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Prise en charge des nodules indéterminés de Bethesda

Terminologie de Bethesda: analyse critique des résultats

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Bethesda 2007

9 Sessions

- Epidémiologie
- Clinique et ex cliniques/biologiques
- Ex radiologiques
- Indications de ponction
- Techniques de ponction
- Techniques cytologiques
- Techniques ancillaires
- **Terminologie**
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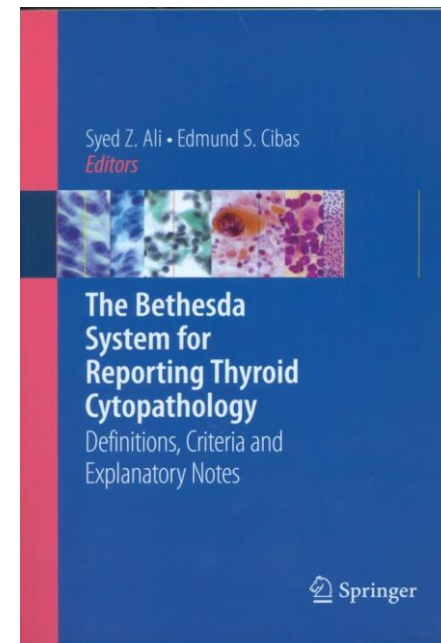


Bethesda 2007

Bethesda Terminologie 2010

- **2007/2009/2010**
- **Recommandée par HAS, SFE, EFCS**
- **Nombreux pays européens (Croatie, Finlande, Espagne, Grèce, Portugal, Tchéquie, Turquie.....)**

Cytopathology 2010;21:86-92
Ann Pathol 2012; 3:177-83
DMEV 2010;13:191-5



Catégories diagnostiques de BSRCT

| Catégories diagnostiques | Risque de malignité (%) | Attitude thérapeutique |
|---|-------------------------|---|
| Non diagnostique | ? | Seconde ponction échoguidée dans un délai de 3 à 6 mois |
| Bénin | 0 - 3 | Surveillance clinique, échographique dans un délai de 6 à 18 mois pendant 5 ans |
| Lésion folliculaire de signification indéterminée | 5 - 15 | Seconde ponction dans un délai de 6 mois |
| Néoplasme folliculaire et néoplasme à cellules oncocytaires | 15 - 30 | Contrôle chirurgical (Lobectomie) |
| Suspect de malignité | 60 - 75 | Thyroïdectomie subtotale ou totale |
| Malin | 97 - 99 | Thyroïdectomie totale |

Bethesda : Objectifs

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**Optimiser la cytopathologie thyroïdienne :
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Comparer les données entre différents services/pays

| Auteurs | Nombre de cas | Non diagn | Bénin | LFSI ou ASI | NF/NFHC | SM | Malin |
|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Theoharis et al 2009 | 3207 | 11.1% | 73.8% | 3% | 5.5% | 1.3% | 5.2% |
| Broome et al 2011 | 282 | 4% | 48% | 29% (20%) | 12% (36%) | 10% | 11% |
| Crowe et al 2011 | 110 | 1.8% | 31.8% | 40% (18.2%) | 14.6% (18.8%) | 0% | 11.8% (100%) |
| Vickie et al 2011 | 3080 | 18.6% (8.9%) | 59% (1.1%) | 3.4% (17%) | 9.7% (25.4%) | 2.3% (70%) | 7% (98.1%) |

| | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Cochand-Priollet et al 2009/2010 | 2277 | 14.1% (0.6%) | 64.9% (0.2%) | 9.2% (17.2%) | 5.6% (9%FN/ 25%FNHC) | 4.2% (66%) | 2% (100%) |
| Bethesda | | <15% ? | 60% 0 à 3% | <7% 5 à 15% | 6-11% 15 à 30% | 2-8% 60 à 75% | 3-7% 97 à 99 % |

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|---|---------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
| Mastorakis et al Cytopathology 2012 | 500 | NA | 49% | 9.4% (23.4%) | 1.2% | 10.6% | 26.8% (100%) |
| | 500 | NA | 72.2% | 5% (8%) | 2.2% | 3.2% | 12.2% (100%) |
| Elsheikh et al 2012 | 1382 | 20.1% | 39% (3%) | 27.2% (6%) | 8.4% (22%) | 2.6% (56%) | 2.7% (100%) |
| Firat P et al 2012 | 764 | 11.7% | 64.1% | 9.8% (36%) | 3.7% (45%) | 3.5% (100%) | 7.2% (100%) |
| Mondal SK et al 2013 | 1020 | 1.2% (0%) | 87.5% (4.5%) | 1% (20%) | 4.2% (30.6%) | 1.4% (75%) | 10% (97.8%) |
| Park JH et al 2014 | 1730 | 13.3% (35.3%) | 40.6% (5.6%) | 9.1% (69%) | 0.4% (50%) | 19.3% (98.7%) | 17.3% (98.9%) |
| Bethesda | | <15% | 60% | <7% | 6-11% | 2-8% | 3-7% |
| | | ? | 0 à 3% | 5 à 15% | 15 à 30% | 60 à 75% | 97 à 99 % |

Comparer les données en France

| Auteurs | Nombre de cas | Non diagn | Bénin | LFSI ou ASI | NF/NFHC | SM | Malin |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Royer B et al 2012 | 9970 | 4% | 74% | 10.5% | 6% (14%) | 3% | 2.5% |
| Cochand-Priollet B et al 2012 | 2210 | 14.3% | 65.5% | 11% (23.6%) | 4.9% (15.2%) | 2.3% (58.7%) | 2% (100%) |
| Lacoste-Collin L et al 2012 | 1317 | 31.6% | 48% | 7.8% (18.5%) | 7% (22.2%) | 3% (55.6%) | 2.6% (100%) |
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- **BSRTC autorise les comparaisons**
- **Fait ressortir les « insuffisances » au niveau des cytopathologistes ou des préleveurs**
 - **Epidémiologie du K de la thyroïde**

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Pathak P Diagn Cytopathol 2014

- **415 cas indéterminés**
- **3 lecteurs**
- **Reclasser en BSRTC**
- **Fleiss'kappa score: 0,6561**

| κ | Interpretation |
|-------------|------------------------|
| < 0 | Désaccord |
| 0.0 — 0.20 | Accord très faible |
| 0.21 — 0.40 | Accord faible |
| 0.41 — 0.60 | Accord modéré |
| 0.61 — 0.80 | Accord fort |
| 0.81 — 1.00 | Accord presque parfait |

Améliorer la reproductibilité inter et intra observateurs

Ali SZ Acta Cytol 2013

- Meta-analyse **NFHC**
- 47 349 cas/14 publications post BSRTC
- 13024 cas/5 publications pré BSRTC

- **Résultats:**

nb de cas 6.1 à 7.4%;

CC: 55 à 61%;

%K: 22 à 28%

Olson MT Acta Cytol 2014

- Meta-analyse **SM**
- 50 192 cas/12 publications post BSRTC
- 51 863 cas/13 publications pré BSRTC

Table 2. Summary of prospective studies in the pre- and post-TBSRTC periods

| | SPTC rate | Surgical follow-up rate of SPTC | Malignant rate |
|---|-------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Pre-TBSRCT studies [14, 16, 18, 19, 23] | 4.5% (537/12,041) | 82.9% (445/537) | 62.5% (278/445) |
| Post-TBSRCT studies [9, 11, 30] | 3.1% (341/11,175) | 84.2% (287/341) | 80.5% (231/287) |
| p | <0.00001 | 0.61508 | <0.00001 |

Améliorer la reproductibilité inter et intra observateurs

| CYTOLOGICAL CRITERIA and Risk of malignancy | AA Renshaw Cancer Cytopathol 2011 | MH Luu Acta Cytol 2011 | MT Olson Acta Cytol 2011 | S Onder Cytopathol 2013 |
|--|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Microfollicular architecture but sparse cellularity | 21-34% | | 27% | 6.9% |
| Predominant oncocyctic cells and low cellularity | | | | 0% |
| Predominant oncocyctic cells and goiter or Hashimoto | | | | 0% |
| Cytological atypias suggesting papillary carcinoma | 39% | 32.3% | 48% | 28% |
| Atypical « cyst lining cells » | | | | 28% |
| Cytological atypias | 50% | | | 22% |
| Cytological atypias due to technical artifact | | | | 22% |
| Abnormal lymphocytic population | | | | |
| % FLUS/AUS/% malignant | 8%/25% | 3.2%/26% | 3.3%/32% | 6.7%/18.9% |

| Critères cytologiques | 820 critères | |
|---|--------------|---|
| I. Architecture micro-folliculaire | 24,5% | 6,9% - 34% dans la littérature |
| II. Important population oncocytaire avec une faible cellularité | 3,6% | |
| III. Atypies liées à des artéfacts de préparation | 0% | Absent en milieu liquide |
| IV. Importante population oncocytaire avec une riche cellularité pouvant s'intégrer dans un goitre ou une thyroïdite | 2% | |
| V. Atypies cytonucléaires pouvant suggérer un carcinome papillaire mais un contingent de cellules vésiculaires bénignes | 34% | 28% – 58% dans la littérature |
| VI. Atypies pouvant suggérer des cellules en bordure de kyste | 0% | Identifiable en milieu liquide |
| VII. Atypies cytologiques | 22,1% | 22% - 50% dans la littérature |
| VIII. Population lymphocytaire atypique | 0% | Recrutement-dépendant |
| IX. Autre : cellules géantes, faible cellularité, absence de colloïde | 13,8% | Importance de la qualité du prélèvement |

LFSI: 11% dont 23.6% K

La catégorie des LFSI n'est pas un « fourre tout »

Améliorer la reproductibilité inter et intra observateurs

- **Meilleure classification pour les catégories indéterminées III, IV et V**
- **Application de critères stricts pour la catégorie III**
- **Reproductibilité dans cette catégorie**

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In Germany, about 59 000 thyroid operations are performed each year for uni- or multinodular goiter, most of them for diagnostic purposes. The rate of detection of thyroid cancer in such operations is relatively low, at 1:15.

- **Augmentation notable du % de cancers dans les thyroïdes opérées (14% à 50%)**
- **Augmentation de la spécificité 50% cat IV et V; 100% cat VI**

Kocjan G Acta Cytol 2011

- **Combinaison TI-RADS/BSRTC**
- **Score Ti-RADS 3 et 4A combinés avec Cat III BSRTC: VNP: 90%**
- **Score TI-RADS 4B et 5 combinés avec Cat III, IV et V BSRTC: risque de malignité élevé > 75%**

Maia FF Clin Endocrinol 2014

Controversies in the surgical management of thyroid follicular neoplasms. Retrospective analysis of 721 patients.

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Abstract

The most appropriate surgical management of "follicular neoplasm/suspicious for follicular neoplasm" lesions, is still controversial. Analysing and comparing the experience of two units for endocrine surgery, we retrospectively evaluated 721 patients, surgically treated after a follicular neoplasm diagnosis. Total thyroidectomy was routinely performed in one Institution, while in the other one it was selectively carried out. The main criteria leading to hemithyroidectomy were a single nodule, the age ≤ 45 years, the absence of thyroiditis or clinical/intraoperative suspicion of malignancy. Total thyroidectomy was performed in 402/721 patients (55.7%), hemithyroidectomy in 319/721 cases (44.2%) and a completion thyroidectomy in 51/319 cases (15.9%). The overall malignancy rate was 24% (176/721 patients), respectively 16% (51/319 patients) following hemithyroidectomy, and 31% (125/402 patients) following total thyroidectomy. Definitive recurrent laryngeal nerve paralysis and permanent hypoparathyroidism were not reported in hemithyroidectomy patients in which lower mean hospitalization and costs were observed. Considering the low-risk of follicular neoplasm solitary lesions, hemithyroidectomy is still the safest standard of care with lower hospitalization and costs. In case of multiglandular disease or thyroiditis, that might be associated with a higher risk of cancer, total thyroidectomy should be recommended. Further investigation is warranted to achieve a better preoperative follicular neoplasm diagnostic accuracy in order to reduce the amount of unnecessary surgical operations with a diagnostic aim.

721 patients

Lobectomie indiquée : nodule unique; absence de TL; absence de signes cliniques -Rx de malignité (K:16%)

Thyroidectomie totale indiquée: TH multinodulaire; TL; Signes suspects de malignité (K: 31%)

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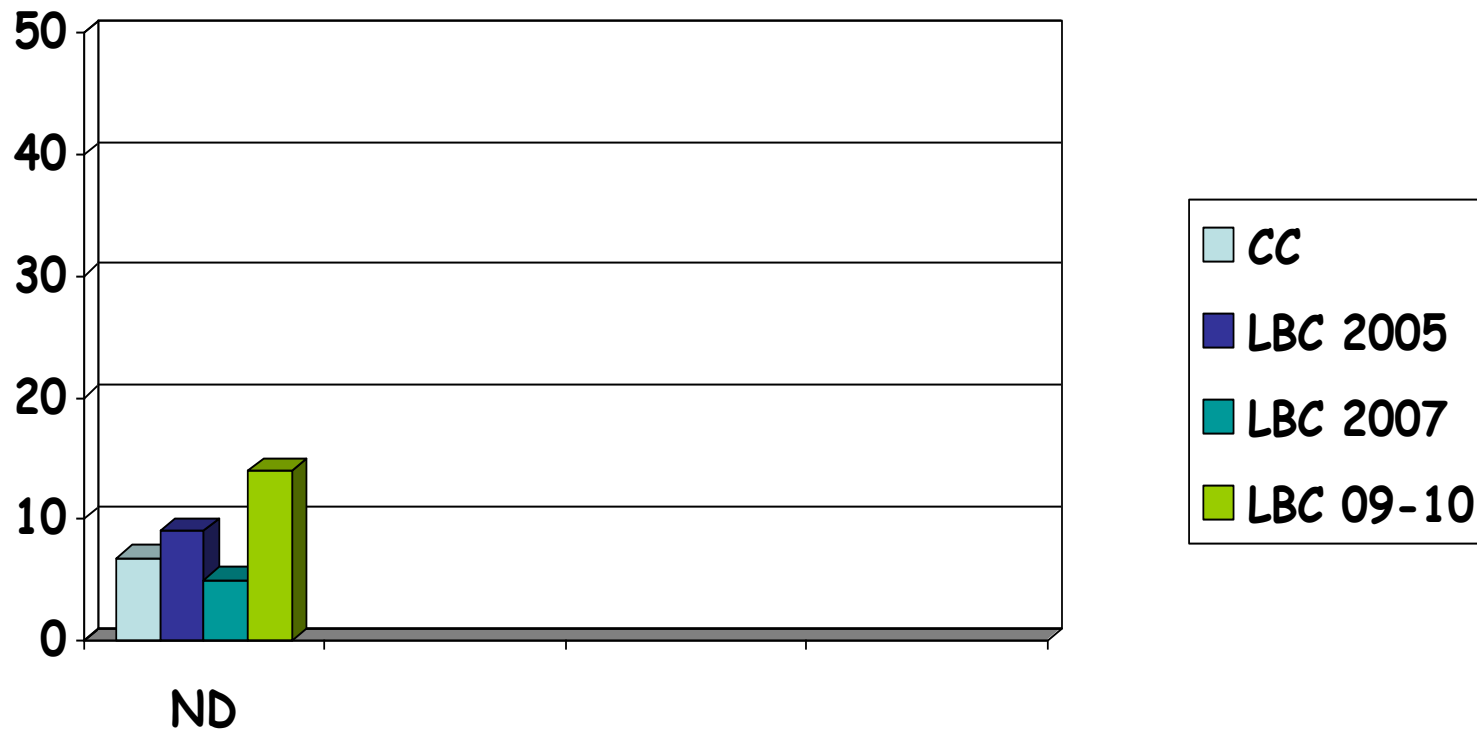
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Résultats antérieurs



Inclusion des cas correspondant aux nodules kystiques (macrophages seuls)
ND « nodules kystiques » : 6.2%

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Re ponction après LFSI

- **86 deuxièmes ponctions (24%)**

| CATEGORIES | RESULTATS (%) |
|--------------|-------------------|
| BENIN | 42 (48.8%) |
| LFSI | 17 (19.8%) |
| NF | 6 (7%) |
| SM | 12 (13.9%) |
| MALIN | 0 (0%) |
| ND | 9 (10.5%) |

LFSI Re-classés : 69.7% Littérature : 62 à 76%

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A clinical algorithm for fine-needle aspiration molecular testing effectively guides the appropriate extent of initial thyroidectomy.

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Abstract

OBJECTIVE: To test whether a clinical algorithm using routine cytological molecular testing (MT) promotes initial total thyroidectomy (TT) for clinically significant thyroid cancer (sTC) and/or correctly limits surgery to lobectomy when appropriate.

BACKGROUND: Either TT or lobectomy is often needed to diagnose differentiated thyroid cancer. Determining the correct extent of initial thyroidectomy is challenging.

METHODS: After implementing an algorithm for prospective MT of in-house fine-needle aspiration biopsy specimens, we conducted a single-institution cohort study of all patients (N = 671) with nonmalignant cytology who had thyroidectomy between October 2010 and March 2012, cytological diagnosis using 2008 Bethesda criteria, and 1 or more indications for thyroidectomy by 2009 American Thyroid Association guidelines. sTC was defined by histological differentiated thyroid cancer of 1 cm or more and/or lymph node metastasis. Cohort 2 patients did not have MT or had unevaluable results. In cohort 1, MT for a multigene mutation panel was performed for nonbenign cytology, and positive MT results indicated initial TT.

RESULTS: MT guidance was associated with a higher incidence of sTC after TT (P = 0.006) and a lower rate of sTC after lobectomy (P = 0.03). Without MT results, patients with indeterminate (follicular lesion of undetermined significance/follicular or oncocytic neoplasm) cytology who received initial lobectomy were 2.5 times more likely to require 2-stage surgery for histological sTC (P < 0.001). In the 501 patients with non-sTC for whom lobectomy was the appropriate extent of surgery, lobectomy was correctly performed more often with routine preoperative MT (P = 0.001).

CONCLUSIONS: Fine-needle aspiration biopsy MT for BRAF, RAS, PAX8-PPAR γ , and RET-PTC expedites optimal initial surgery for differentiated thyroid cancer, facilitating succinct definitive management for patients with thyroid nodules.

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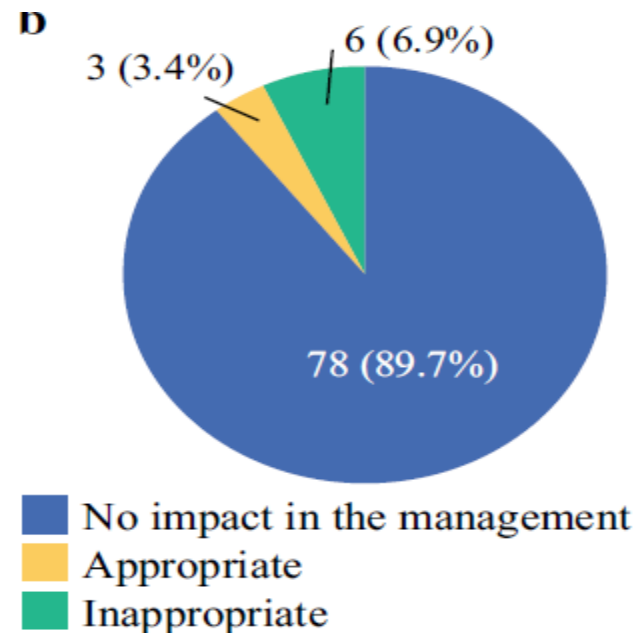


TABLE 2 Cases with change in the surgical management based on molecular test

| FNA diagnosis | Nodule size (cm) | History, signs and symptoms | Management based on algorithm | Molecular test | Actual surgery performed | Final path report | Change in the surgical management |
|----------------|------------------|--|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 PTC | 1.3 | MNG | TT+CLND | <i>BRAF</i> negative | TT | FVPTC | Undertreatment |
| 2 SFM | 2.1 | Hypothyroidism | TT | GEC positive | TT+CLND | ADN | Overtreatment |
| 3 SFM | 1.8 | MNG | TT | <i>BRAF</i> positive | TT+CLND | PTC | Appropriate |
| 4 AUS | 1 | Hypothyroidism FHx of thyroid cancer | TT | GEC positive | TT+CLND | FA | Overtreatment |
| 5 AUS | 2.1 | Uninodular | HT | GEC positive | TT | ADN, and LcT | Overtreatment |
| 6 AUS | 3.9 | Compressive symptoms FHx of thyroid cancer | TT | GEC positive | TT+CLND | FVPTC | Appropriate |
| 7 Benign | 1.8 | MNG and hypothyroidism | Repeat FNA | GEC positive | TT+CLND | FVPTC | Appropriate |
| 8 Benign | 1.8 | MNG | Repeat FNA | GEC positive | TT | MNH | Overtreatment |
| 9 Insufficient | 2.4 | MNG | Repeat FNA | GEC positive | TT+CLND | FA, and MNH | Overtreatment |

FNA fine needle aspiration, *PTC* papillary thyroid cancer, *AUS* atypia of undetermined significance, *SFM* suspicious for malignancy, *MNG* multinodular goiter, *FHx* family history, *TT* total thyroidectomy, *CLND* central lymph node dissection, *HT* hemithyroidectomy, *FVPTC* follicular variant of PTC, *FA* follicular adenoma, *ADN* adenomatoid nodule, *MNH* multinodular hyperplasia, *LcT* lymphocytic thyroiditis

Conclusion

- **Compréhension du BSRTC**
- **Enseignement**
- **Publications**
- **Faire évoluer**

