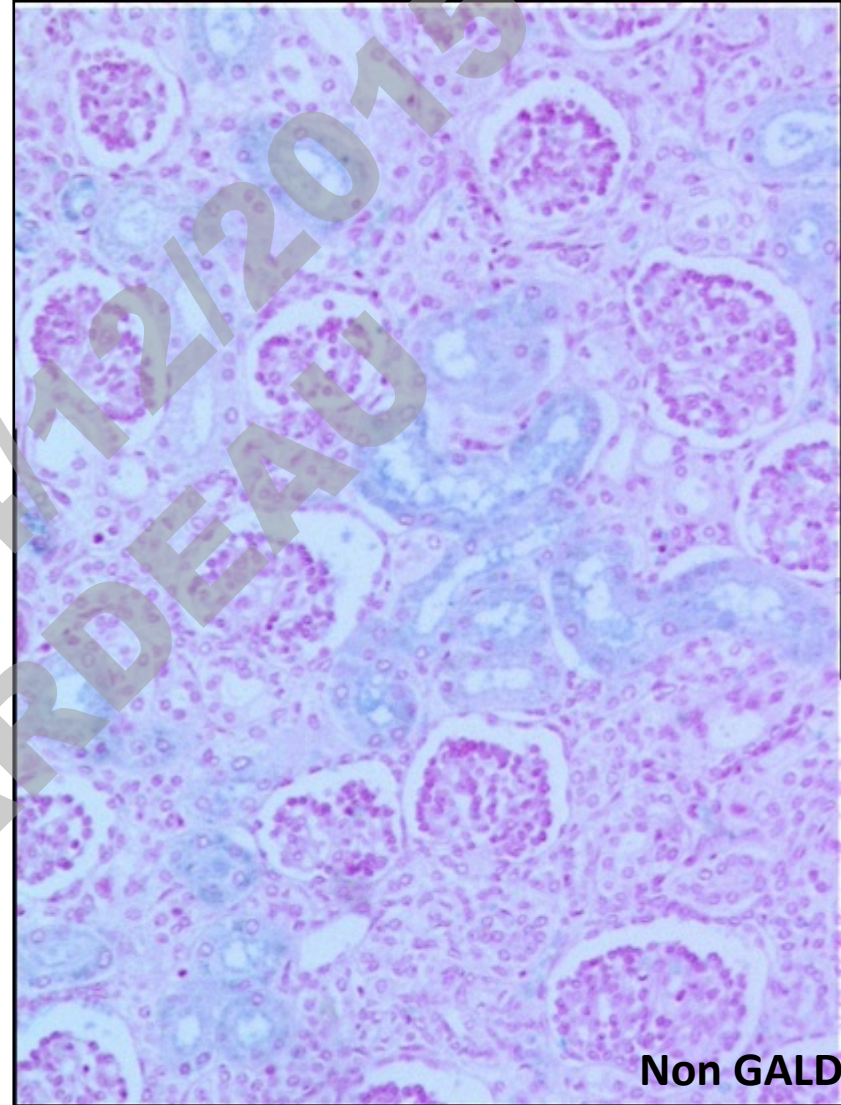
Extrahepatic iron overload in GALD and non GALD autopsy cases





GALD

Usually within a few proximal tubules



Non GALD

Extrahepatic iron overload in GALD and non GALD autopsy cases

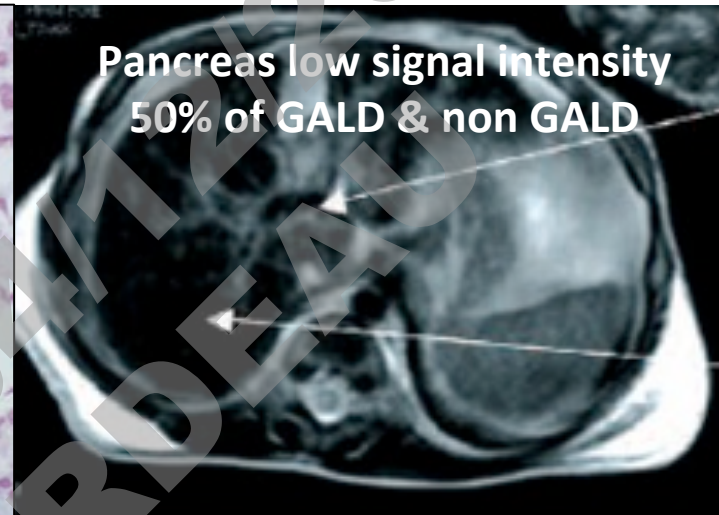
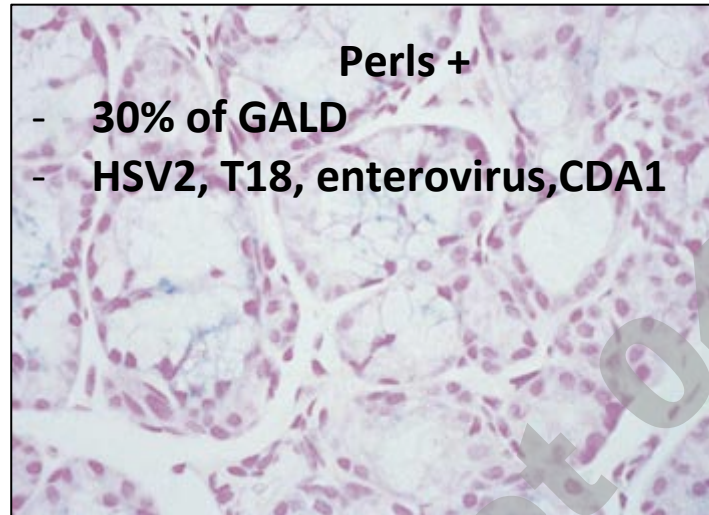
- Para tracheal glands
 - Parvo, enterov, transaldo, bile ac def, leukemia, CDAN1
- Adrenal
 - Parvo, CMV, HSV2, CDG1a, T21
- Thymus
 - Parvo, HSV2, cong heart def
- Duodenum
 - Parvo, T18, T21, CDAN1
- Stomach
 - Parvo, HSV2, E Coli, T18, CDG1a, leukemia, CDAN1
- Myocardium
 - HSV2, E Coi, T21, bile ac def
- Minor salivary glands (lip)
 - HSV2, enterov, CDAN1, T18

Influence of liver lesions on extrahepatic iron overload

cases with	severe liver fibrosis	
	GALD	Non GALD
AND		
extrahepatic iron hemosiderosis	93%	66%

	Influence of Perls score Intensity of liver hemosiderosis			
	Perls \geq 3		Perls \leq 2	
	GALD	Non GALD	GALD	Non GALD
cases with extrahepatic iron hemosiderosis	83%	64%	94%	77%

“Siderosis of the buccal glands and other extrahepatic tissues is not seen in neonatal diseases other than NH/GALD” (Whittington PF. Fetal and infantile hemochromatosis. Hepatology 2006;43:654–60.): **not true**



Literature

- T21
- DGUOK
- Lupus
- 16p
- Delta 4-3 oxo

**Iron in oral mucosal salivary glands
and/or pancreas T2 low signal intensity on MRI
can lack in GALD**

2: C5b9 immunohistochemistry

Group 2: non GALD cases with NH phenotype: 25/45 cases

- 2/5 parvo: 5%
- 3 / 5 CMV: <5%
- 2 HSV1: 90%
- 1/2 HSV2: 80%
- 1 / 2 Enterovirus:90%
- 1/3 DGUOK: 80%
- 3 / 3 Allo-imm anti Red B cells: 80%
- 2/2 T18 < 5%
- 1/3 T21: 90%
- 3/5 heart: 5%
- 1Taldo : 20%
- 1D4-3oxo: 90%
- 2: leukemia <5%
- 1 GRACILE<5%
- 2/3 FLH<5%
- 1CDA I
- 1 Martinez-Frias
- 1CDG1a
- 2 E coli

*anti-C5b9 neoantigen, Quidel, San Diego, CA
dilution: 1/150*

**Group 1: 20/32 GALD cases
expressed in all cases but
>75% in 40%
<75% in 60%
Average: 64%**

Group 3: liver diseases without siderosis: 15 cases

- 2 Giant cell hepatitis with autoimmune hemolytic anemia: 90%
- 1Gaucher : 80%
- 2 BA: 0%
- 2 Alagille: 0%
- 1 A1AT: 0%
- 2 PFIC1: 20%
- 2 PFIC2:0%
- 2 Tyrosinemia: 0%
- 1 Cystic fibrosis: 75%

Group 4: 5 control cases Normal liver: 0%

4 fetus

14 GW

22 GW

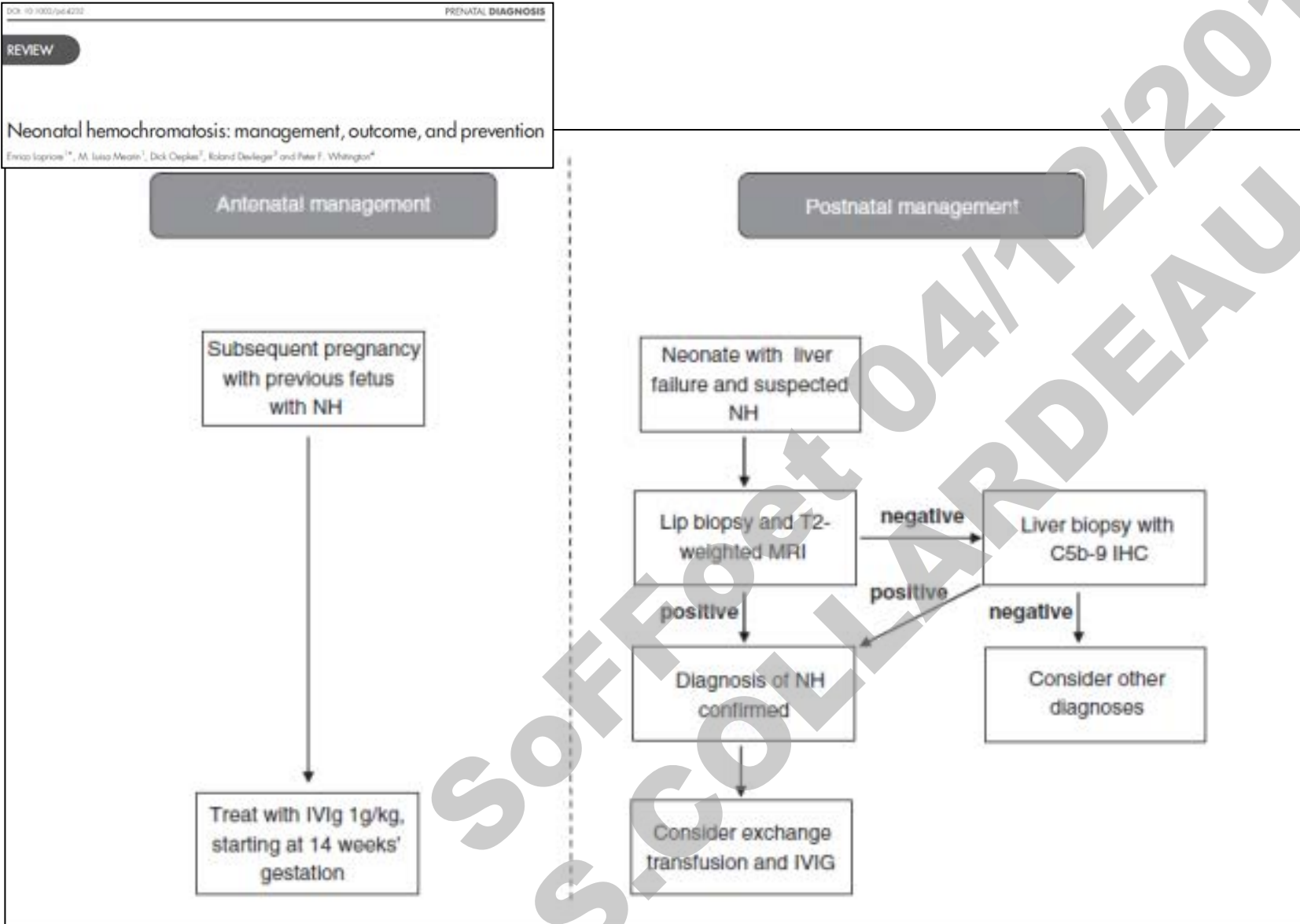
25 GW

27 GW

1 neonate

38 GW + 4 days

GALD: diagnosis and management



GALD diagnosis based on :

- demonstration of ex vivo siderosis
- OR**
- positive C5b-9 on or in hepatocytes

Definitive diagnosis of GALD

- **Still remains difficult**
 - Heterogeneity of liver hemosiderosis & C5b9 expression
- **Often a diagnosis of exclusion**
- **Importance of correlations**
 - clinical, biological, radiological and pathological findings
- **Easier on autopsy**

Definitive diagnosis of GALD

Importance of clinical & biological data

- 1st pregnancy? Previous cases of child or fetal loss
- Mother auto-immunity?
- Consanguinity?
- Dysmorphism, malformations?
- Onset of symptoms? Immediately after birth or not?
- Karyotype?
- Infections?
- Lactate/pyruvate ratio >20 → mitochondrial respiratory chain disorders
- LFT: low GGT → delta 4-3 oxo

Definitive diagnosis of GALD autopsy is very helpful

- **All organs can be examined and sampled**
 - Look for other macroscopic and microscopic malformations
 - Don't forget to take bone marrow sample
 - Placenta : signs of infections or dysimmunity
 - Renal tubular dysgenesis: more frequent in GALD cases?
- **Allows to do Perls staining on multiple organs**
 - extrahepatic iron overload is not limited to pancreas and labial salivary glands
 - must be systematic on liver, thyroid, pancreas , kidneys, spleen +/- lymph nodes and bone marrow
- **Allows to take samples** for biochemical, genetic, molecular investigations
 - Frozen samples : thymus (lymphocytes), liver, muscle, kidneys, lungs, placenta
 - skin biopsy: fiboblasts culture

Similar liver lesions than GALD

Acute fetal liver failure:

- parvovirus B19 +++:
 - inclusion sometimes difficult to see /macerated fetus → immunostaining
- transaldolase deficiency (autosomal recessive) :
 - dysmorphism & malformations may lack in fetus
 - polyols urinary analysis
 - TALDO1 gene

Similar liver lesions than GALD

Subacute/ chronic liver failure:

- **DGUOK:**
 - steatosis might be focal, oncocytic cells not always present
- **Congenital dyserythropoietic anemia 1 (autosomal recessive)**
 - pseudo-tumoral multivisceral hematopoiesis
 - Bone marrow: bi-, tri- or tetra-nucleated polychromatic erythroblasts and internuclear chromatin bridges in some erythroblasts
 - **CDAN1 gene**
- **FHL:**
 - carefully look for activated macrophages (sometimes few in the liver)

perspectives

- Étude du phénotype: autres maladies non encore recensées
 - Perls systématique sur tout foie nécrosé ou d'architecture anormale
 - Pb des investigations complémentaires pas toujours effectuées
 - Il nous manque des cas: Zellweger, Donohue, Martinez-Frias, sd THE, 16p
- Mécanismes physiopathologiques
 - GALD existe-t'elle vraiment?
 - Ag hépatique?
 - Autres allo-immunisations?
 - Ag privés érythrocytaires?
 - Autres facteurs impliqués dans la voie du complément
 - Piste auto-immunité: étude sérum maternel
 - Pb de administration des IgIV: plus possible pendant la G
 - Après G quand cas index dépisté: 3, 6, 9, 12 mois, 2 ans

besoin

- De vous +++
 - CR
 - Toutes les lames
 - Blocs foie, reins, rate, thyroïde, pancréas, placenta
- De sous (piste via comité de délivrance des IgIV, AMFE)
 - Base de données
 - Expériences/ techniques complémentaires
 - Site internet: infos des familles, cliniciens

Articles et présentations

- Cours IPPA Fontainebleau sept 2015
- 2 présentations orales Australie Nov 2015
- 5 articles en cours:
 - 2 thèses
 - 2 case report
 - 1 orphanet
- Collaboration
 - Européenne: Belgique, Suisse, Espagne, Portugal
 - Internationale: Children Hospital Of Philadelphia

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