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### Hematology-Cell Morphology – Case 11

In the adenogramme (lymph node aspiration) or lymph node imprints after lymph node biopsy there is a cytological polymorphy in the smear and an existence of numerous or rare large cells of about 50 µm with a large size irregular nucleus (sometimes binuclear with an owl eyes-like appearance with fine chromatin network and many large nucleoli and sometimes an abundance of bluish microvacuolar cytoplasm) (figures 1–16). These cells are rare or many according to the histological types of the disease. Similar cells are present sometimes and in other malignancies (e.g. melanoma, sarcoma, thymoma) or in infectious mononucleosis and rubella.

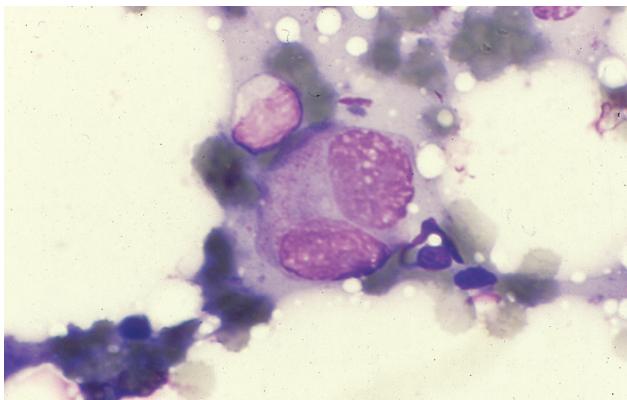


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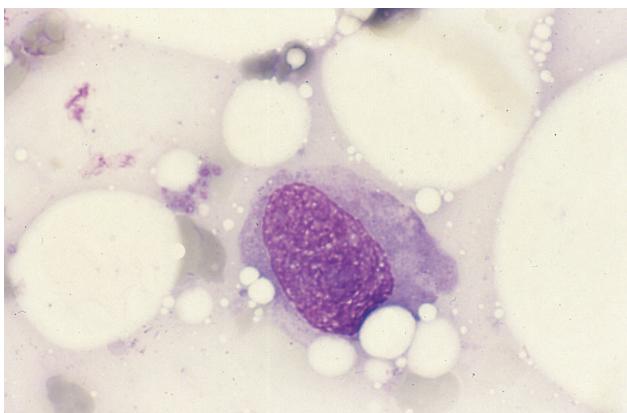


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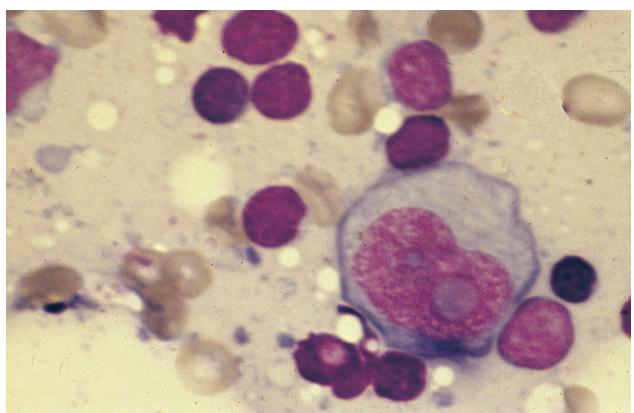
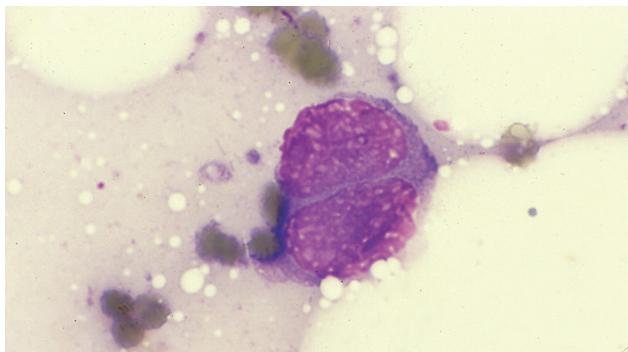
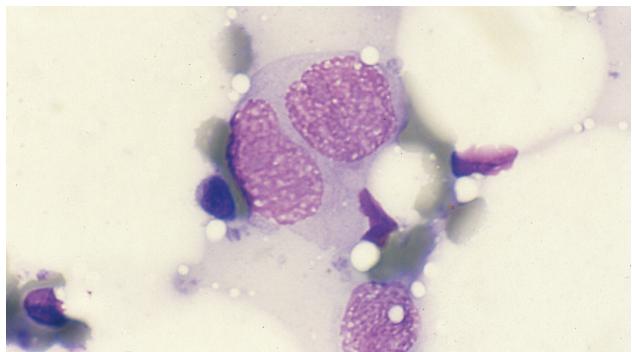
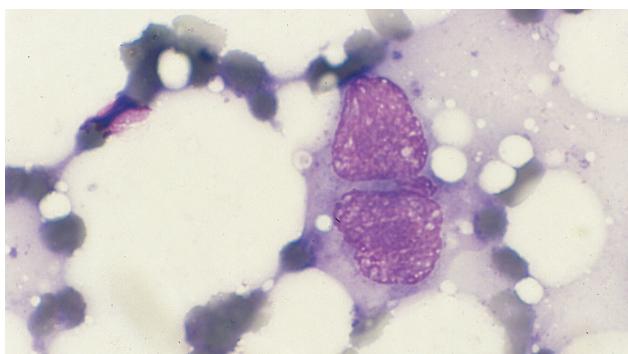
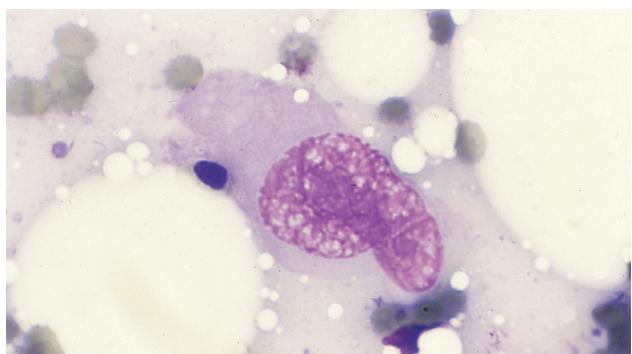
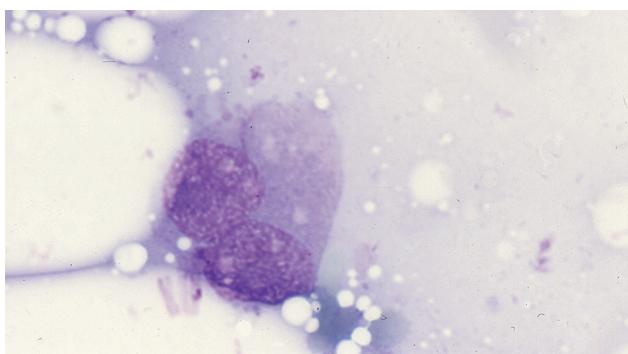
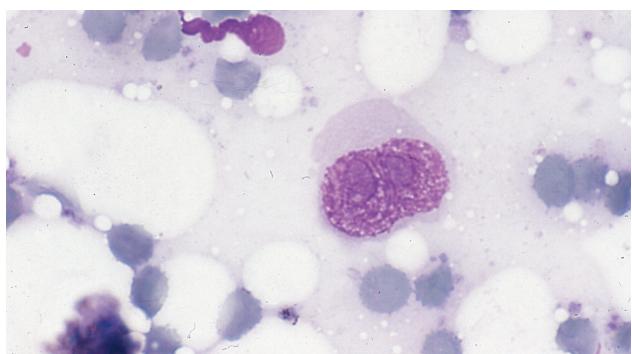
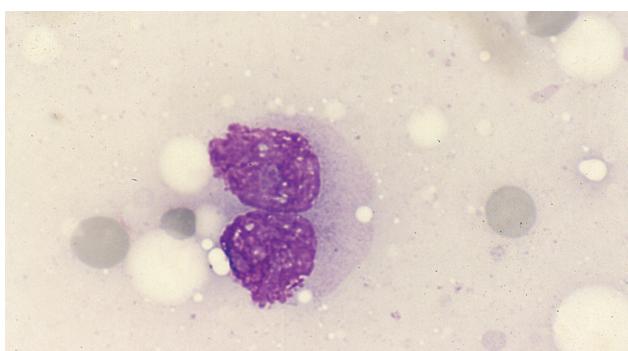
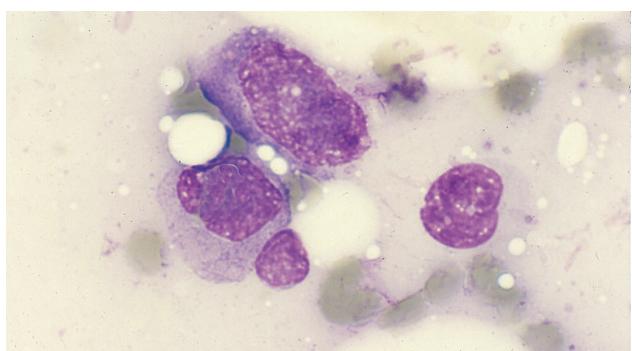


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**Figure 4****Figure 8****Figure 5****Figure 9****Figure 6****Figure 10****Figure 7****Figure 11**

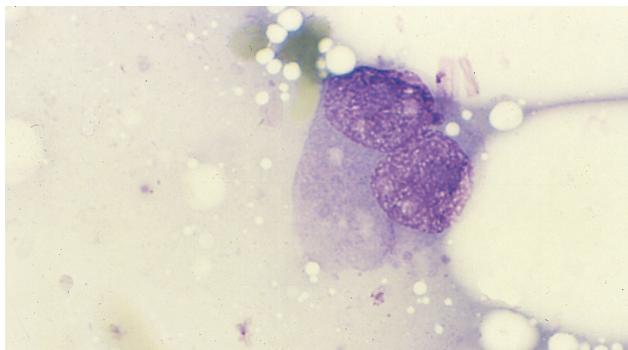


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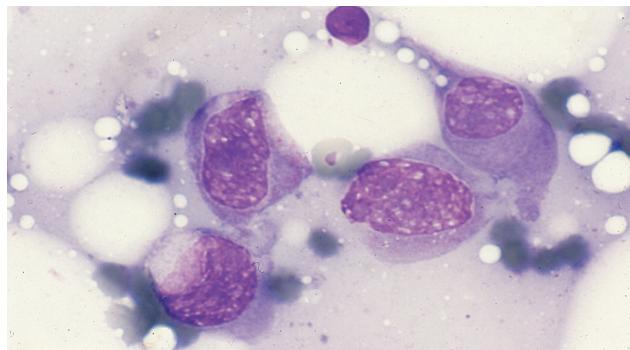


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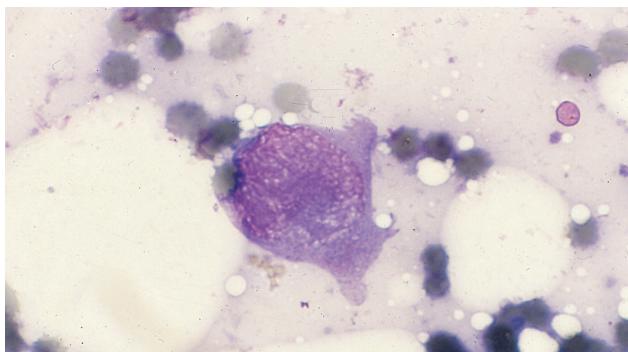


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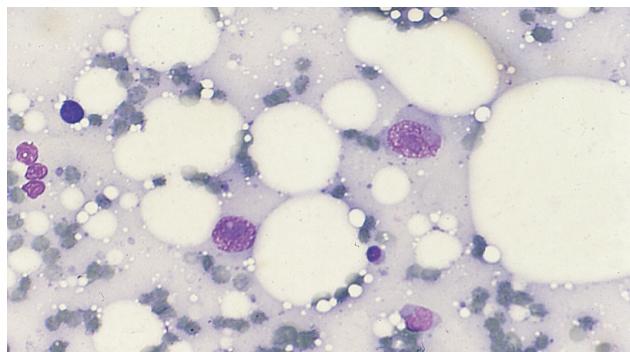


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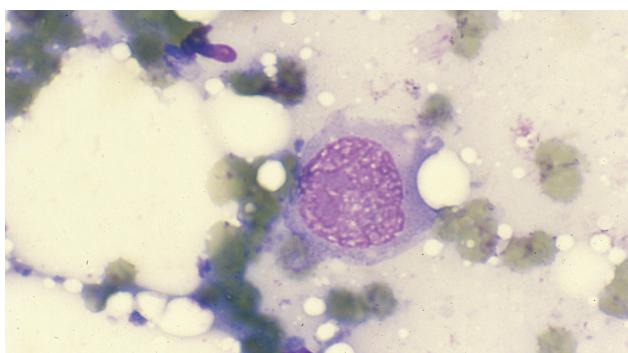


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