



Patient:	SMITH, JOHN	Accession Number:	DRE-13-01234
Address:	123 Main Street Memphis, TN 38122	Date of Service (Collection):	6/4/2013
Gender:	M DOB: 11/28/1936 Age: 76	Date Received:	6/5/2013
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FINAL DIAGNOSIS:

**A. RIGHT OF MIDLINE MID ABDOMEN, SHAVE
COMPOUND DYSPLASTIC MELANOCYTIC NEVUS WITH ATYPICAL
FEATURES (SEVERE DYSPLASIA) (238.2)**

COMMENT: ATYPICAL FEATURES ARE PRESENT SUCH AS FOCALLY CONFLUENT MELANOCYTES AS WELL AS AN OCCASIONAL CELL ABOVE THE JUNCTION. THERE IS ALSO VARIATION IN SIZE AND SHAPE OF THE NESTS. FOR THESE REASONS, COMPLETE EXCISION IS RECOMMENDED. THE LESION EXTENDS TO THE SURGICAL RESECTION MARGINS.

CLINICAL IMPRESSION: Rule out dysplastic nevus

GROSS DESCRIPTION:

A. Received in formalin is a 0.5 x 0.4 x 0.1 cm shave biopsy of tan-brown skin. The surgical margin is inked blue. Totally submitted. Sections: A1-2. Also in jar is a 0.5 x 0.1 x 0.1 cm shave biopsy of tan-brown skin. The surgical margin is inked blue. Totally submitted. Sections: A2-1. SWL:sb

MICROSCOPIC DESCRIPTION:

A. A neoplasm is circumscribed, symmetrical and comprised of melanocytes both singly and in nests at the dermal-epidermal junction and in the dermis. Nests predominate over single cells and have some variation in size and shape. Single melanocytes are mostly confined to the dermal-epidermal junction, confluent in some areas, but there are rare melanocytes above the junction. Dermal melanocytes mature somewhat with progressive descent.

BW/kg

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