

HISTOLOGICAL EVIDENCE OF MAPK PATHWAY ACTIVATION ACROSS ALL SUBTYPES OF ADULT ORBITAL XANTHOGRANULOMATOUS DISEASE IRRESPECTIVE OF PATHOGENIC MUTATIONS

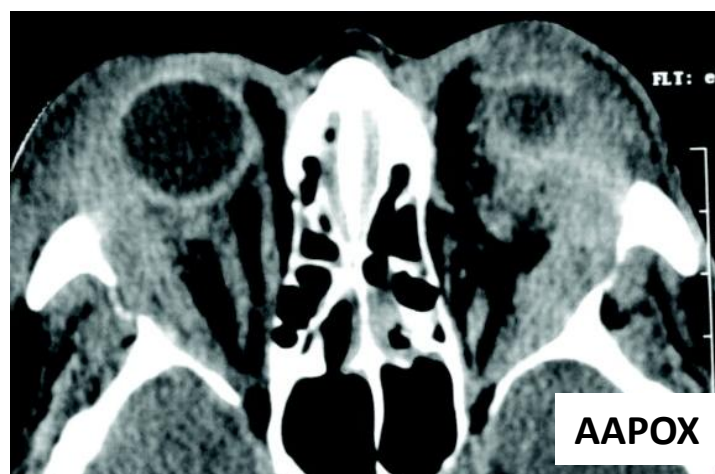
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adult xanthogranulomatous diseases (AOXGD):

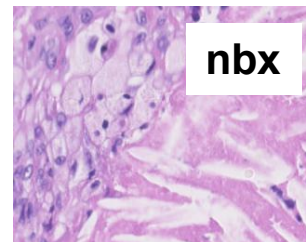
spectrum of histiocytoses presenting as (peri)ocular & orbital masses



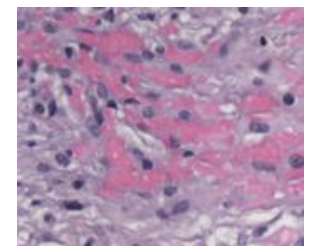
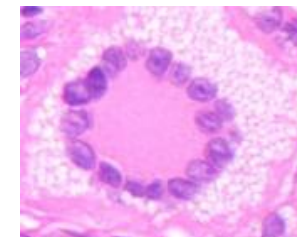
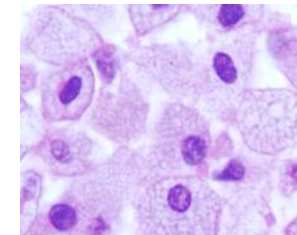
AOXGD

type		presentation
AOX	Adult-onset xanthogranuloma	mostly solitary lesions often affecting lacrimal gland & eye muscles;
AAPOX	Adult-onset asthma and periocular xanthogranuloma	mostly isolated, but sometimes associated with lymphadenopathy and B-cell dysfunction
NBX	Necrobiotic xanthogranuloma	mostly affecting eyelids and can be associated with hematological neoplasms/lymphoma
ECD	Erdheim-Chester disease	retrobulbar/apical involvement often as part of systemic disease

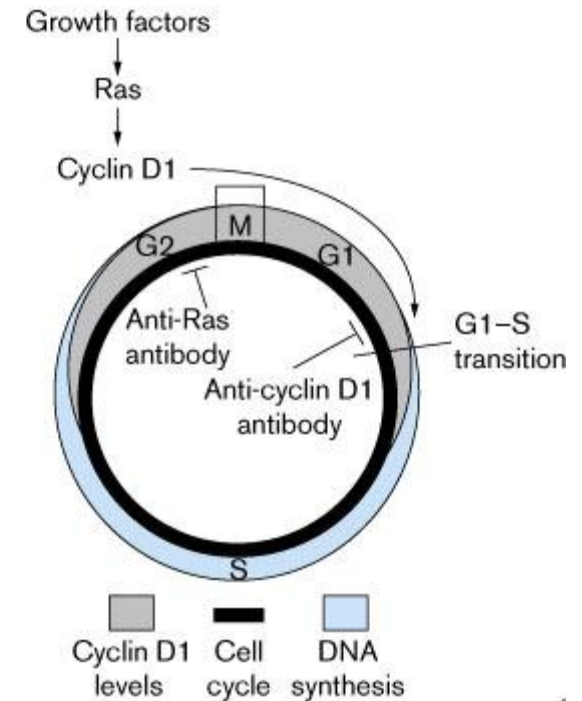
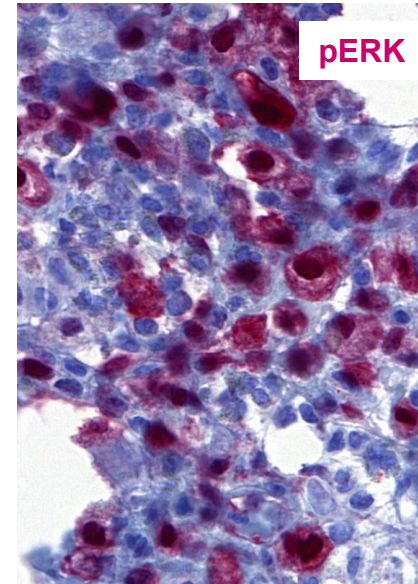
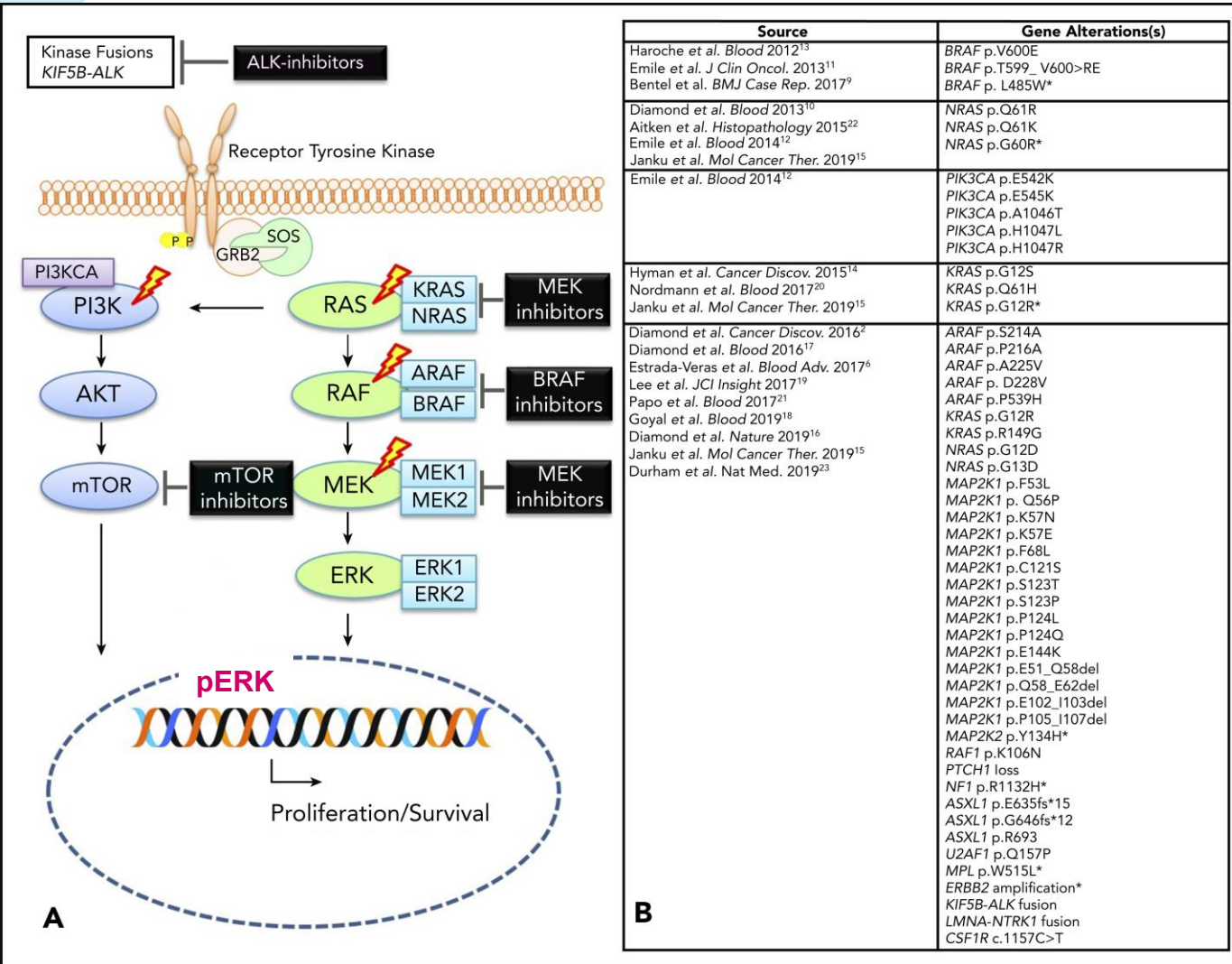
Histological features	shared
AOX	foamy CD68 ⁺ CD163 ⁺ histiocytes Touton giant cells fibrosis IgG4 plasma cells
AAPOX	
NBX	
ECD	



nbx



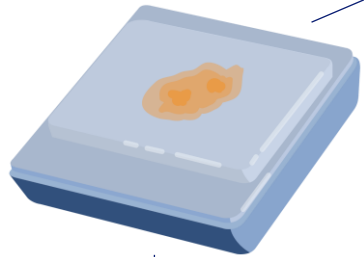
pERK and Cyclin D1 are indicators of MAPK pathway activation



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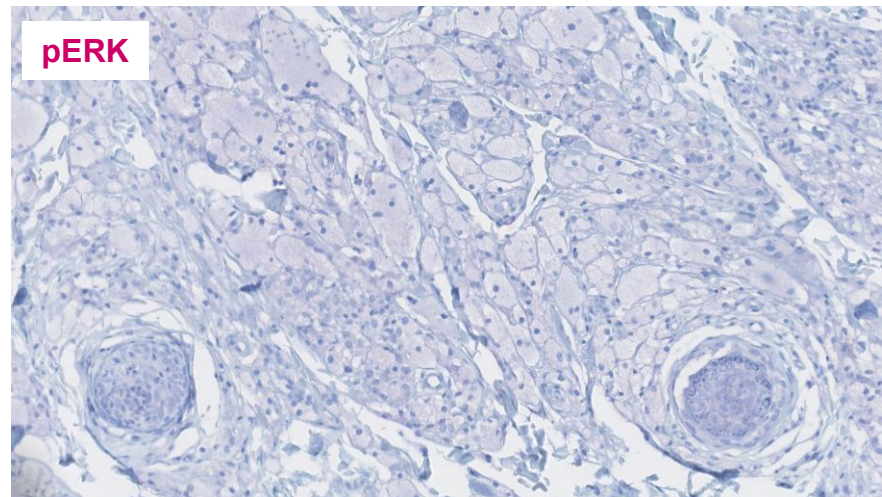
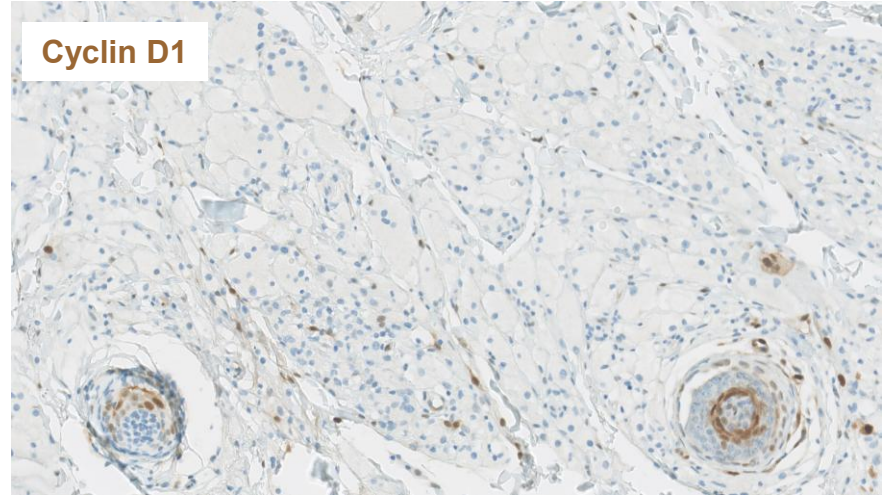
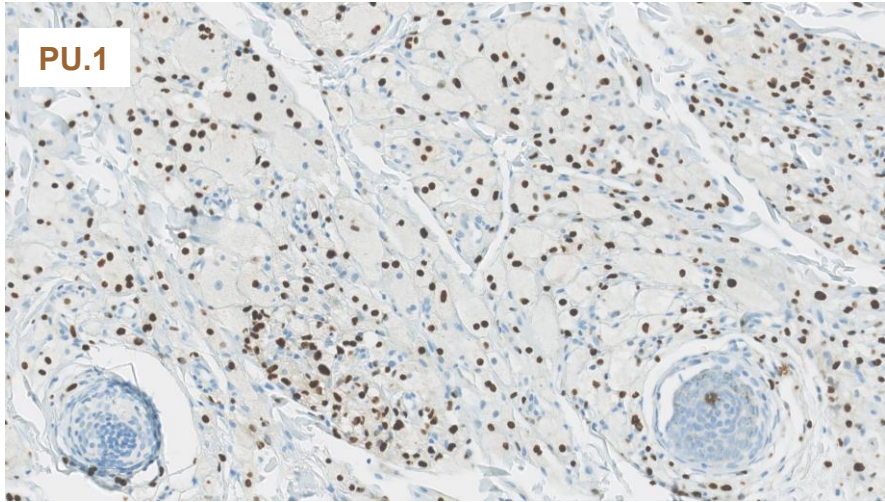
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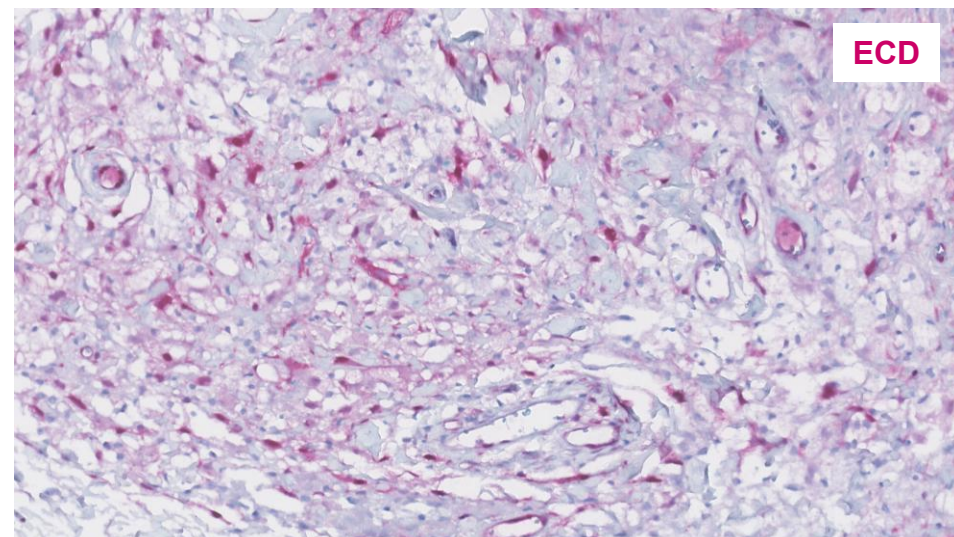
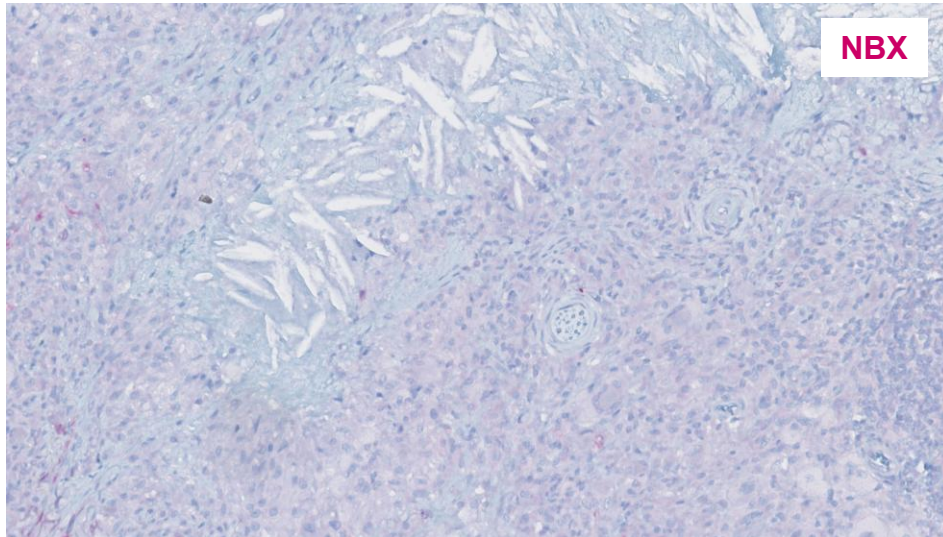
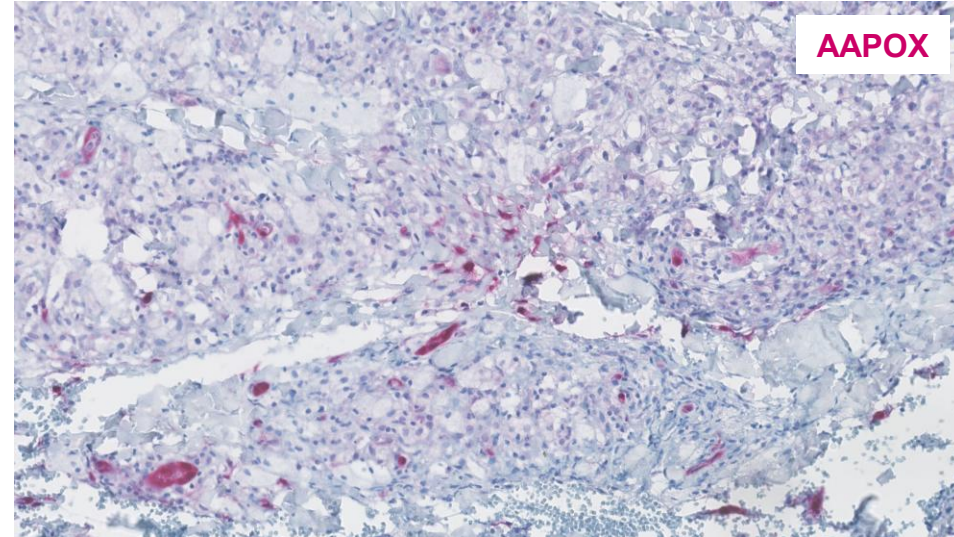
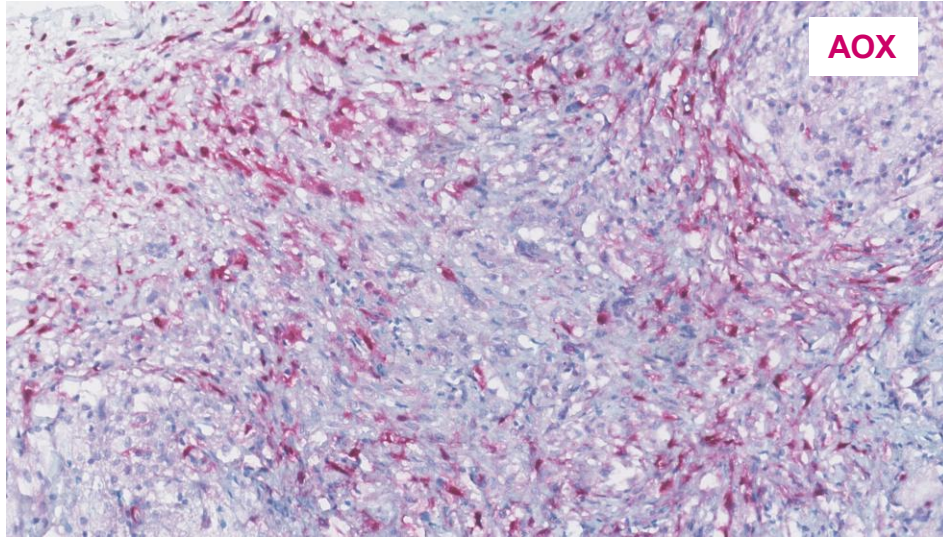
immunohistochemical staining for PU.1, Cyclin D1 and pERK

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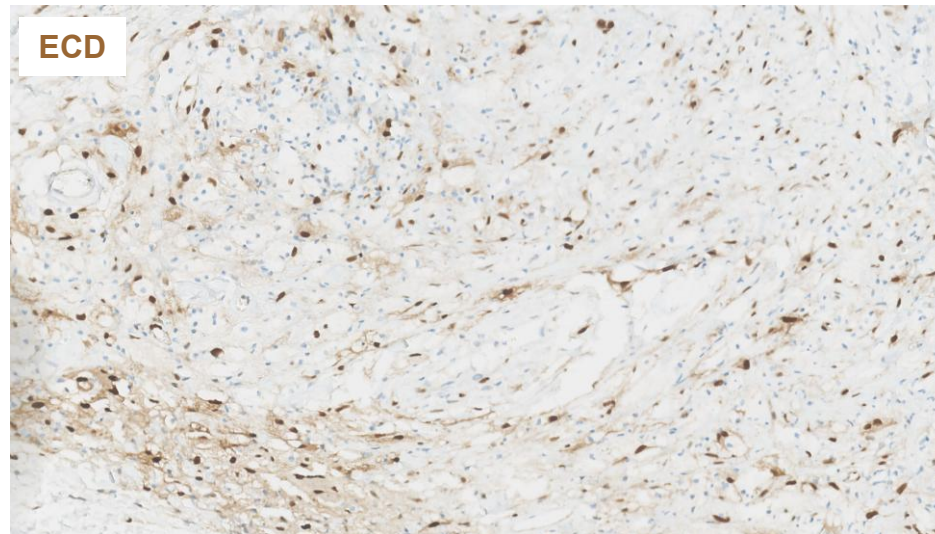
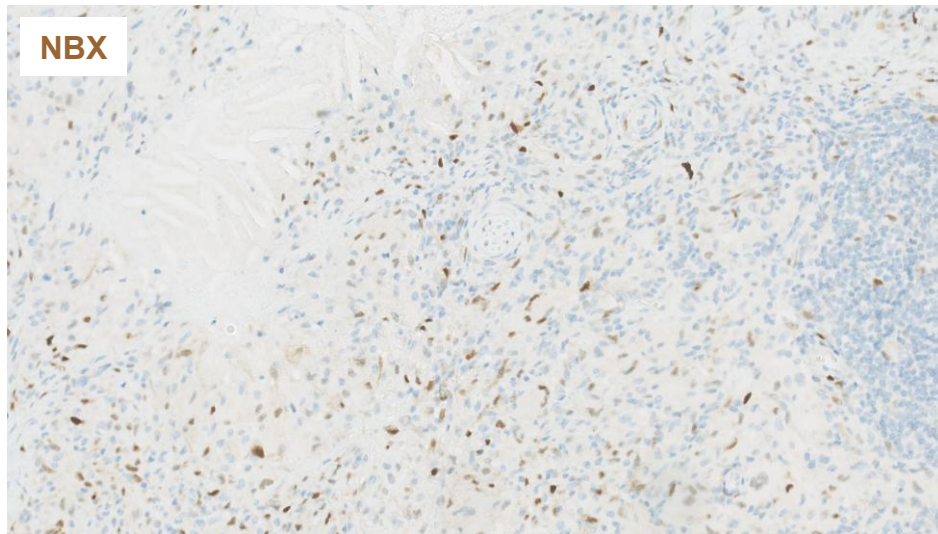
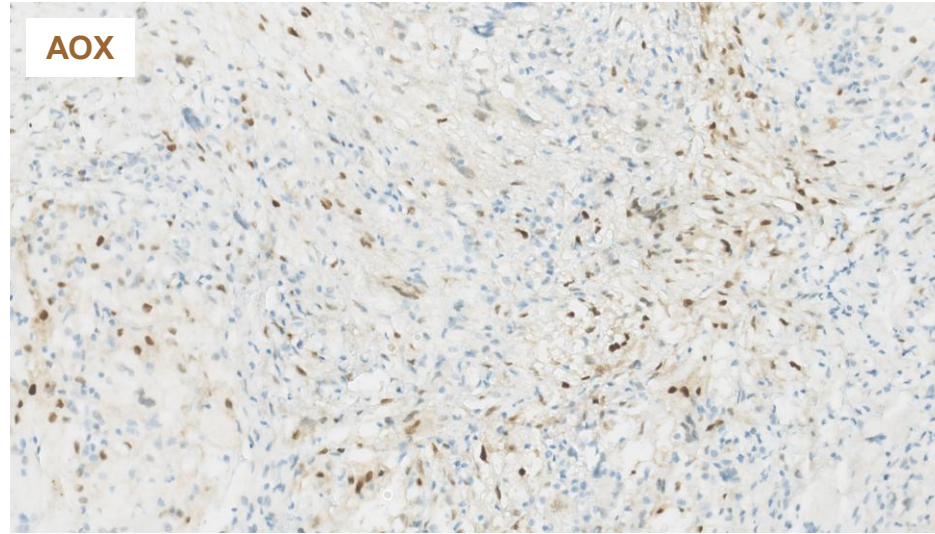
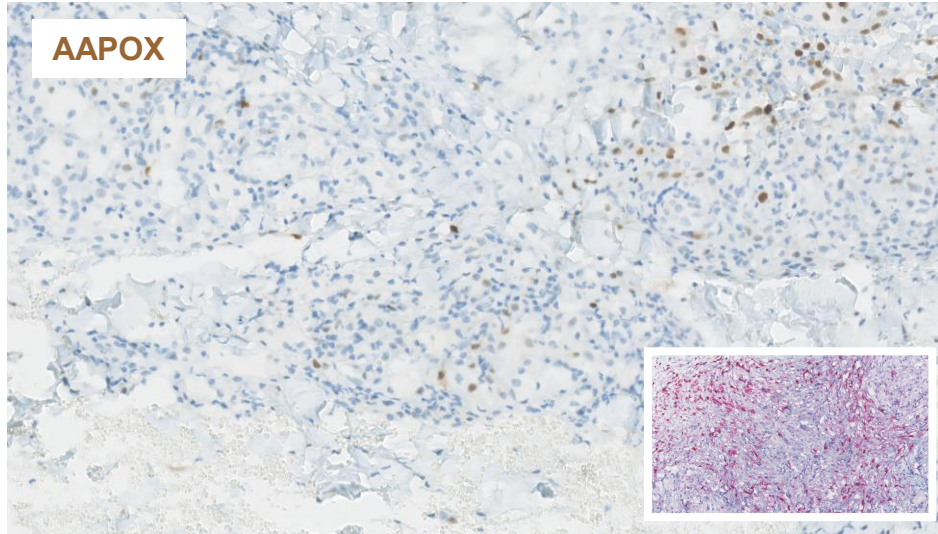


N=28 AOXGD biopsies & N=10 xanthlasma biopsies

Phosphorylated ERK results



Cyclin D1 results

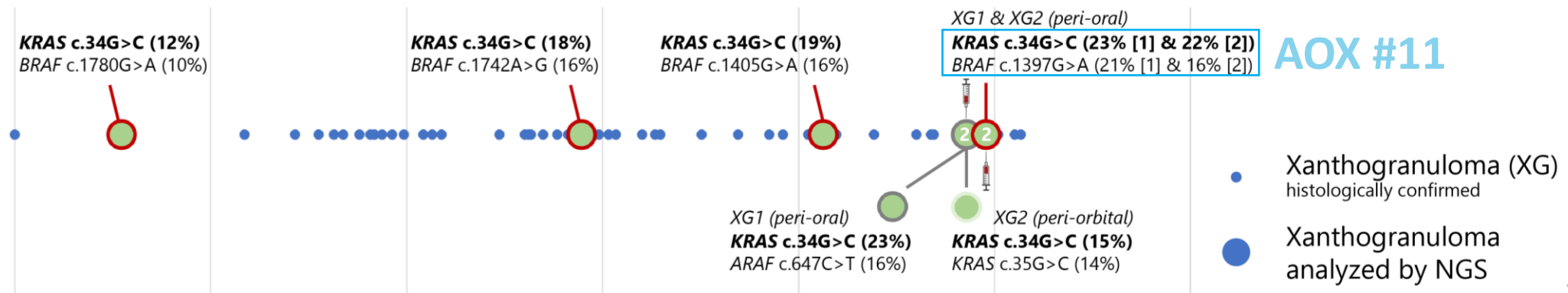


Molecular and immunohistochemical characteristics of AOXGD patients

Patient	Age at diagnosis (years)	Sex	Diagnosis	Year of biopsy	NGS (VAF)	FFPE-TLC NGS (VAF)	pERK	Cyclin D1	PU.1
1	31	M	AOX	2018	no mutation detected	no mutation detected	neg	neg	pos
2	51	M	AOX	2011		no mutation detected	neg	neg	pos
3	48	M	AOX	2006		no mutation detected	pos	pos	pos
4	50	F	AOX	1994		no mutation detected	neg	pos	pos
5	61	F	AOX	2011		no mutation detected	neg	pos	pos
6	82	F	AOX	2004		no mutation detected	neg	pos	pos
7	49	M	AOX	2005		no mutation detected	neg	pos	pos
8	80	F	AOX	1989		no mutation detected	neg	neg	pos
9	70	M	AOX	2003		no mutation detected	pos	pos	pos
10	42	M	AOX	2021	no mutation detected	no mutation detected	pos	pos	pos
11	48	M	AOX*	2021	KRASp.G12R (23%) BRAFp.G466E (21%)		neg	pos	pos
12	50	M	AAPOX	2015		No mutation detected	neg	neg	pos
13	53	F	AAPOX	2010		KRASp.K117N (23%) PIK3CAp.R992Q (5%)	pos	pos	pos
14	45	F	AAPOX	2010		NRASp.G12D (31%)	focal pos	focal pos	pos
15	68	F	AAPOX	2003		no mutation detected	pos	pos	pos
16	72	M	AAPOX	2022	no mutation detected	no mutation detected	neg	neg	pos
17	45	M	AAPOX	2021	no mutation detected	no mutation detected	neg	neg	pos
18	43	M	NBX	1999	no mutation detected	no mutation detected	pos	pos	pos
19	73	F	NBX	2002		no mutation detected	pos	neg	pos
20	49	F	NBX	2019		no mutation detected	neg	neg	pos
21	67	M	NBX	2017		no mutation detected	pos	pos	pos
22	57	F	NBX	2014		no mutation detected	pos	pos	pos
23	52	M	NBX	2018	no mutation detected	no mutation detected	failed	neg	failed
24	75	M	NBX	2022	no mutation detected	no mutation detected	failed	failed	failed
25	47	M	ECD	2000	failed	BRAFp.V600E (9%)	pos	pos	pos
26**	59	F	ECD	2018	KRASp.G12A (52%)				
27	59	F	ECD	2022	BRAFp.V600E (9.5%)		pos	failed	failed
28	67	F	ECD	2020	KRASp.K117N (28%)		neg	pos	pos

Conclusions and take home message

- pERK and Cyclin d1 are surrogate indicators of MAPK pathway activation irrespective of concurrently present driver mutation(s);
- 25% of (peri)orbital AOXGD biopsies display no pERK⁺ and/or Cyclin D1⁺ histiocytes, a situation comparable to control xanthalasma;
- 4/7 (57%) of AOXGD patients with mutation-driven MAPK activation relapsed versus 8/21 (35%) without mutation;
- Molecular analysis of (perio)orbital biopsies may help to identify patients at risk of recurrent disease



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