Pathology Grand Rounds
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Soft tissue tumors of the head and neck:
What’s new?

Needs: Diagnosing soft tissue tumors of the head and neck is a significant challenge to surgical pathologists, due to a combination of their rarity, significant histologic overlap, and new discoveries in molecular genetics. Surgical pathologists need to understand how to apply immunohistochemistry and molecular diagnostic studies to aid in differential diagnosis.

Objectives: Recognize the key histologic features of soft tissue tumors of the head and neck; Apply immunohistochemistry to aid in the differential diagnosis of soft tissue tumors of the head and neck; Understand the role of molecular diagnostic studies for the diagnosis of soft tissue tumors of the head and neck.