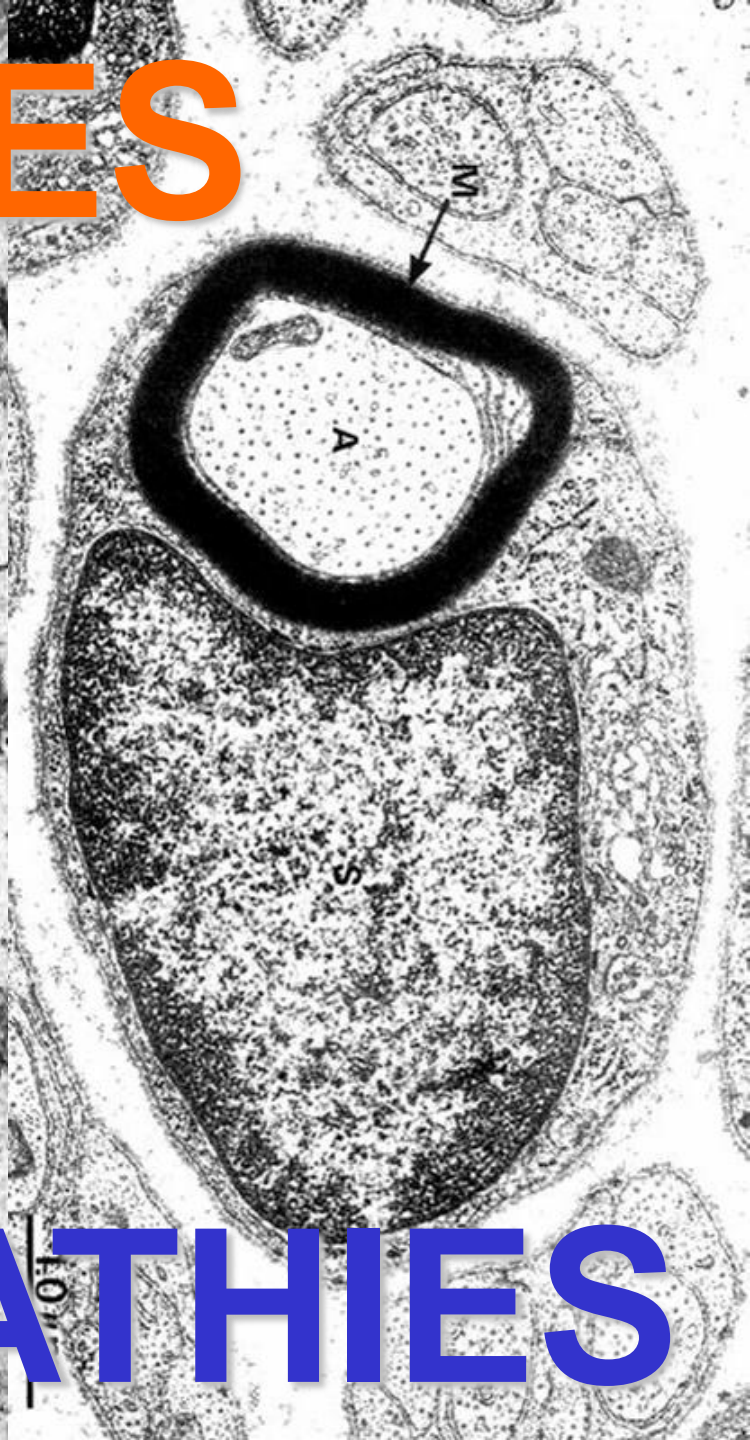


MYOPATHIES



NEUROPATHIES

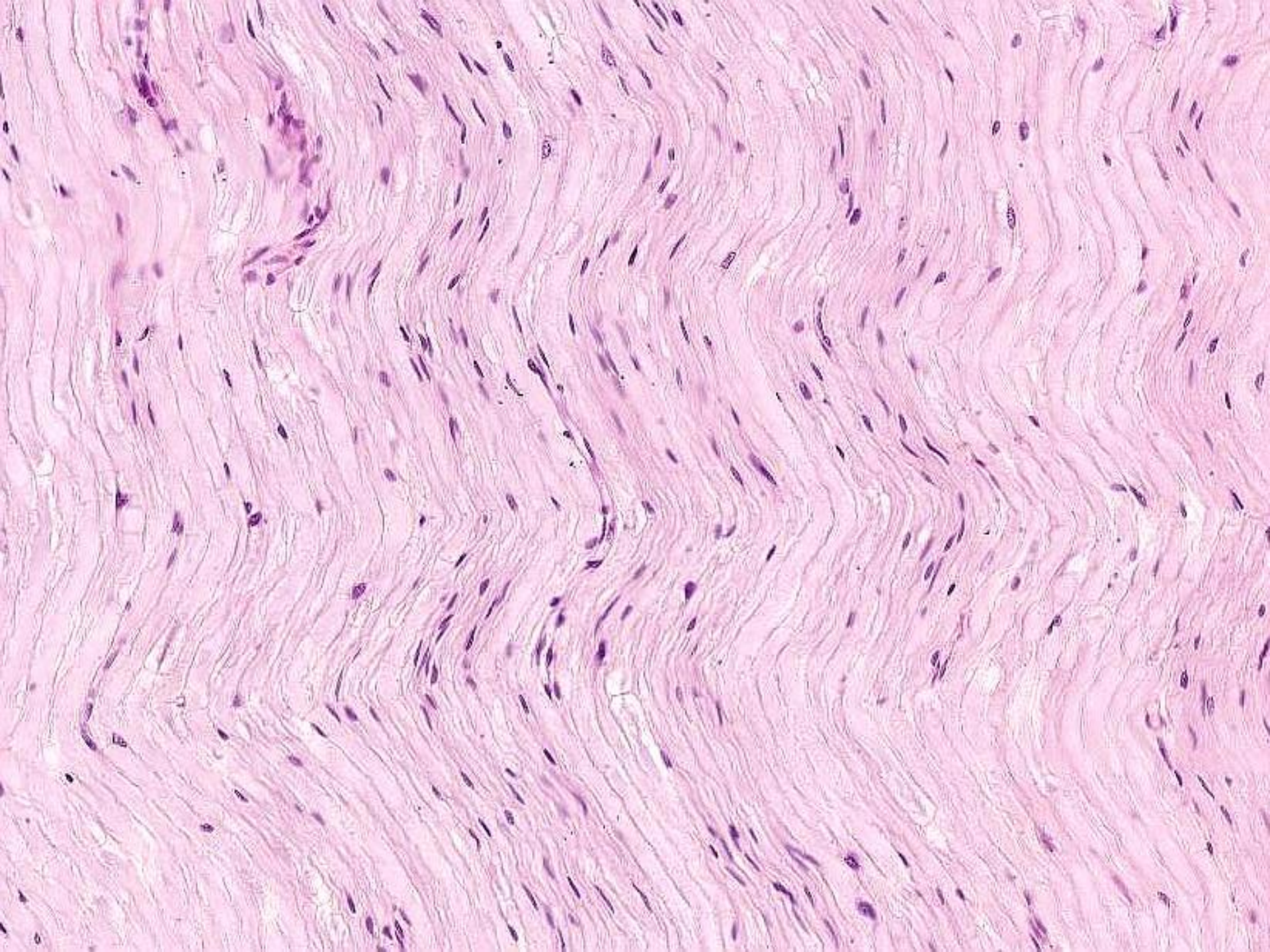
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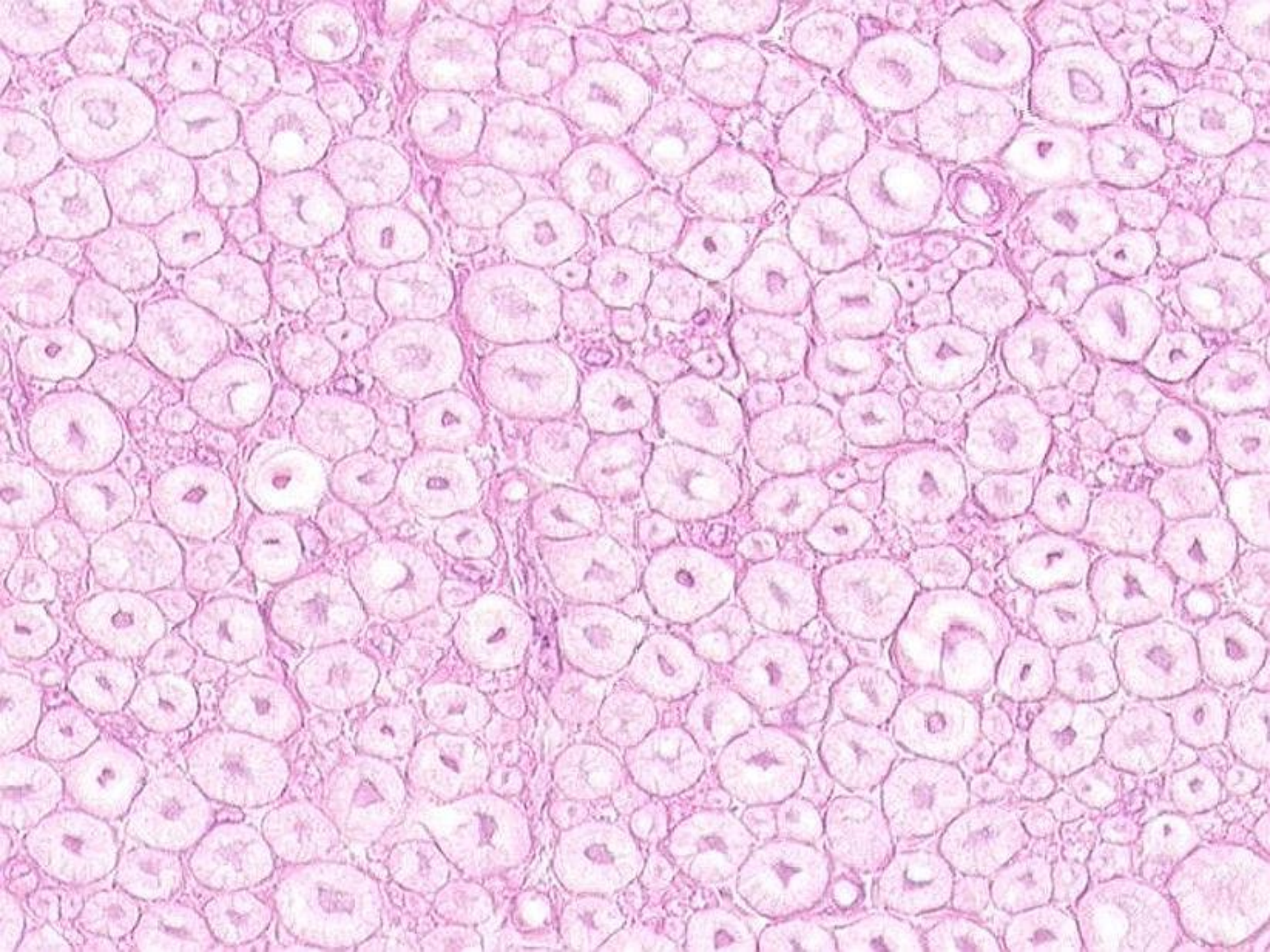
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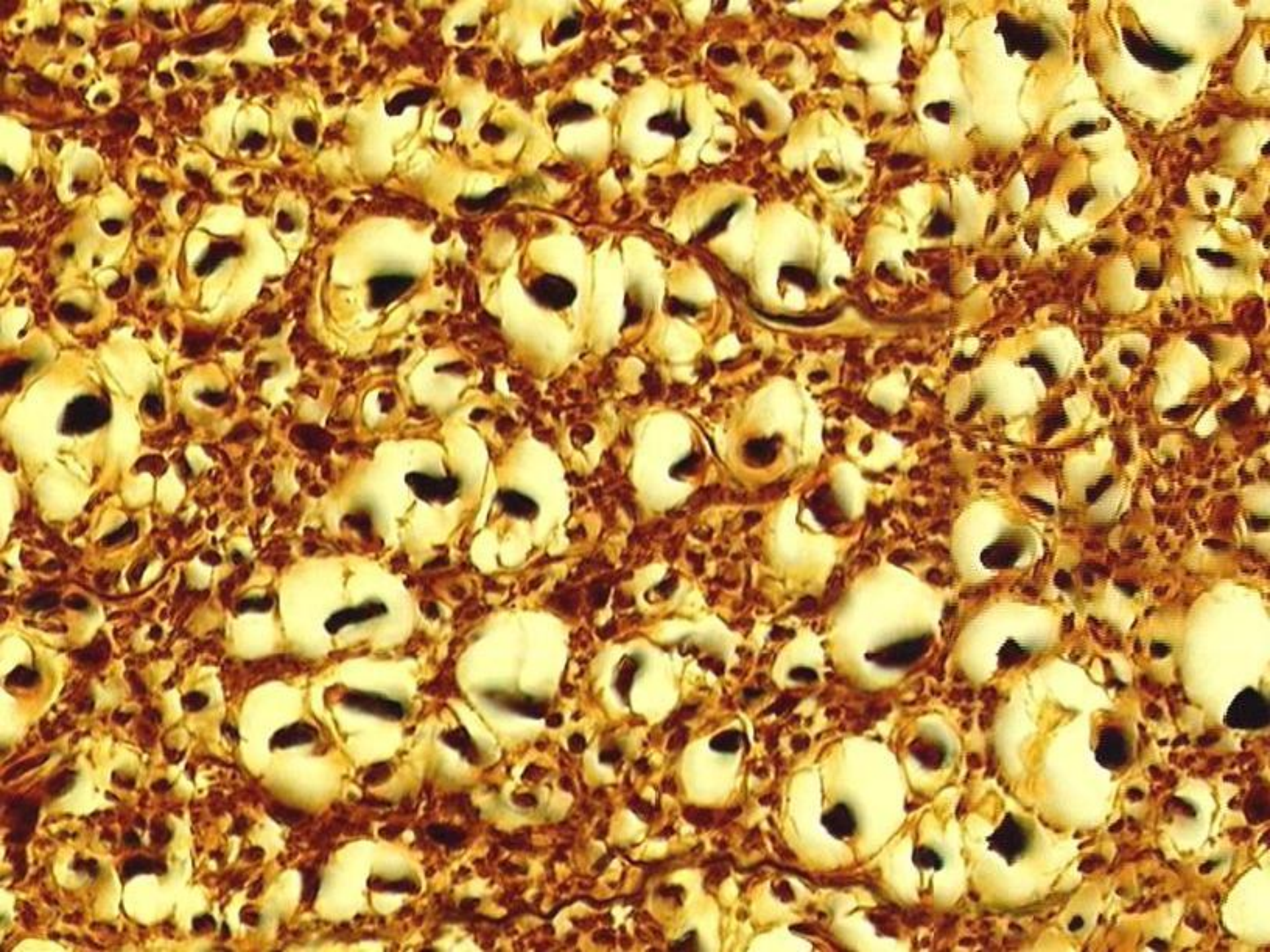
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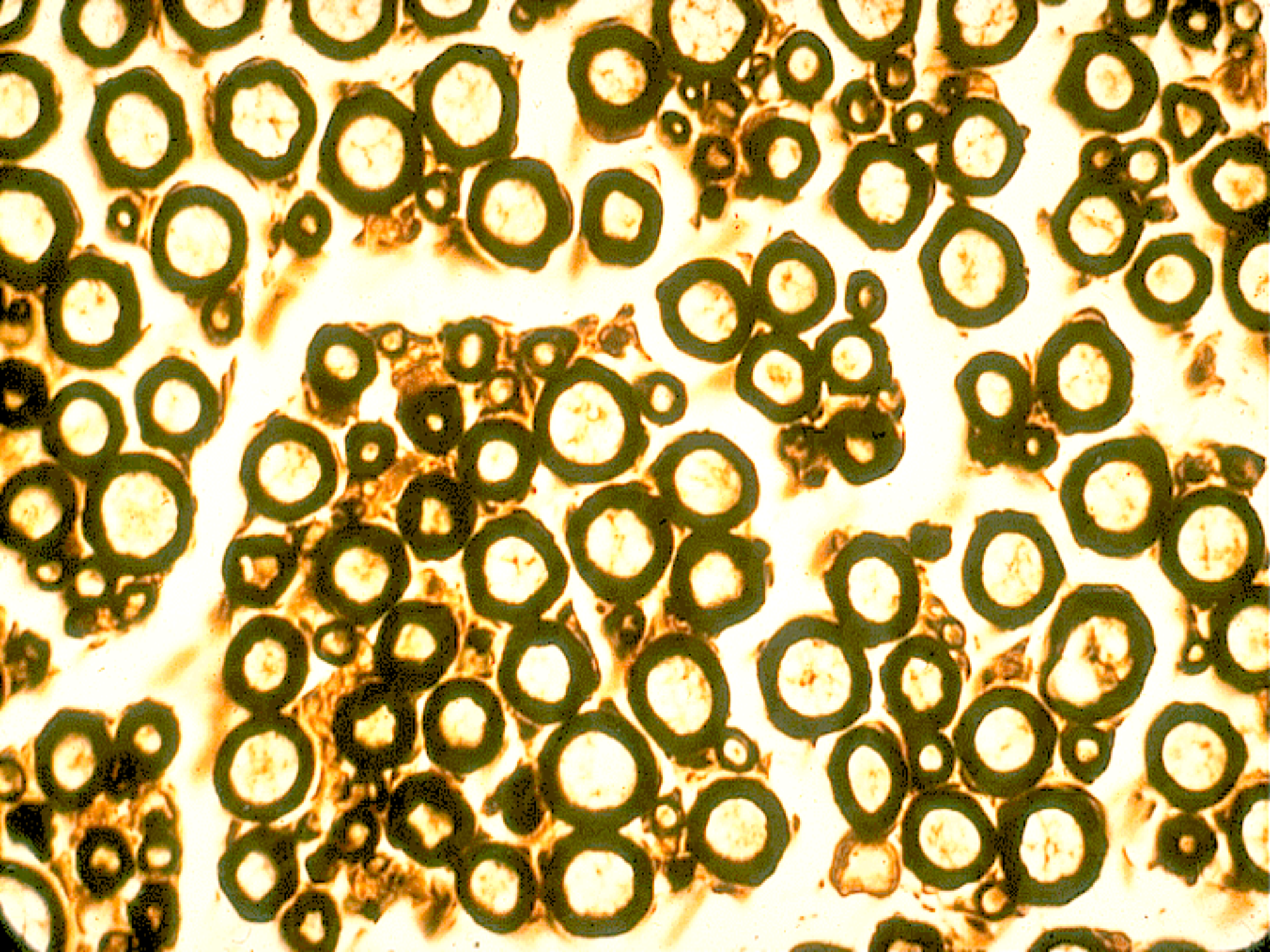
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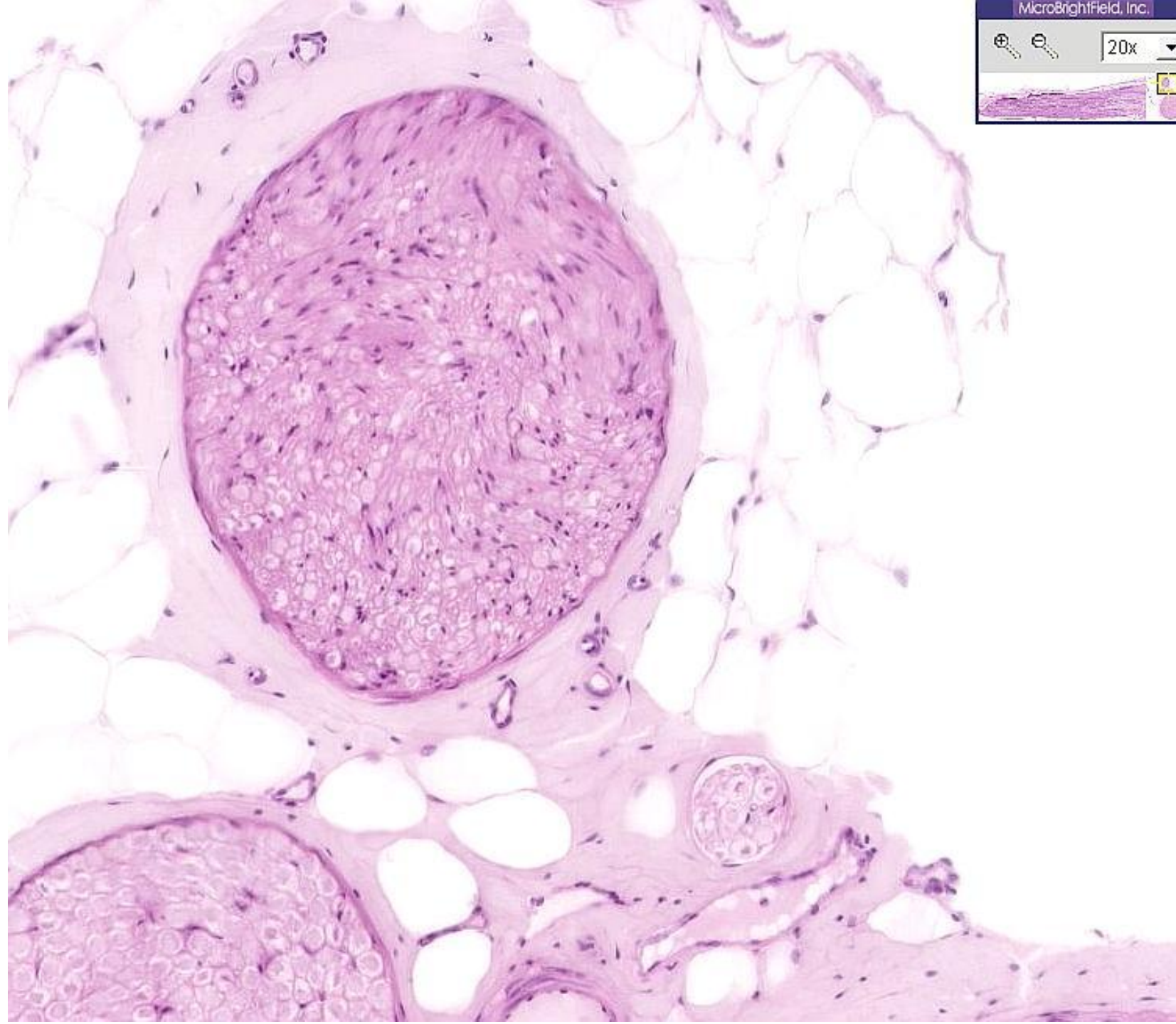
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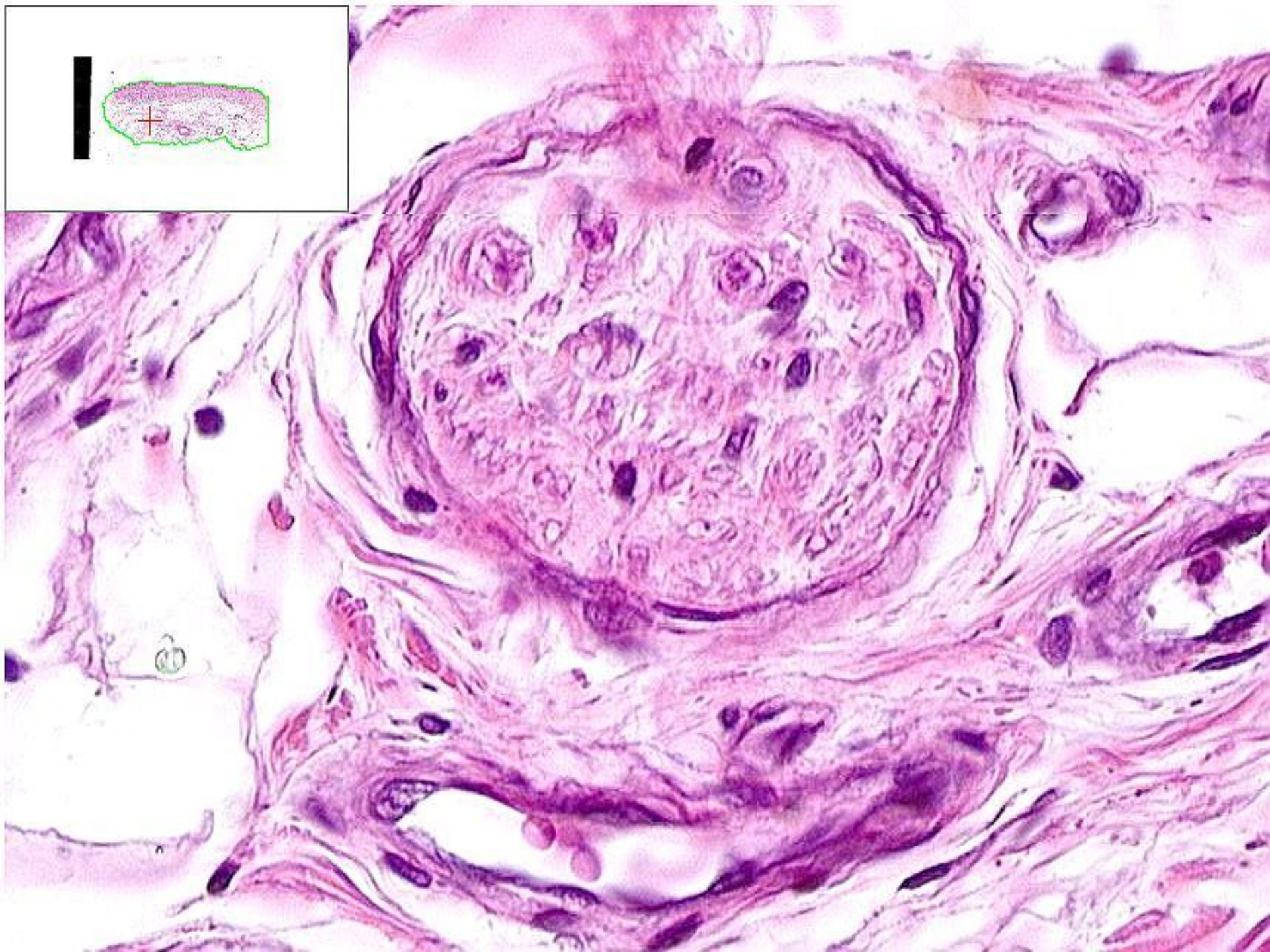


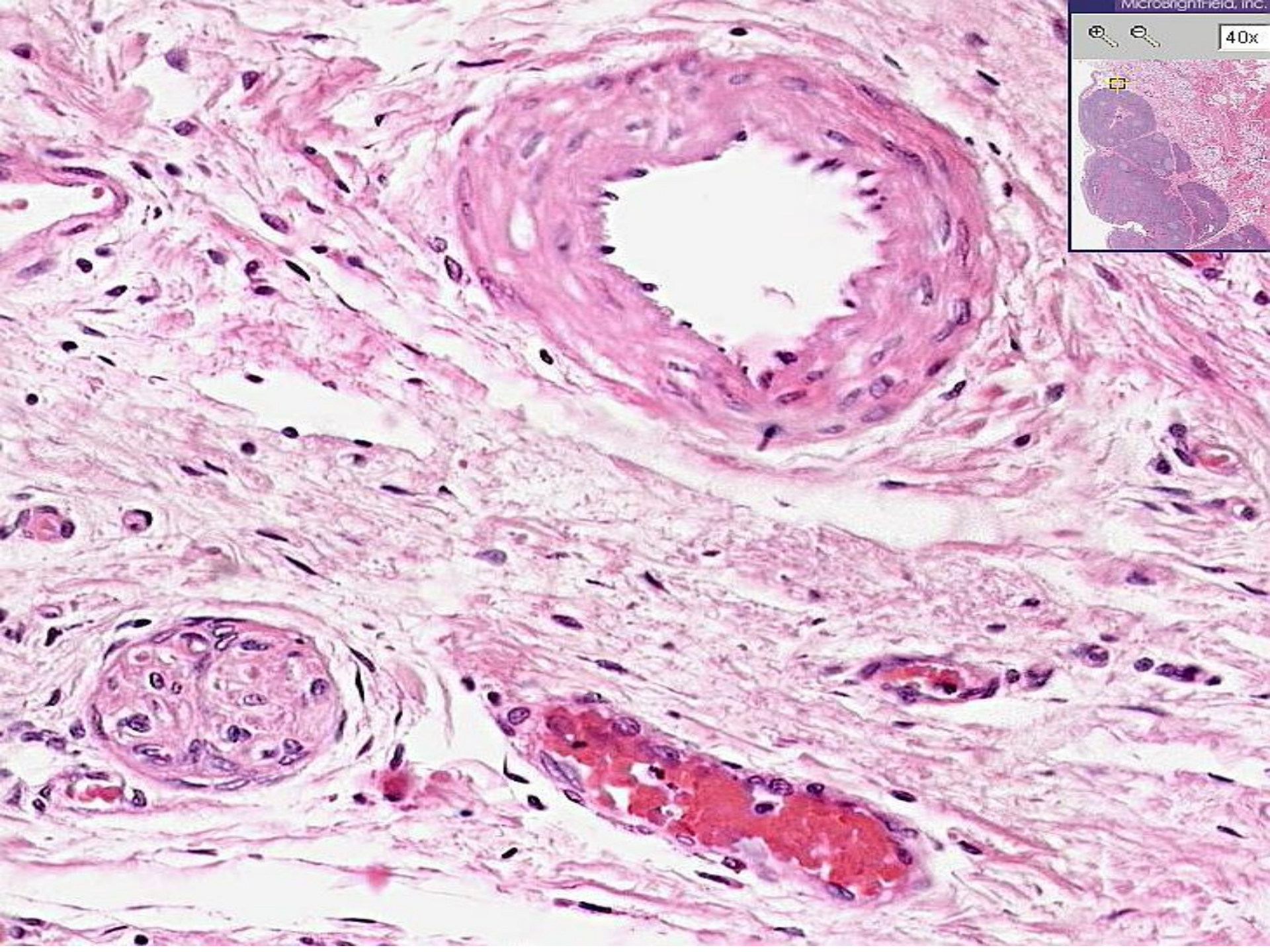


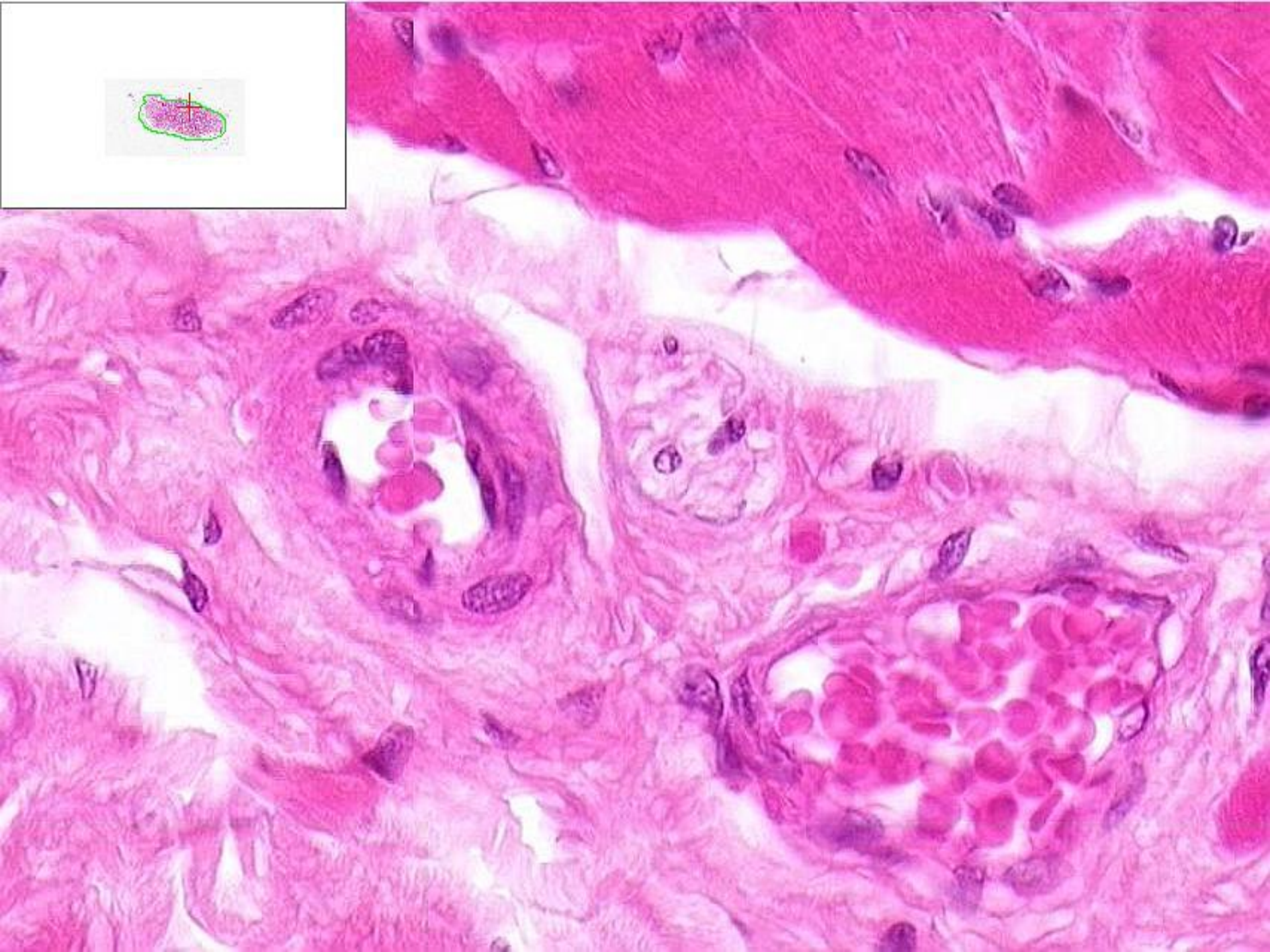


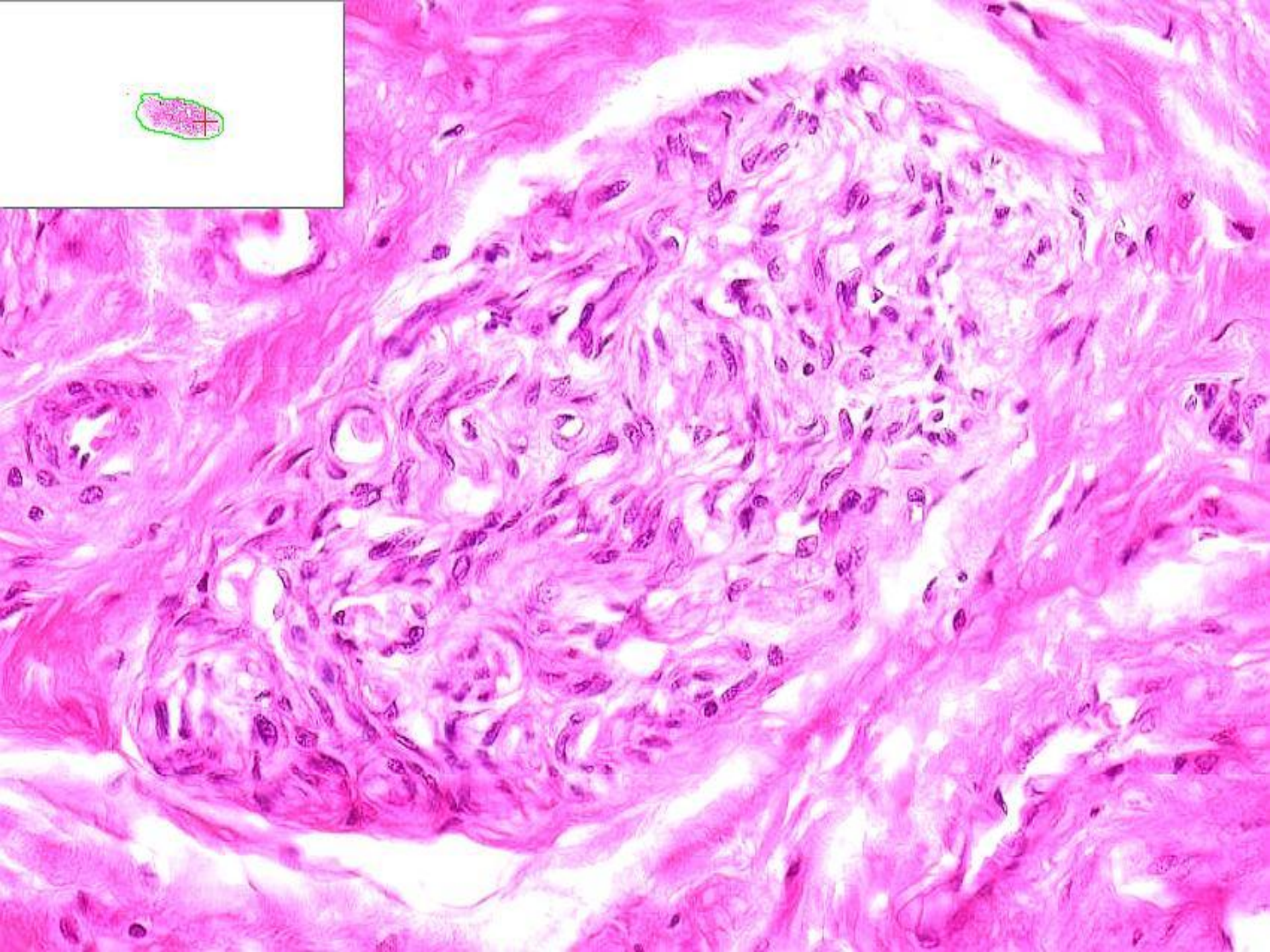


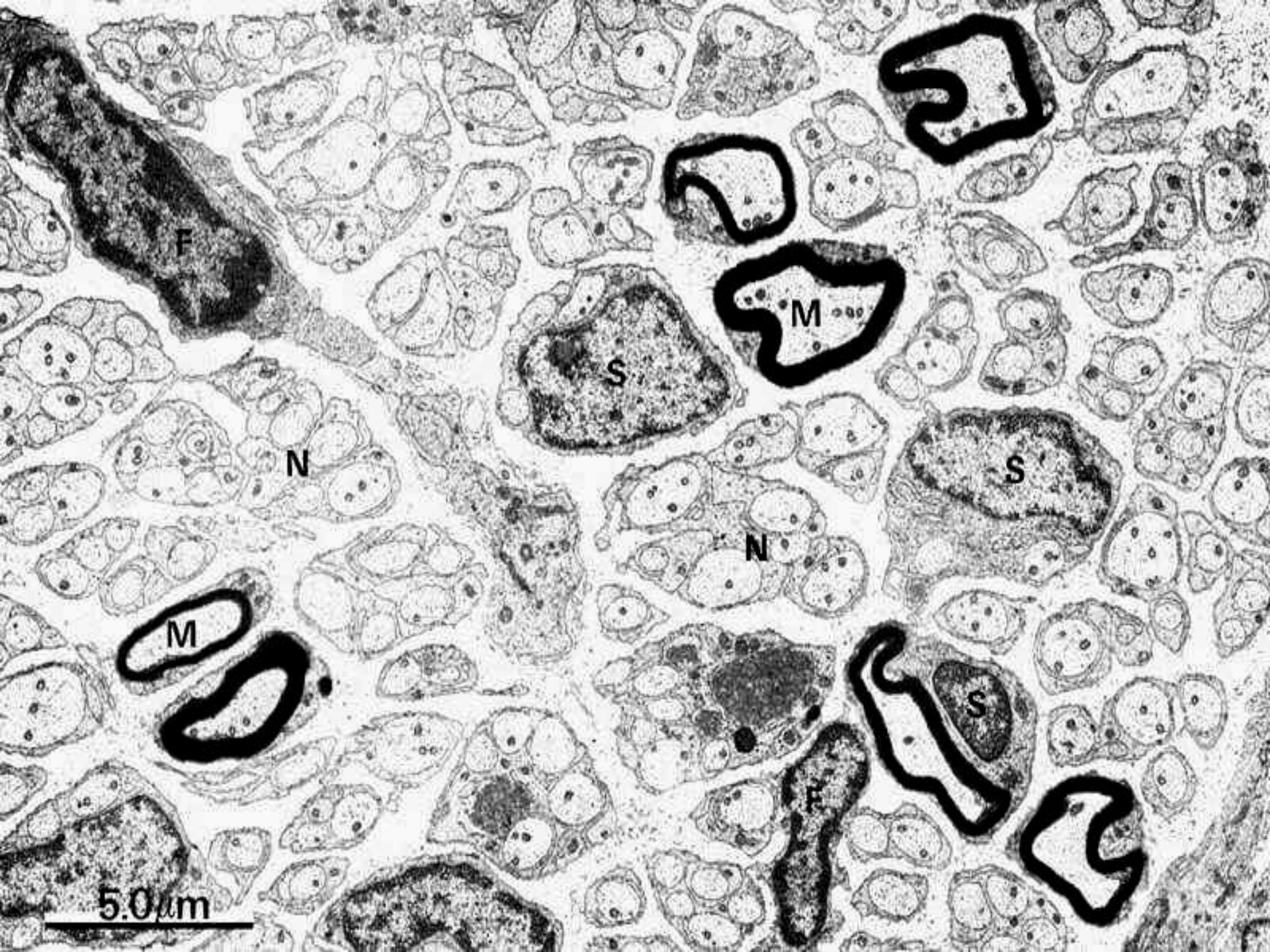












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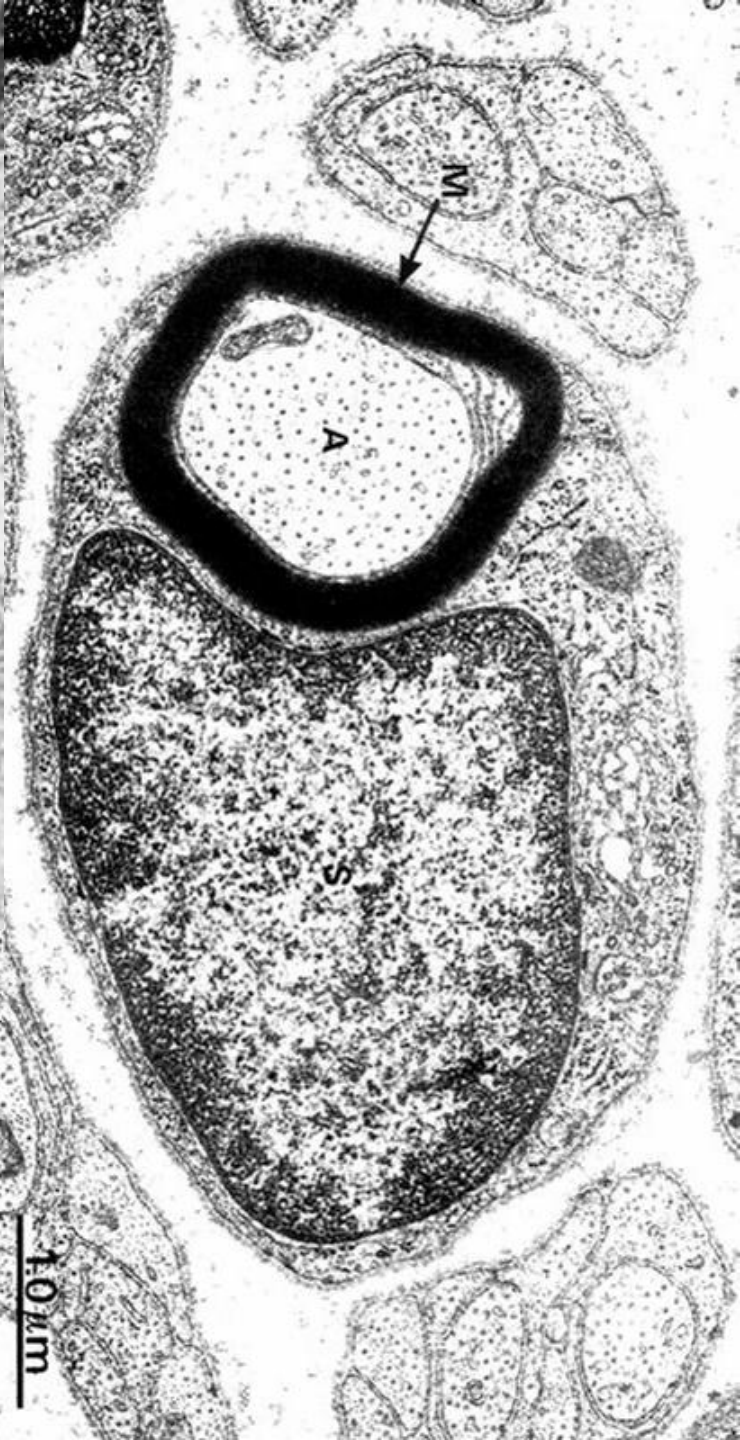
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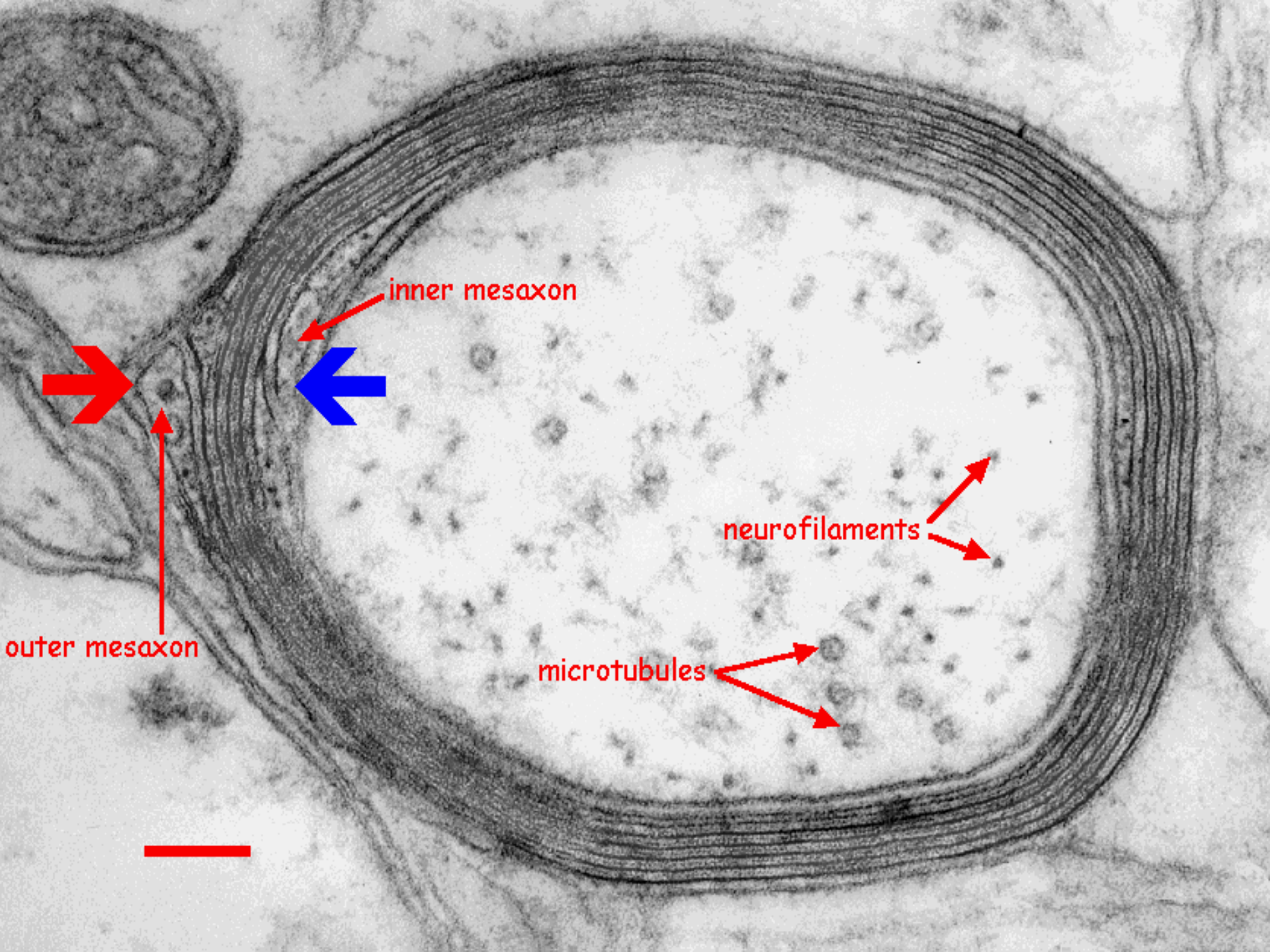
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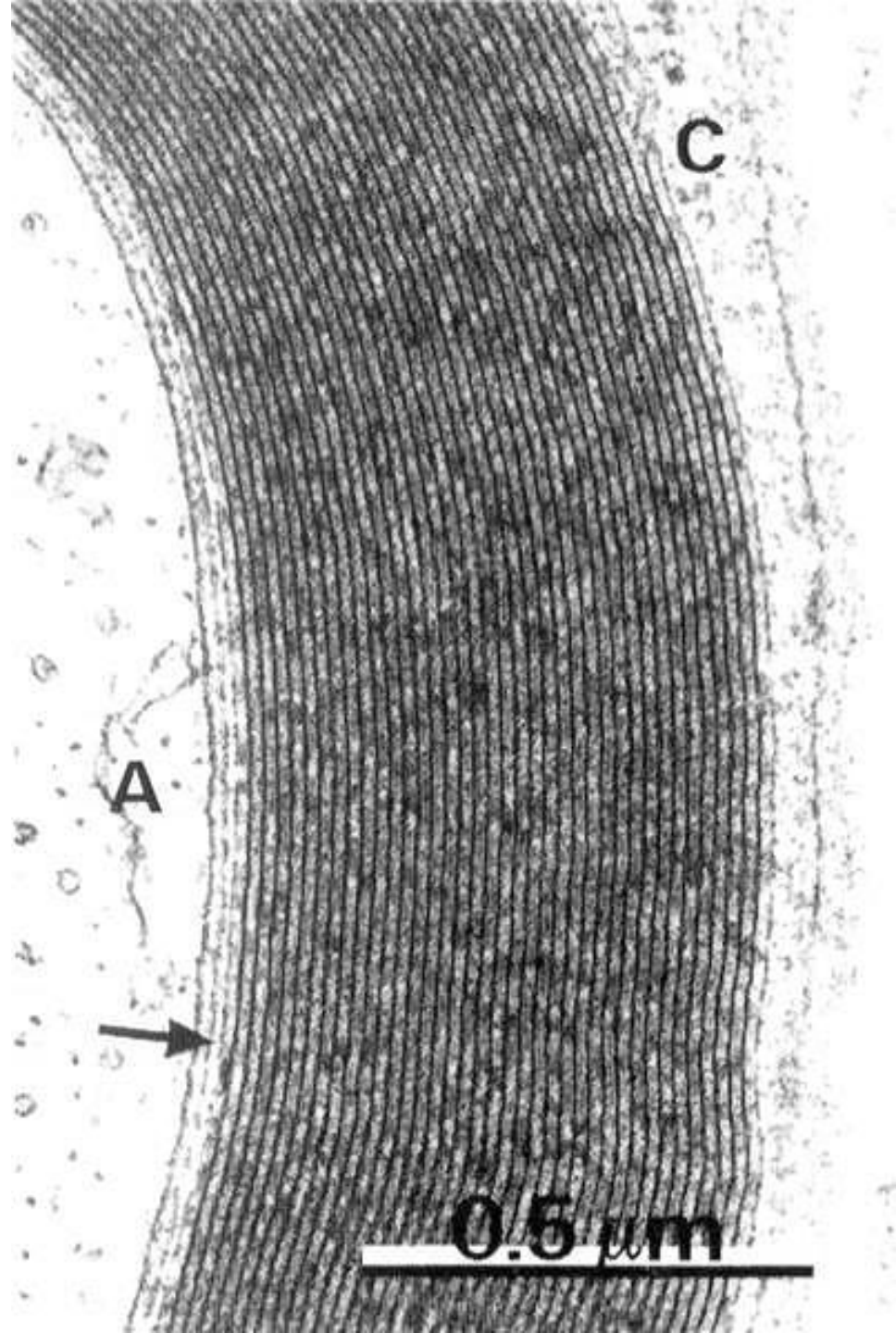
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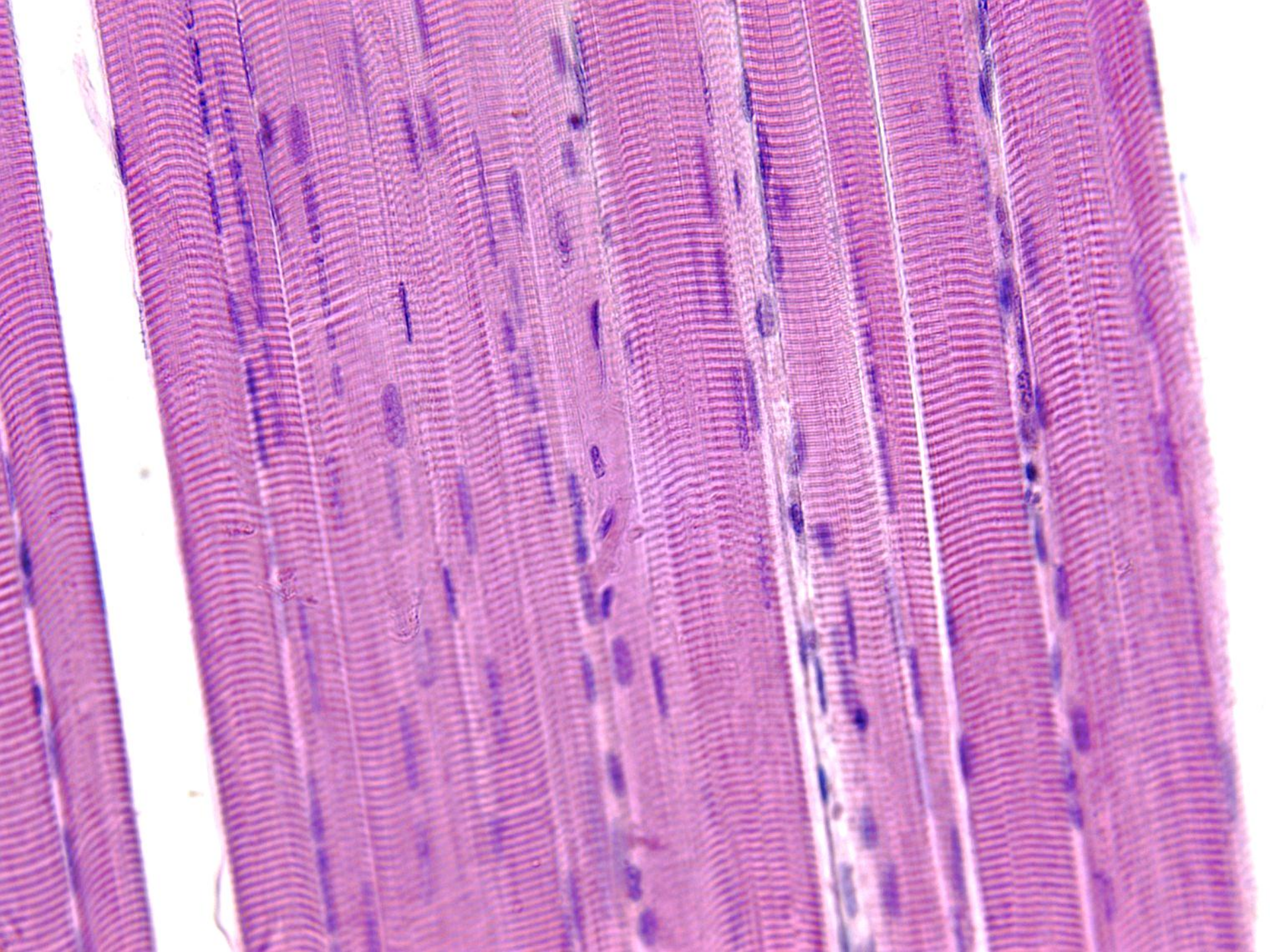
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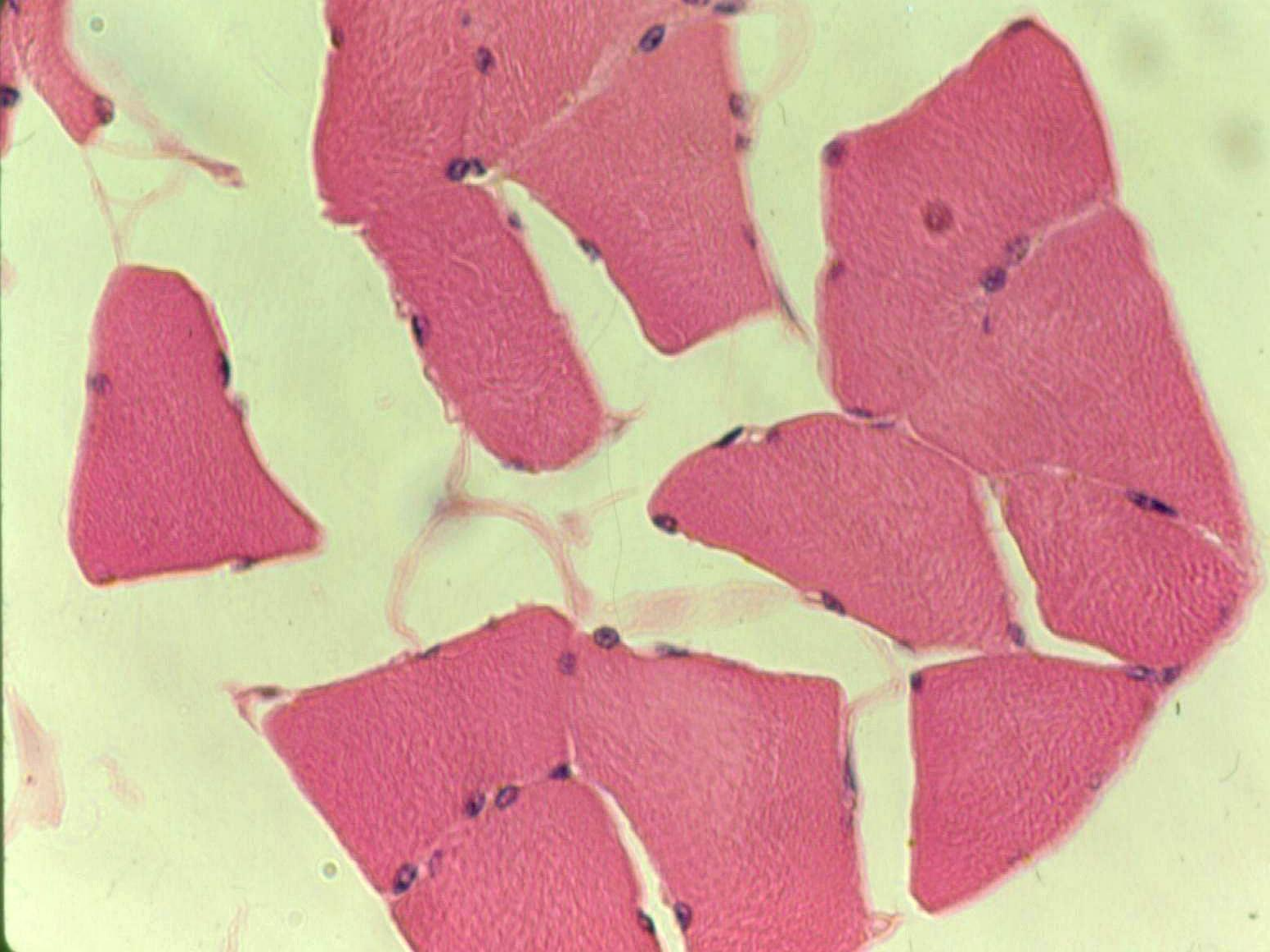
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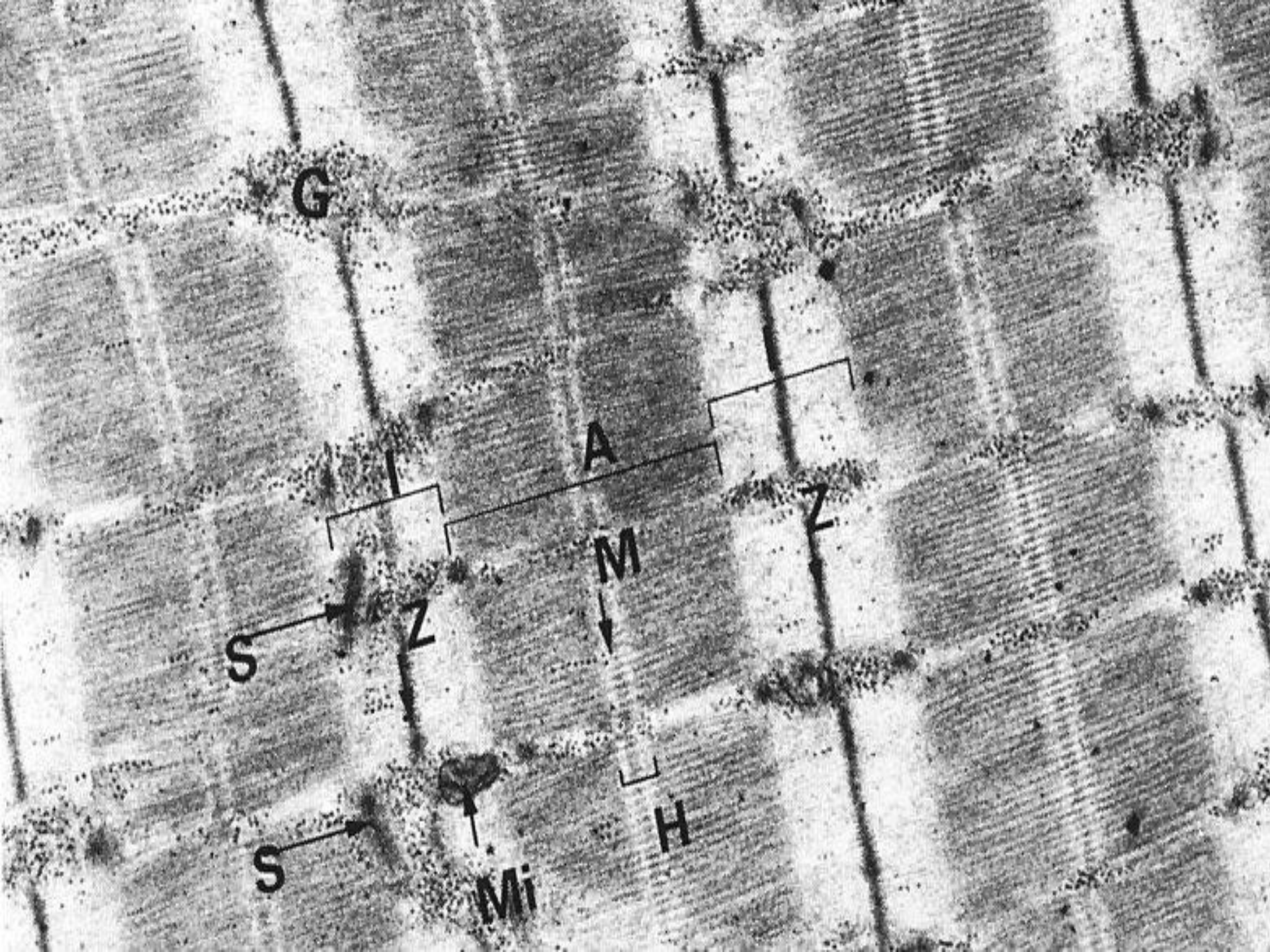
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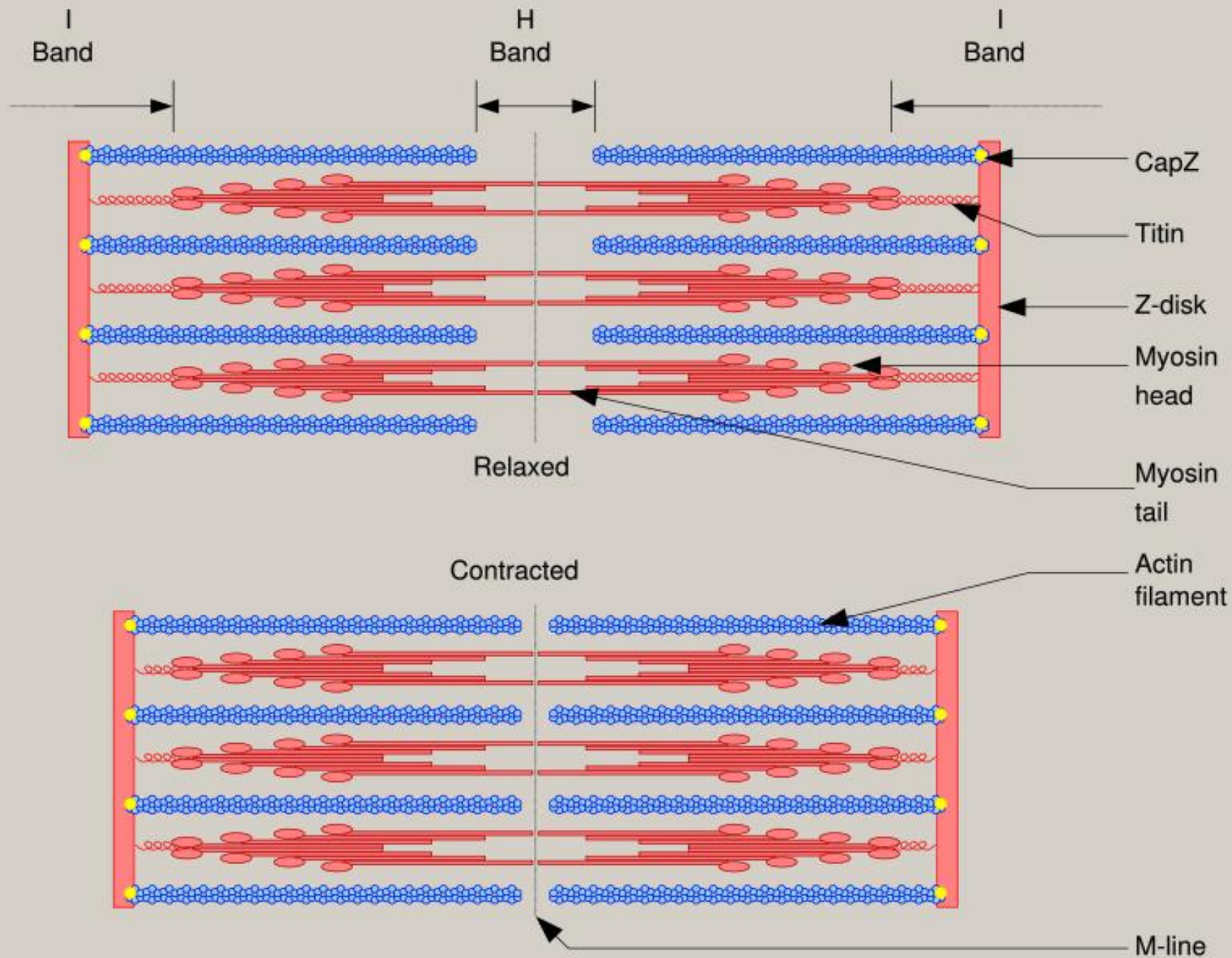
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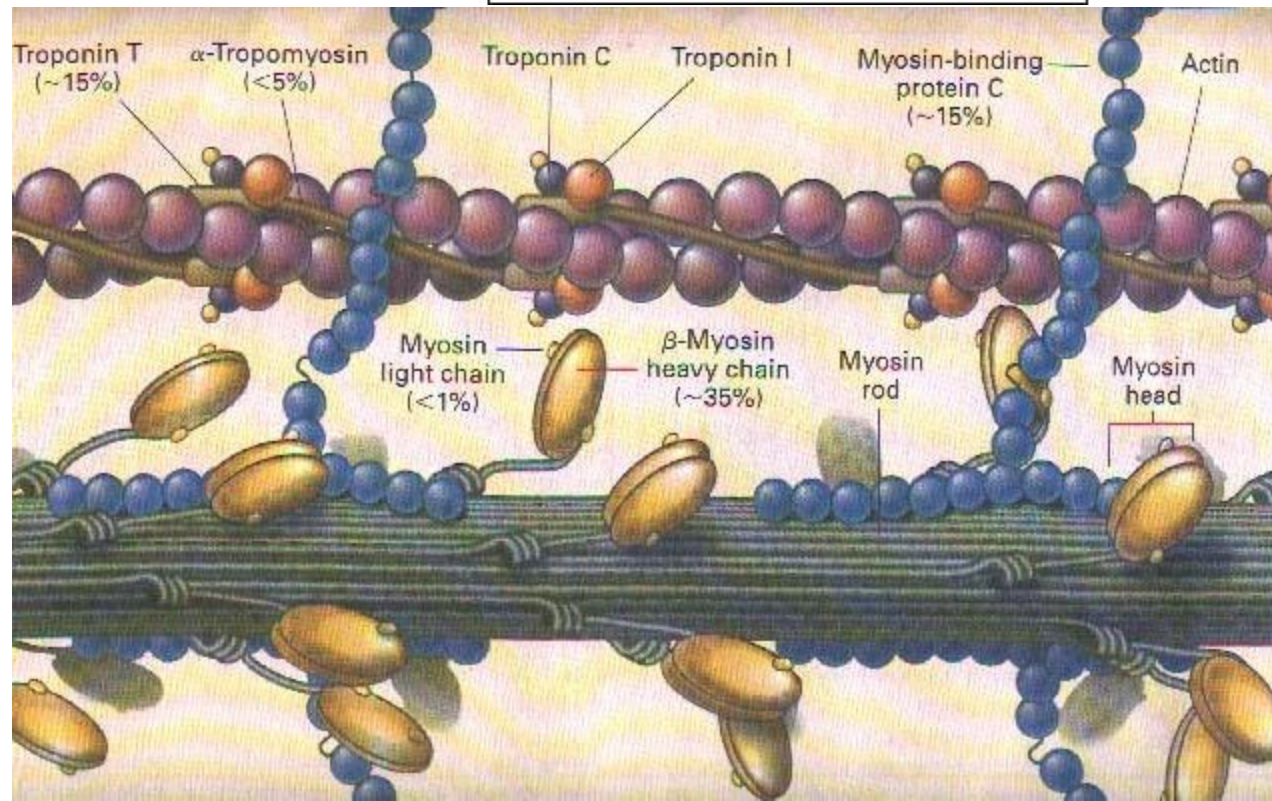
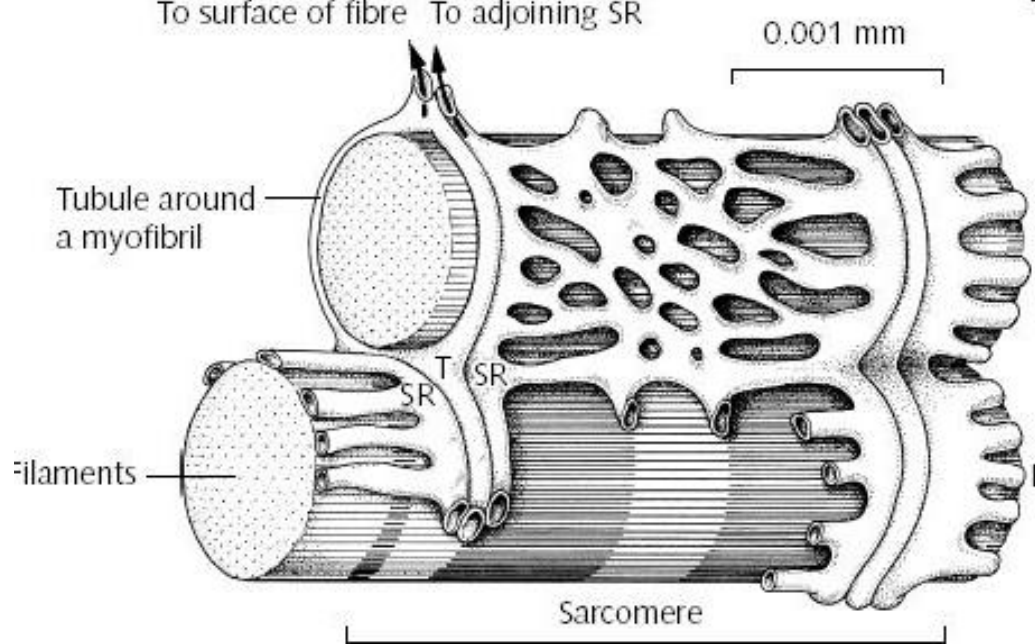
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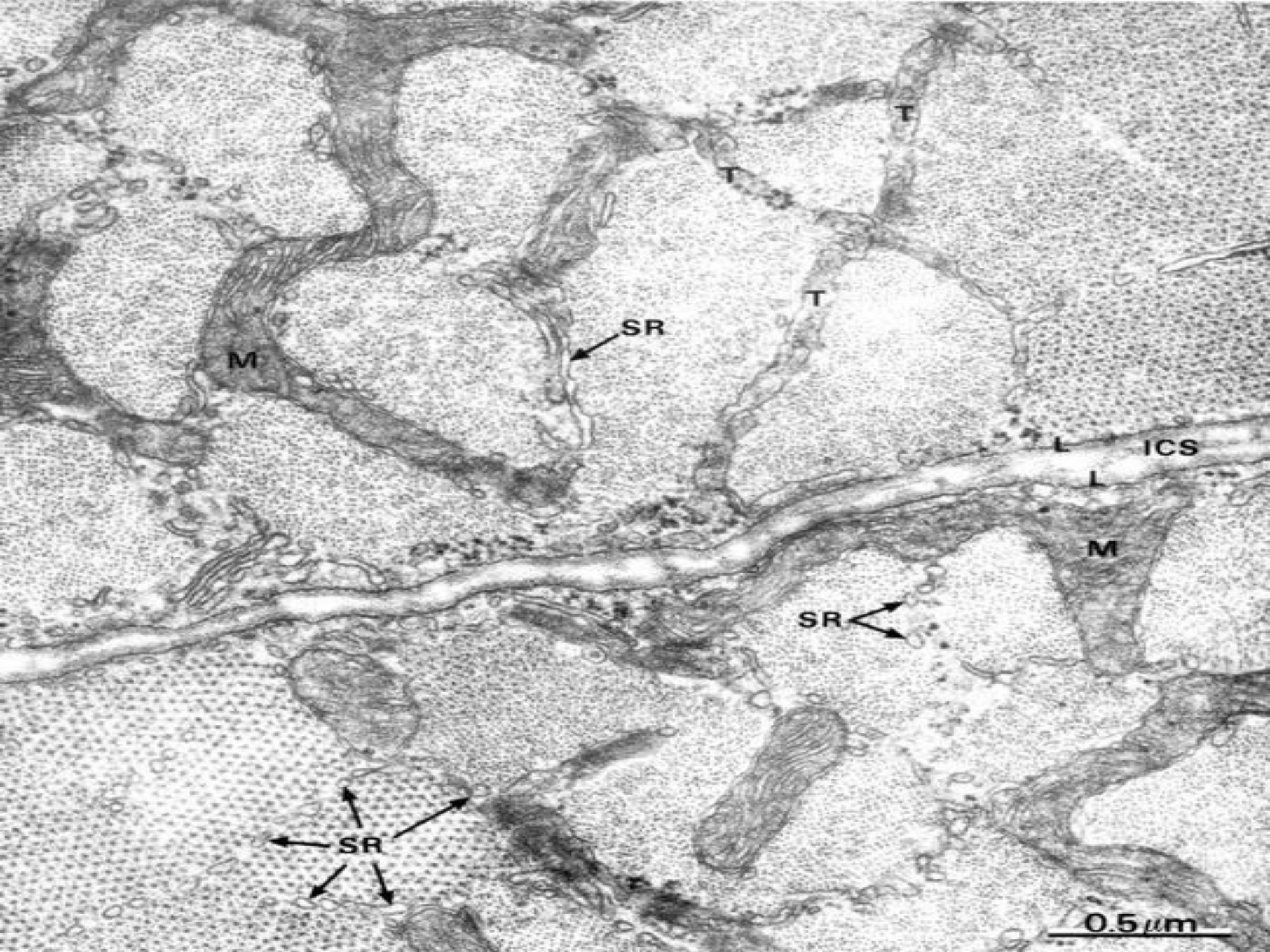
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GENERAL Reactions

- **NERVE**

- **DEMYELINATION**
(segmental)
- **AXONAL**
DEGENERATION
- **NERVE**
REGENERATION
- **REINNERVATION**

- **MUSCLE FIBER**

- **NECROSIS**
- **VACUOLIZATION**
- **REGENERATION**
- **ATROPHY**
- **HYPERTROPHY**

Normal motor units

Segmental demyelination

Axonal degeneration

Reinnervation

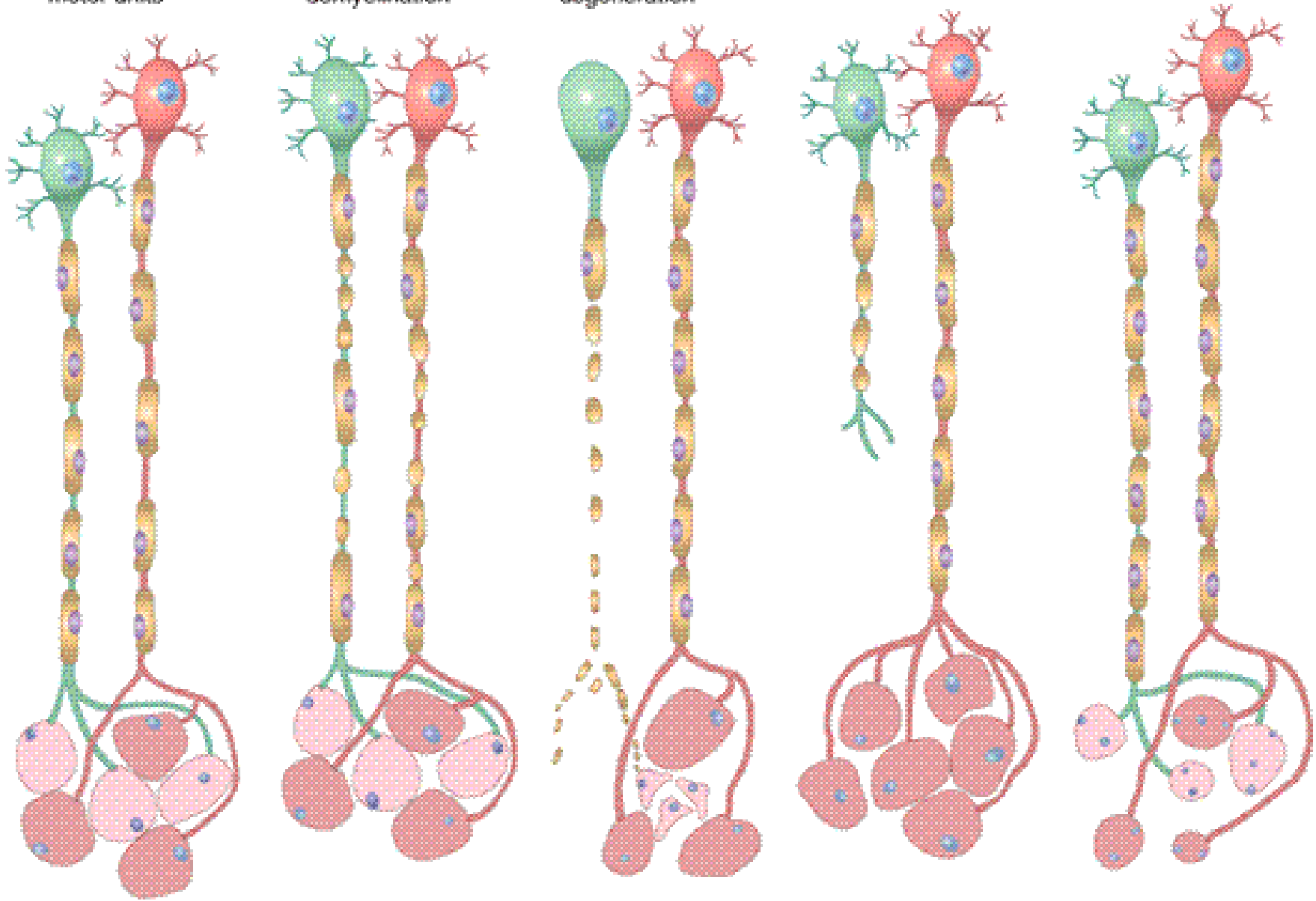
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Neurons

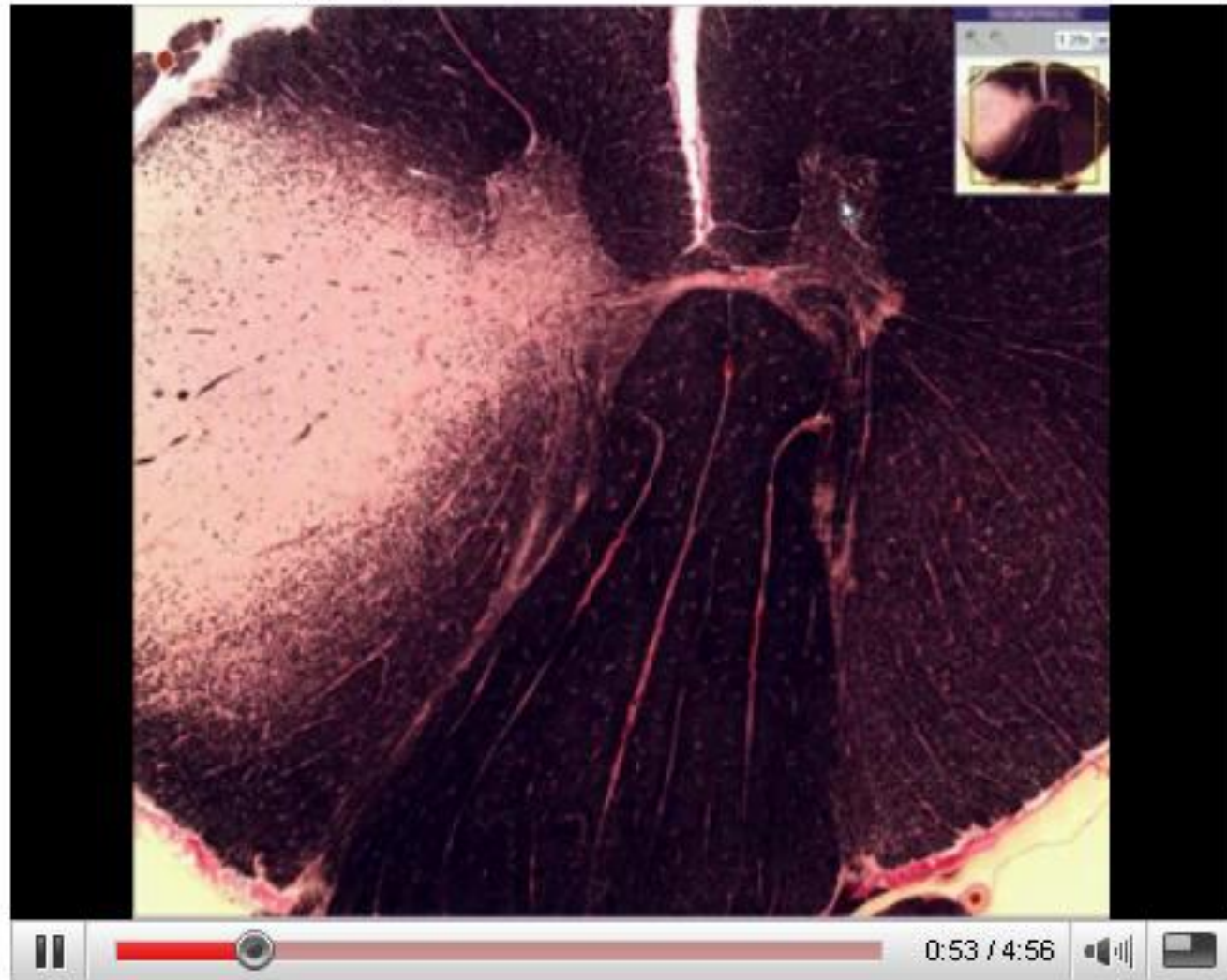
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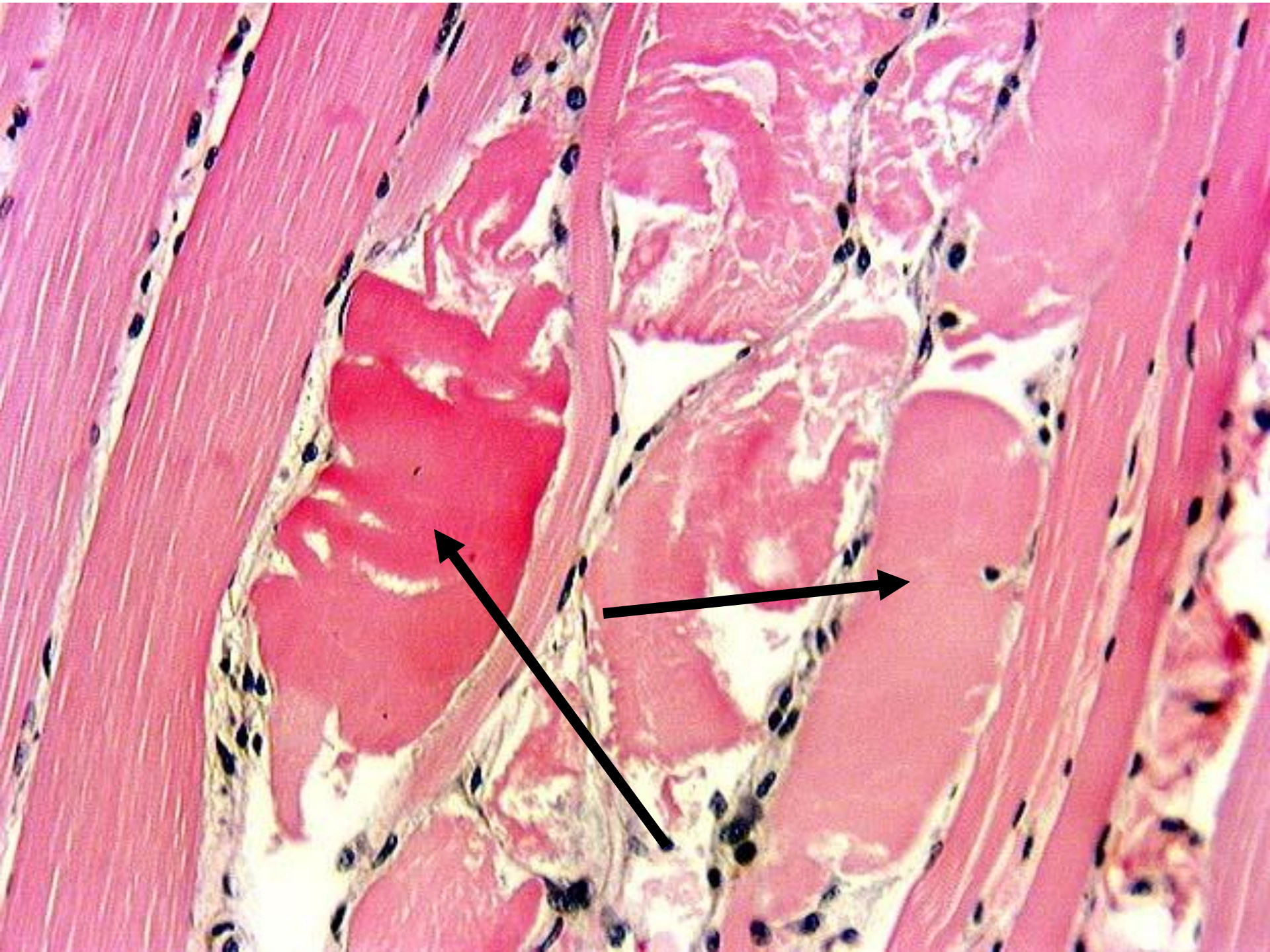
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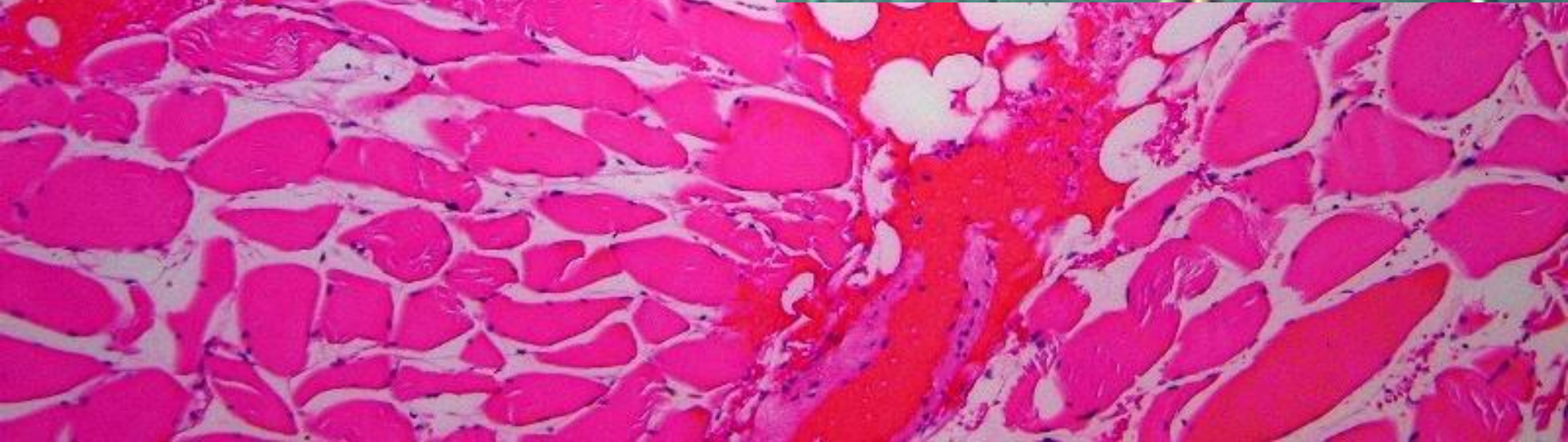
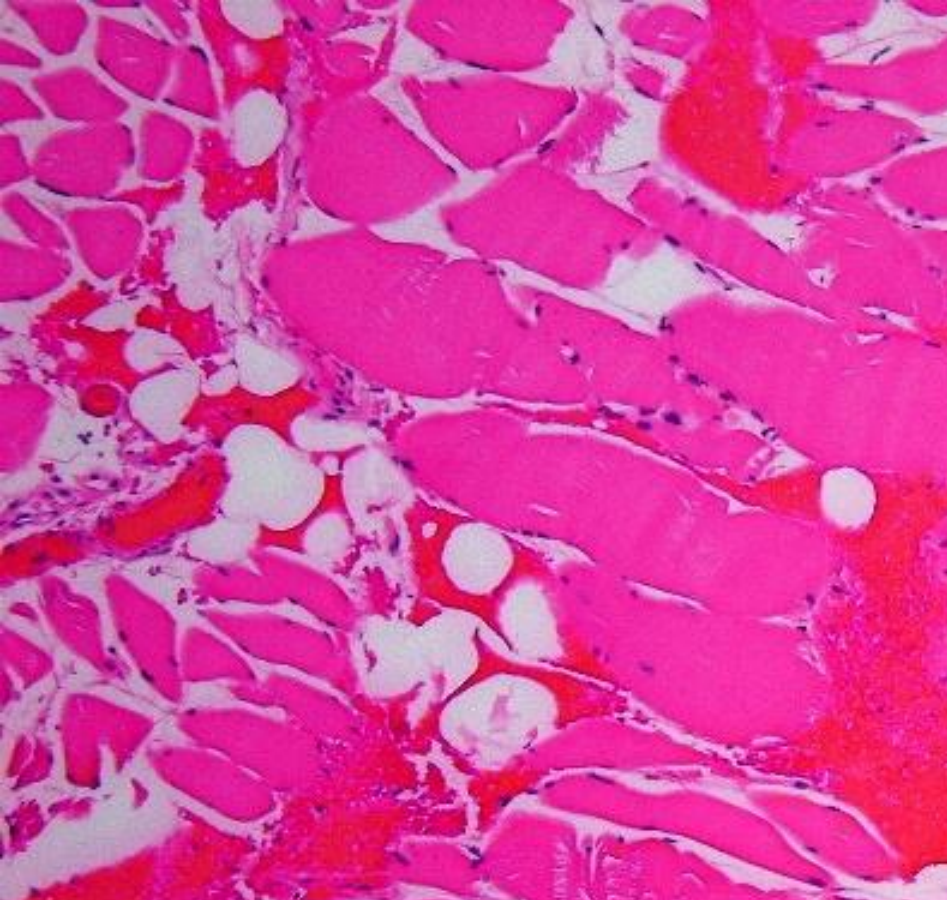
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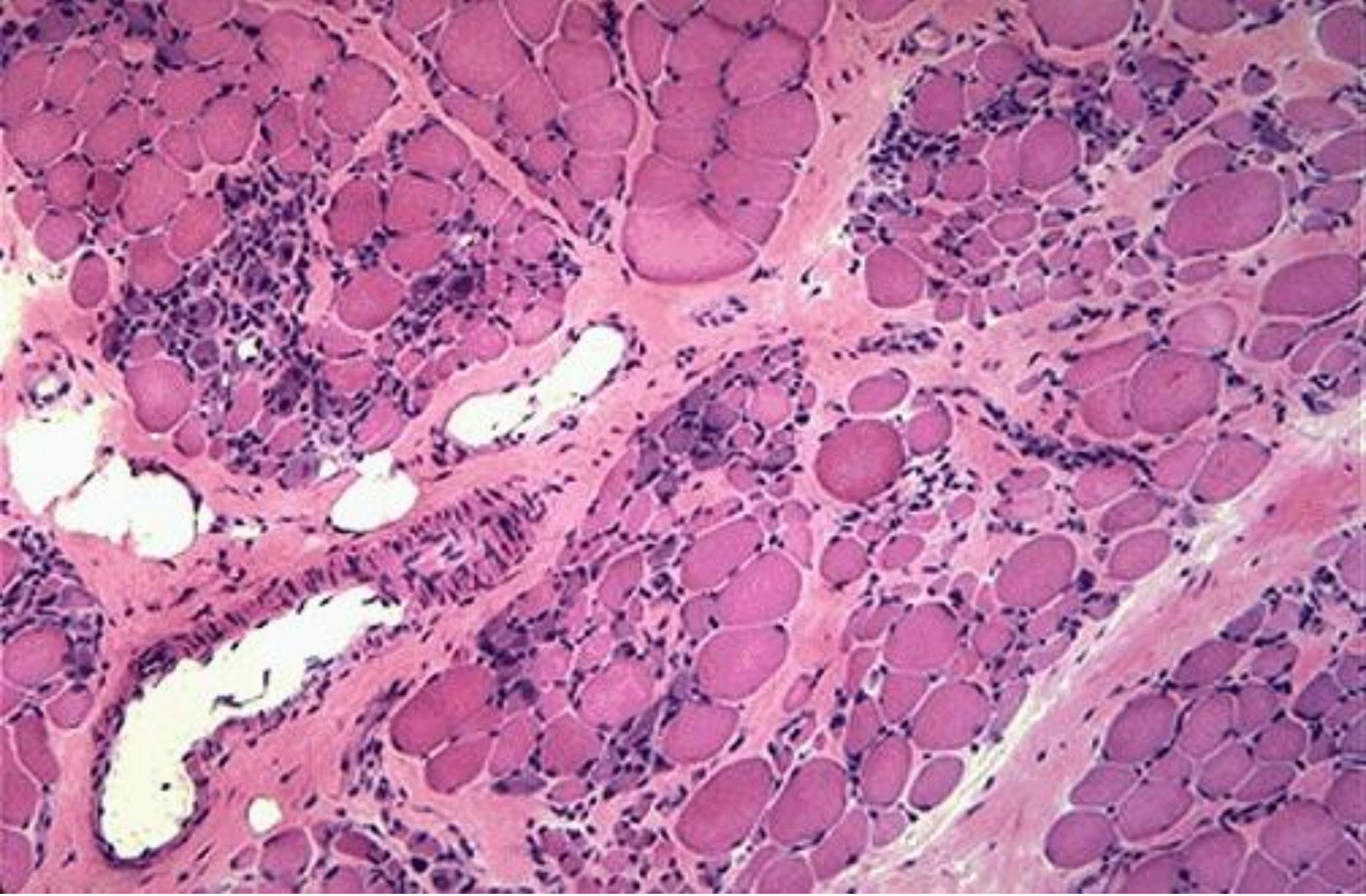


Histopathology Spinal cord--Multiple sclerosis









HYPERTROPHY, ATROPHY

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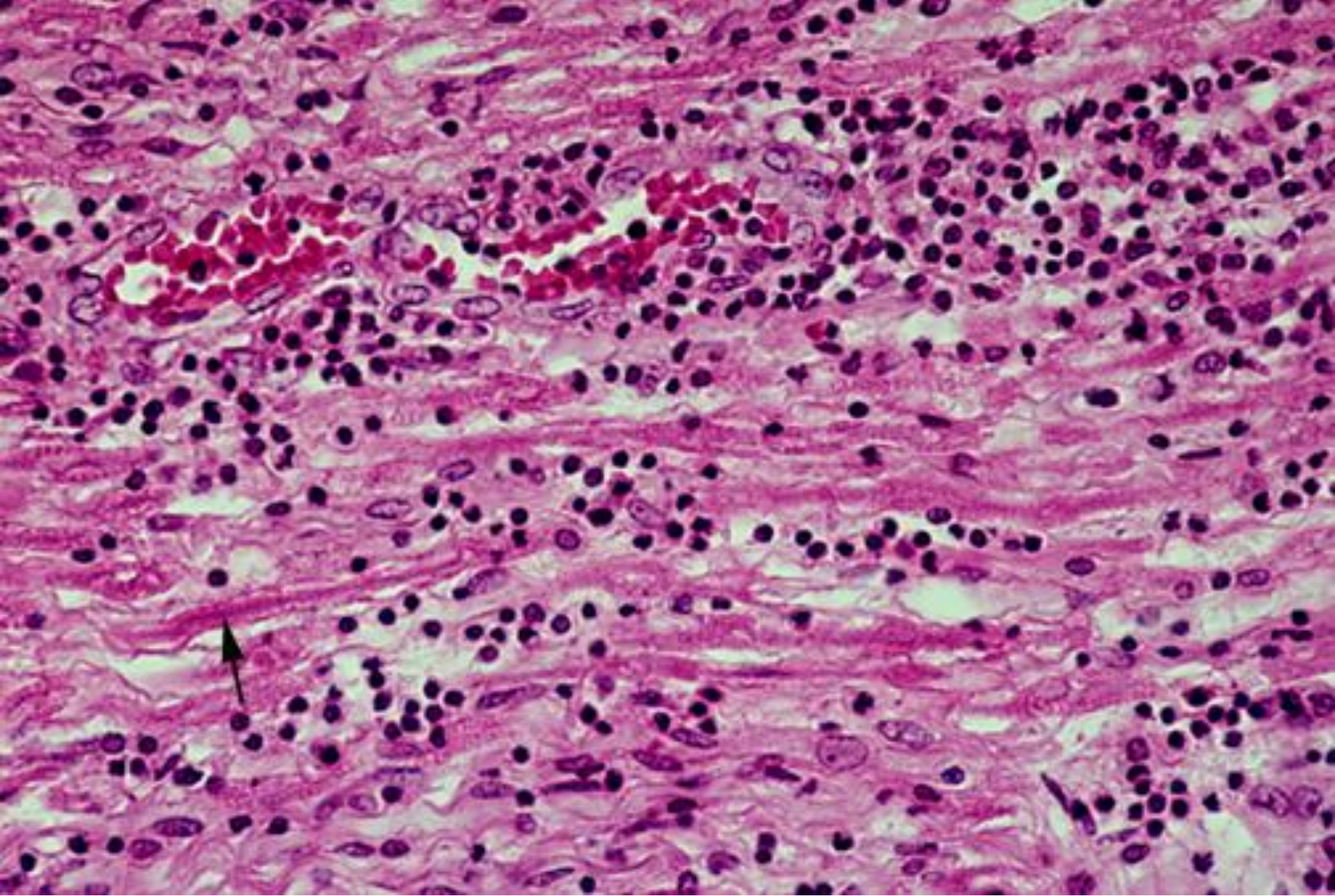
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NEUROPATHY, Inflammatory

- **Guillain-Barré**

- Preceded by “influenza”-like illness
- NO actual specific etiologic agent isolated, autoimmune disease to myelin gangliosides most likely
- Inflammation of a peripheral nerve
- DEMYELINATION
- “ASCENDING*” paralysis (*LOWER extremities before UPPER extremities)

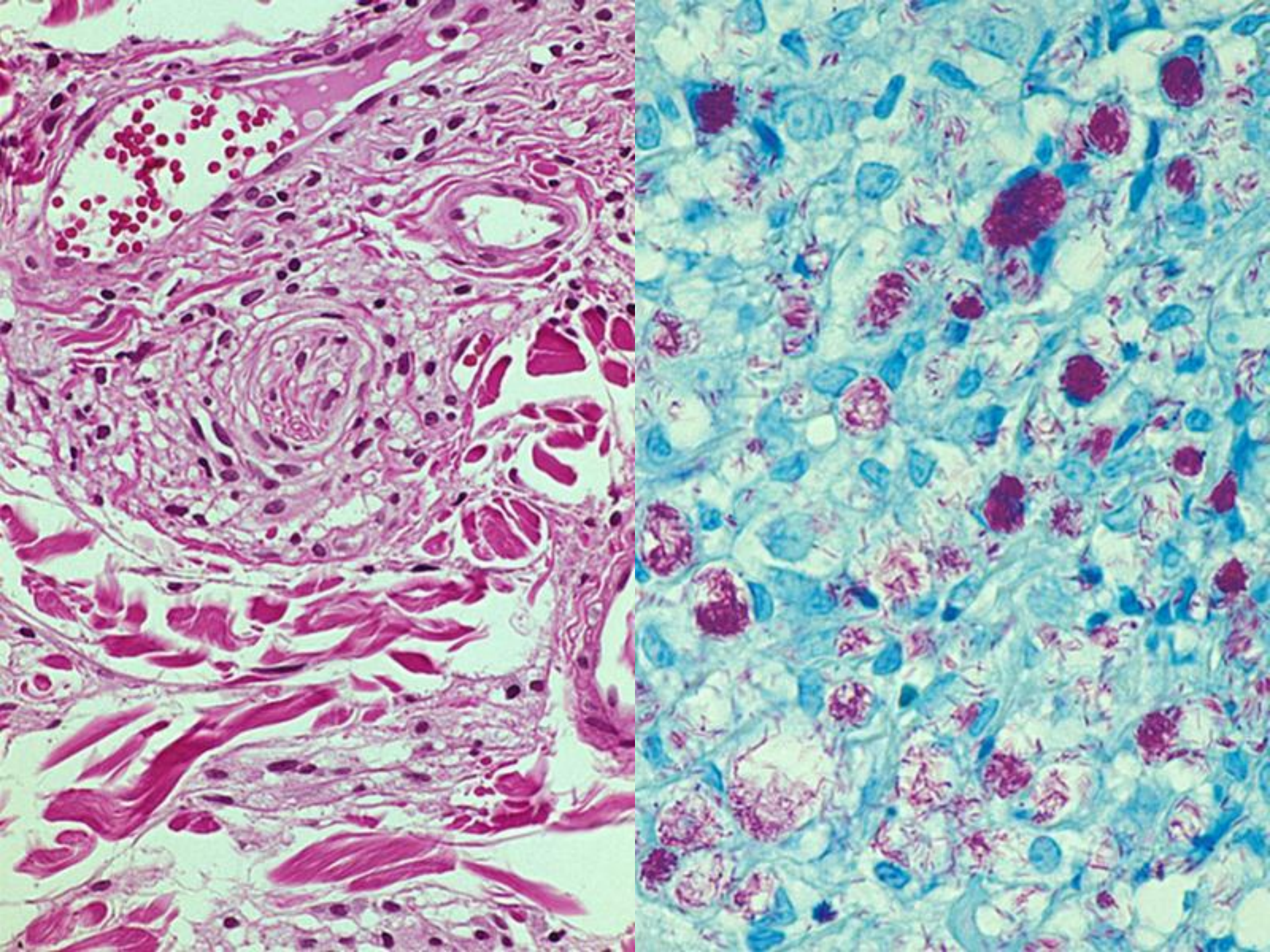


Guillain-Barré, (AIDP), Acute Inflammatory Demyelinating Polyneuropathy

NEUROPATHY, Infectious

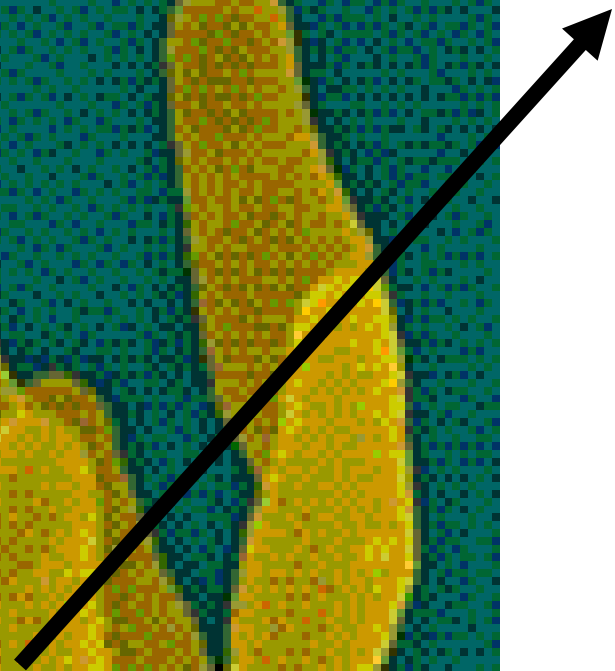
- **Leprosy**
- **Diphtheria**
- **V/Z (Varicella-Zoster)**





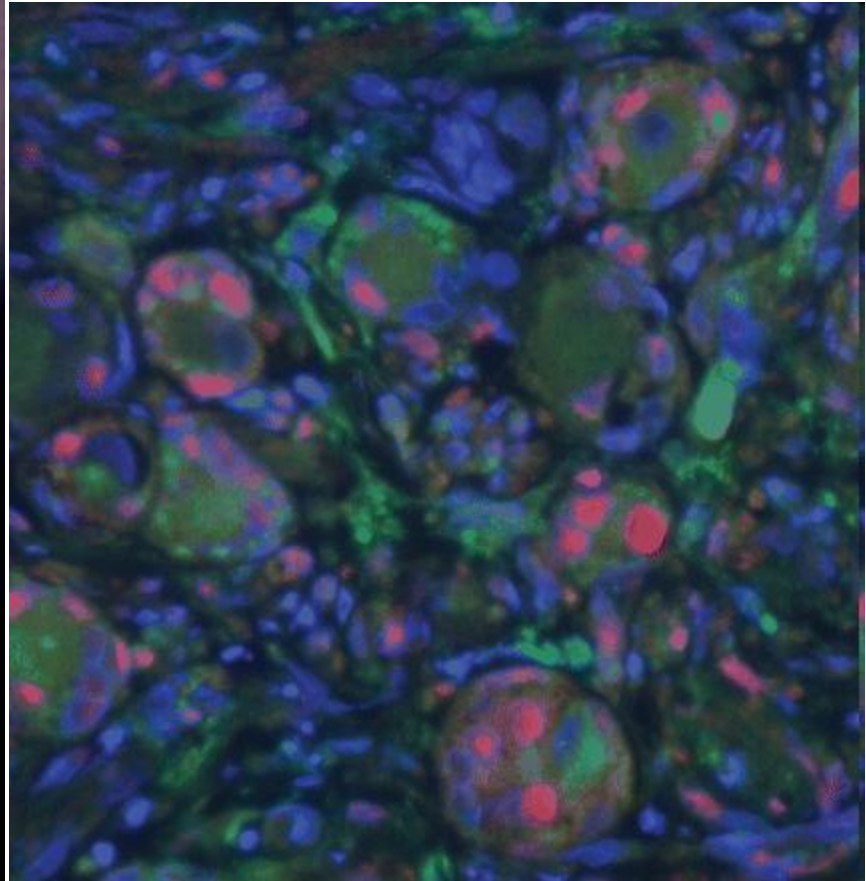
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**POSTHERPETIC
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NEUROPATHY, Hereditary (defective myelination)

(Hereditary Motor and Sensory Neuropathy)

- **HMSN-I** (Charcot-Marie-Tooth,
duplication of large region of Chromosome #17, p12 region, 80% of time!)
- **HMSN-II** (Like CMT of the neurons)
- **HMSN-III** (Palpable Nerves) (aka,
Dejerine-Sottas)



**PES CAVUM(S),
in CMT**



NEUROPATHY, Toxic/Metabolic

Symmetric, Asymmetric

Sensory, Sensorimotor

Somatic, Autonomic

Focal, Multifocal

(Adjectives of neuropathy in general!)

NEUROPATHY, Toxic/Metabolic

Diabetes Mellitus

Vitamin Deficiencies (many Bs, E)

Heavy Metals, Pb, As, etc.

Organic Compounds

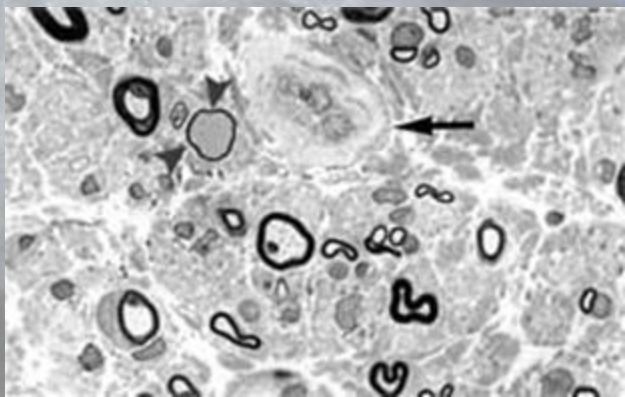
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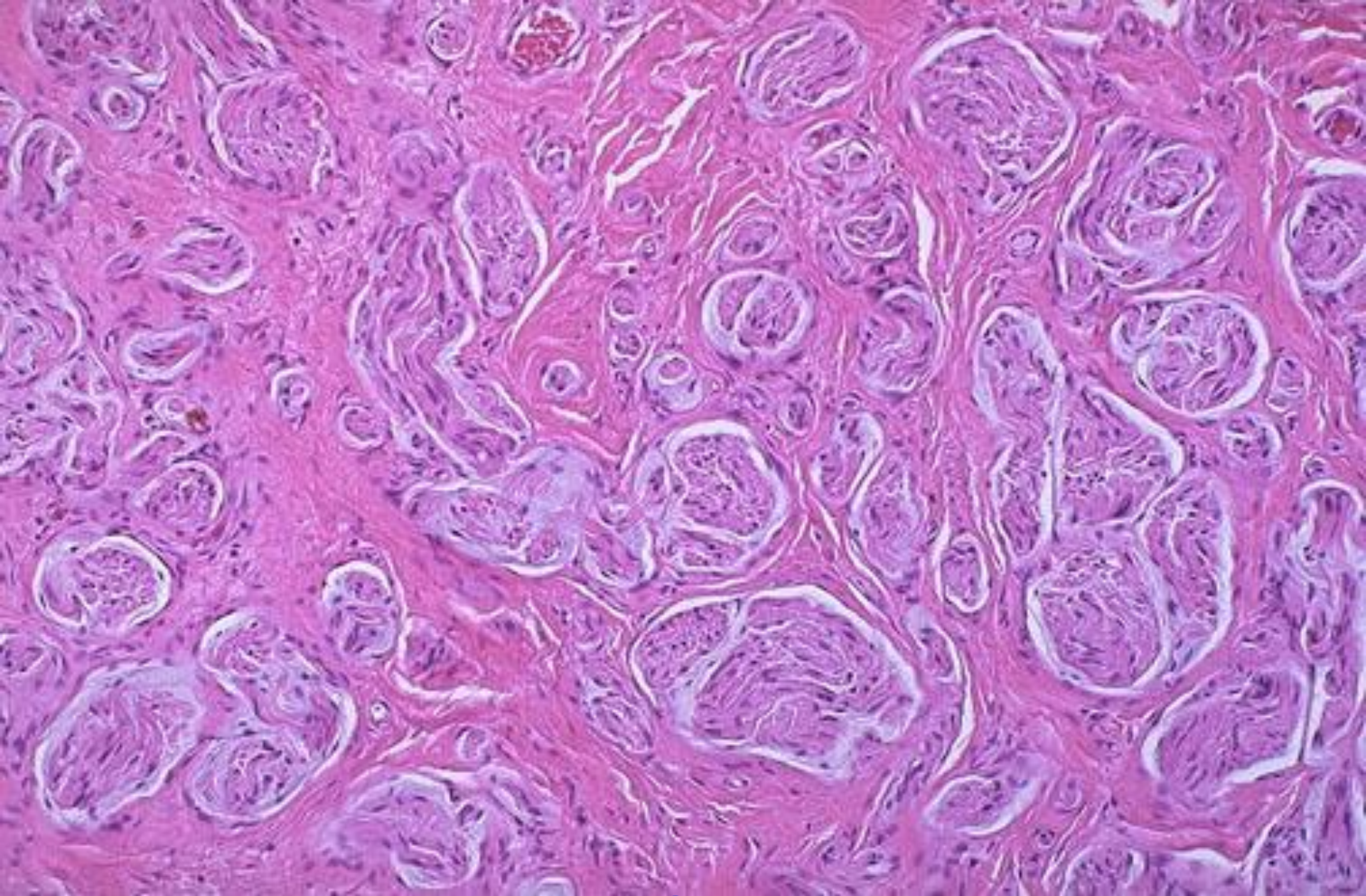
A diabetic ulcer is
JUST AS MUCH
related to
NEUROPATHY as
ISCHEMIA!!!

DEMYELINATION



NEUROPATHY, Traumatic

- **Laceration** regeneration rate = 1mm/day or 1 in/mo.
- **Avulsion**
- **Carpal Tunnel**
- **Traumatic (amputation) “Neuroma”**
- **“Saturday Night” Palsy (radial n.)**
- **Morton “Neuroma”**



TRAUMATIC NEUROMA

“Regenerating Axons and Glia (Schwann Cells), but with no direction”

Interdigital Neuroma

MEDIAL Plantar Nerve

**3rd COMMON digital branch
of MEDIAL plantar nerve**

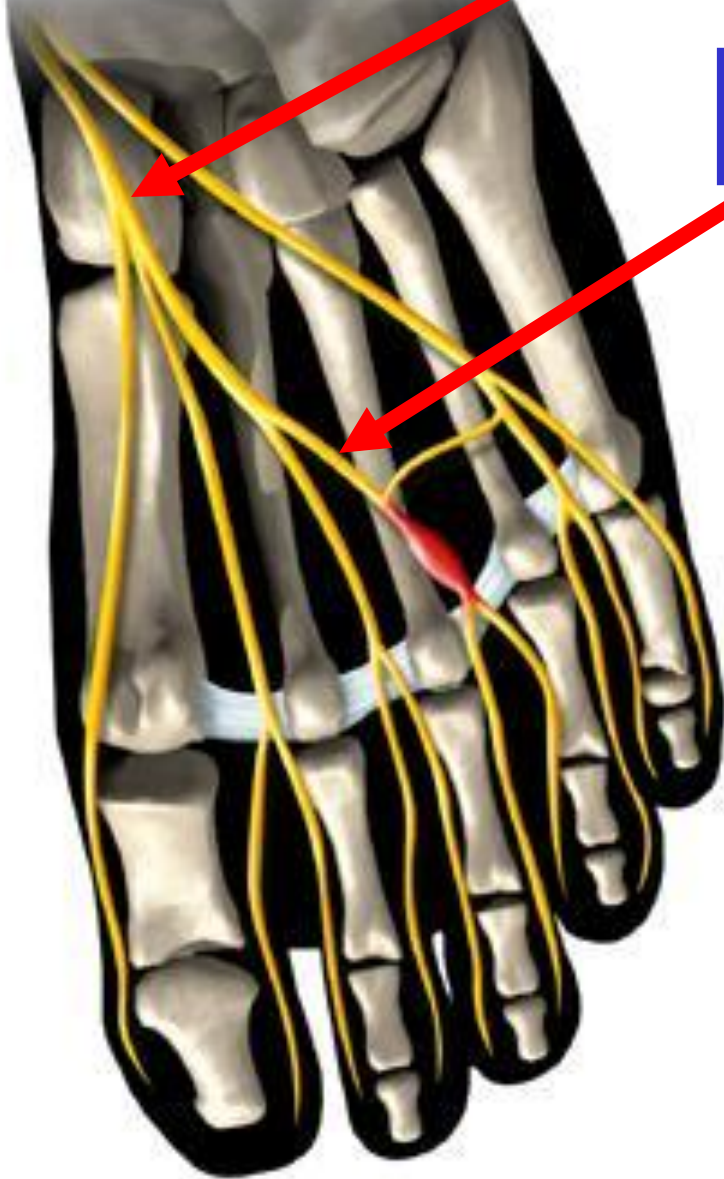
MORTON'S NEUROMA

Traumatic Compression

F>M

Interdigital

Intermetatarsal





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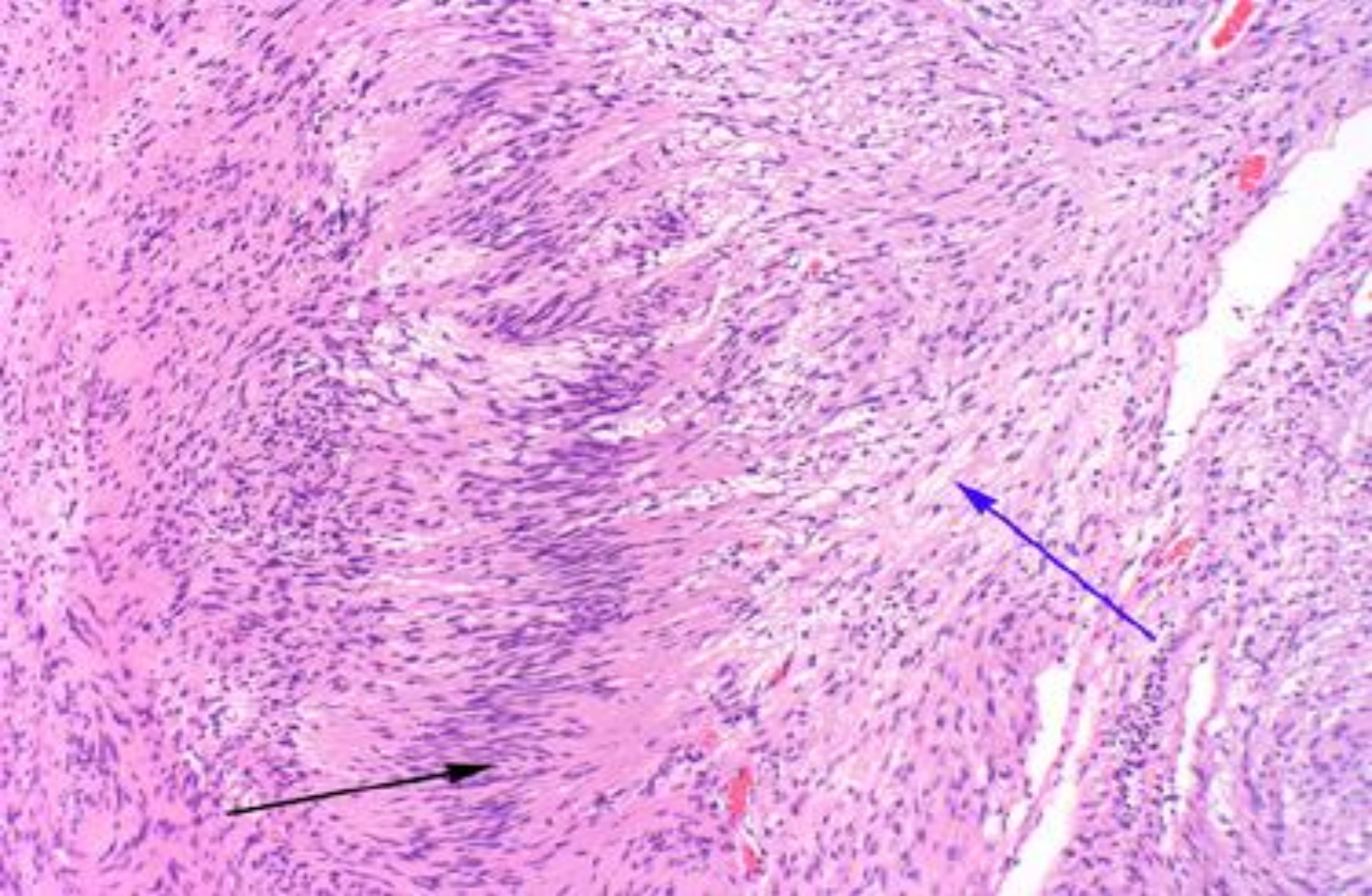
NEUROPATHY, Neoplastic

Benign: Schwannoma

Malignant: Malignant Schwannoma



<http://dermis.net>



Antoni **A**: “Palisaded”

Antoni **B**: **NON**-Palisaded

QUIZ:

- Why are Schwannomas the **ONLY** tumors of peripheral nerve?

A high-magnification light micrograph of skeletal muscle tissue. The image shows multiple parallel muscle fibers with distinct transverse striations (myofibrils). The fibers are separated by connective tissue, and nuclei are visible as small, dark, elongated structures along the periphery of the fibers. The overall appearance is that of a well-organized, striated muscle.

MYOPATHIES

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MYOPATHY, Denervation

MUSCLE FIBERS

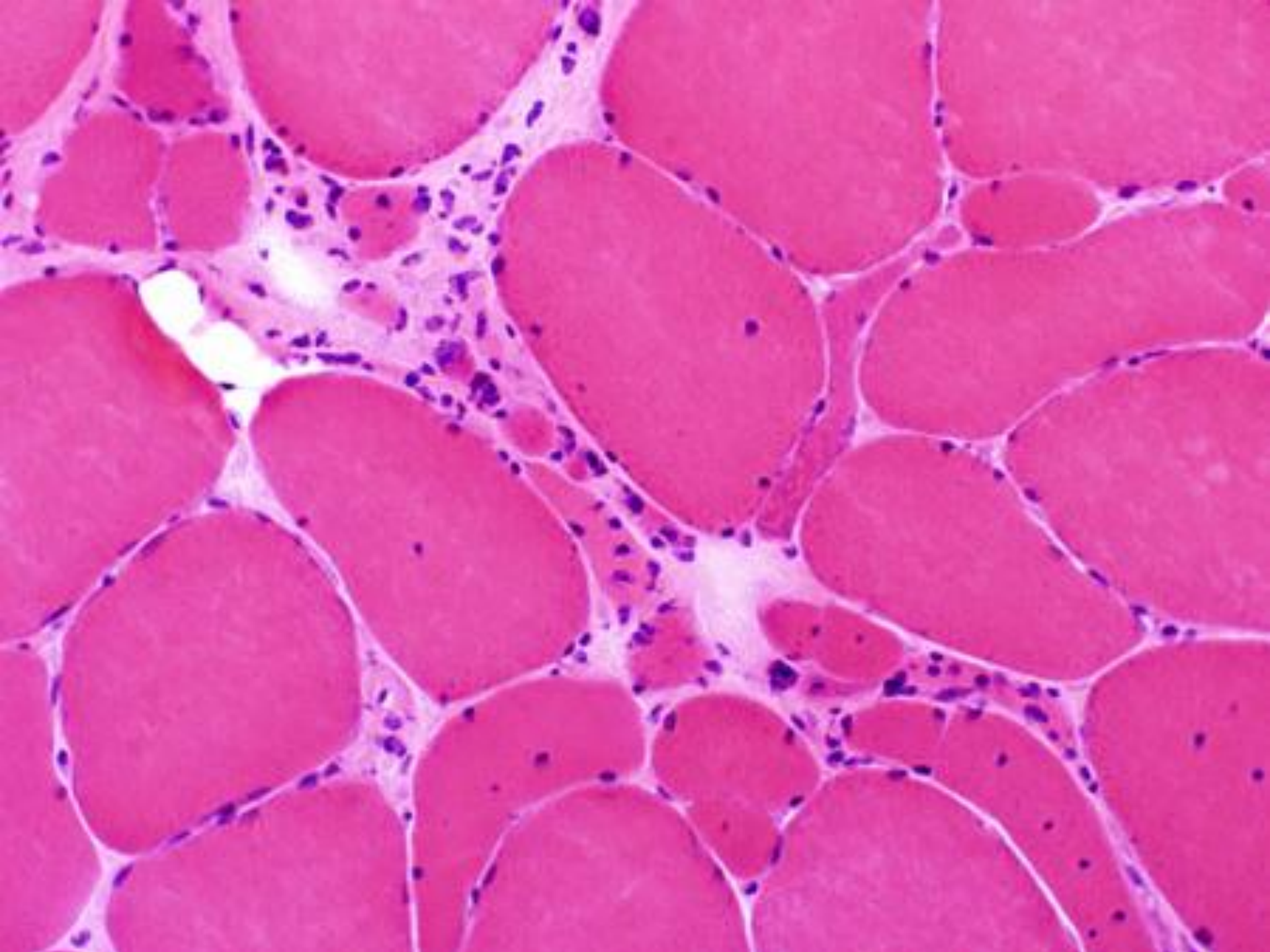
CANNOT SURVIVE

UNLESS THEY ARE

INNERVATED

PERIPHERAL NERVE PATHOLOGY

ANTERIOR (ventral) HORN CELL PATHOLOGY

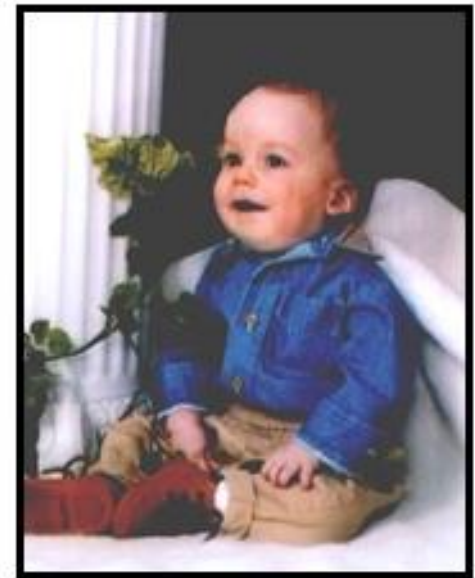


SPINAL MUSCULAR ATROPHY

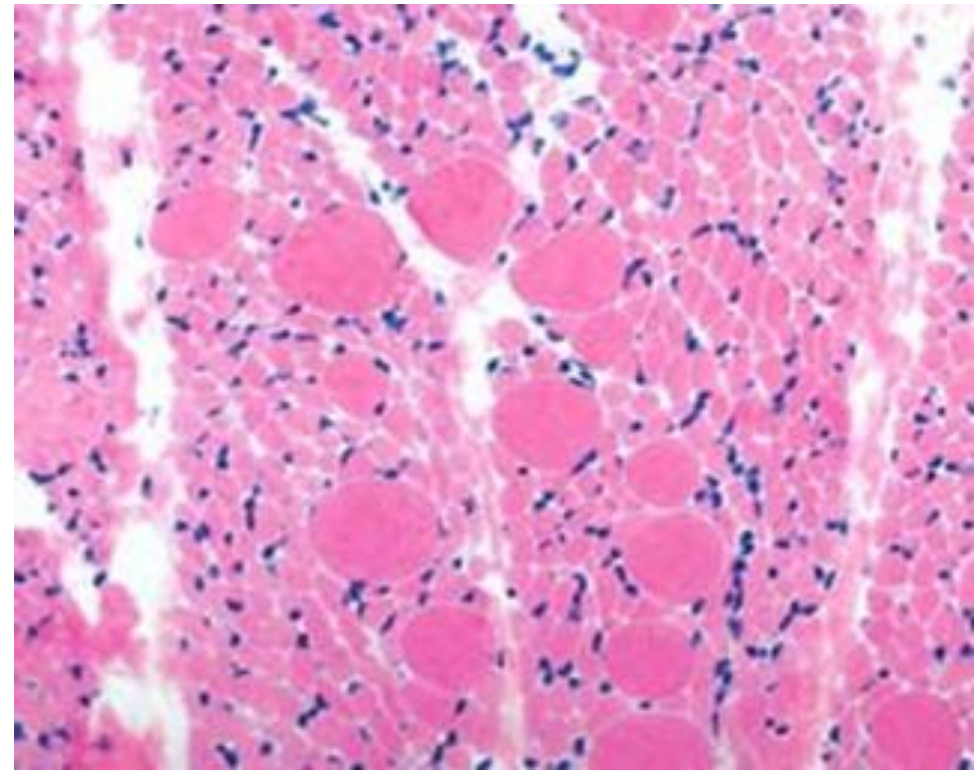
- Childhood diseases
- Chromosome #5 that harbors the survival motor neuron gene (*SMN1*)
- Anterior Horn Cells
- Often PAN-fascicular
- Shoulder, hip muscles



Madison Reed



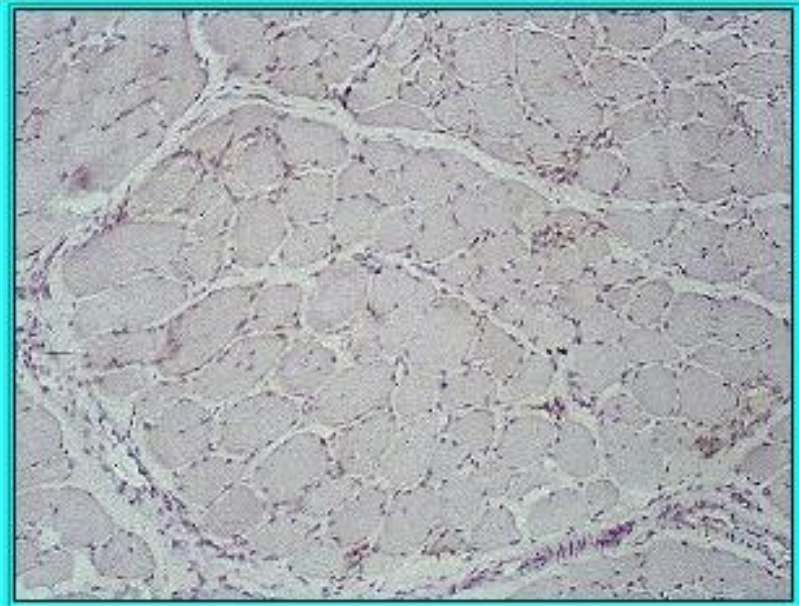
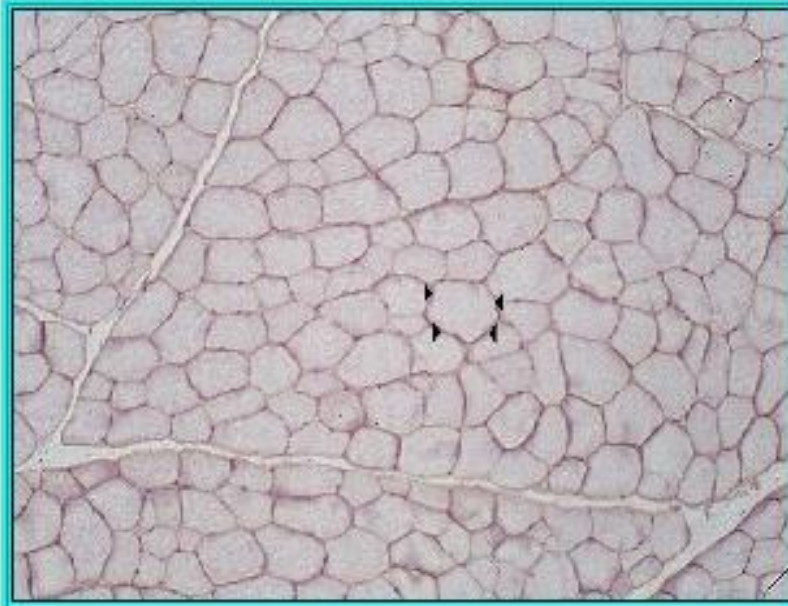
Devon Stants



MYOPATHY, “Dystrophic”

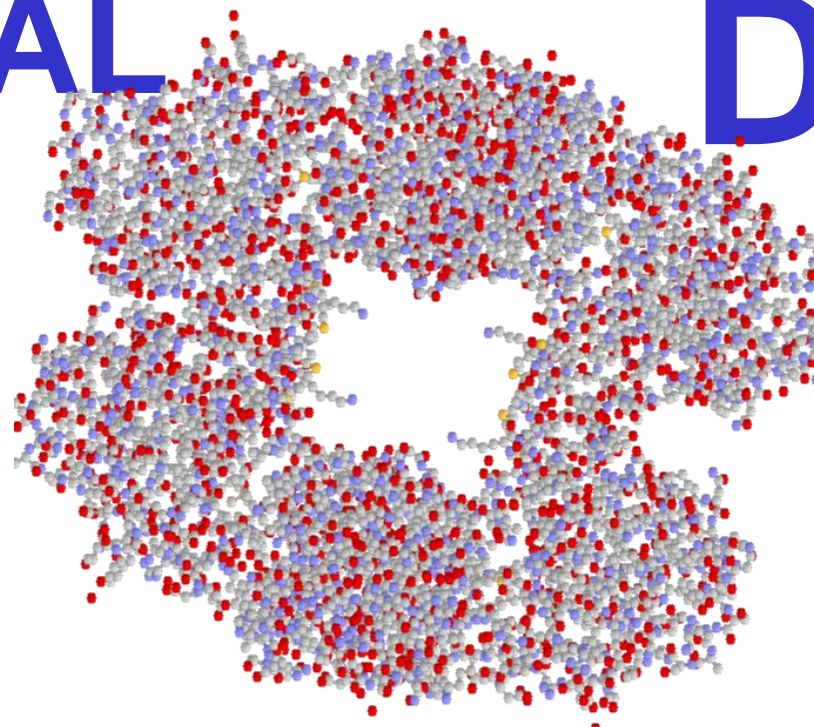
- Jerry’s kids, no “DYSTROPHIN”
- **DUCHENNE (DMD)**, x-linked
- **BECKER (BMD)** (less common, less severe, same chromosome)
- Many others also, all of which have complex genetic patterns which have all been precisely defined
- **MYOTONIA*** is a common feature

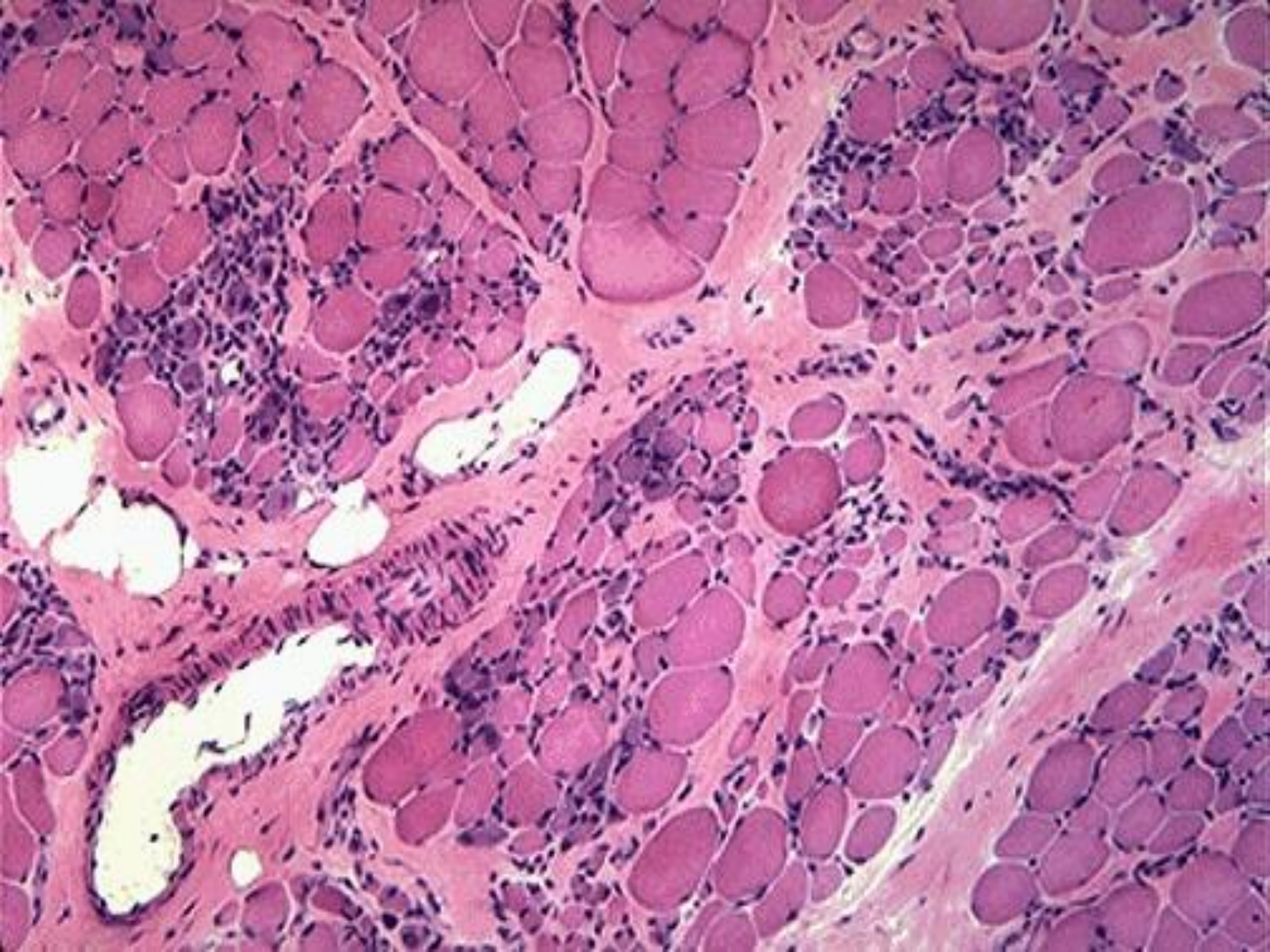
*spasm,rigid

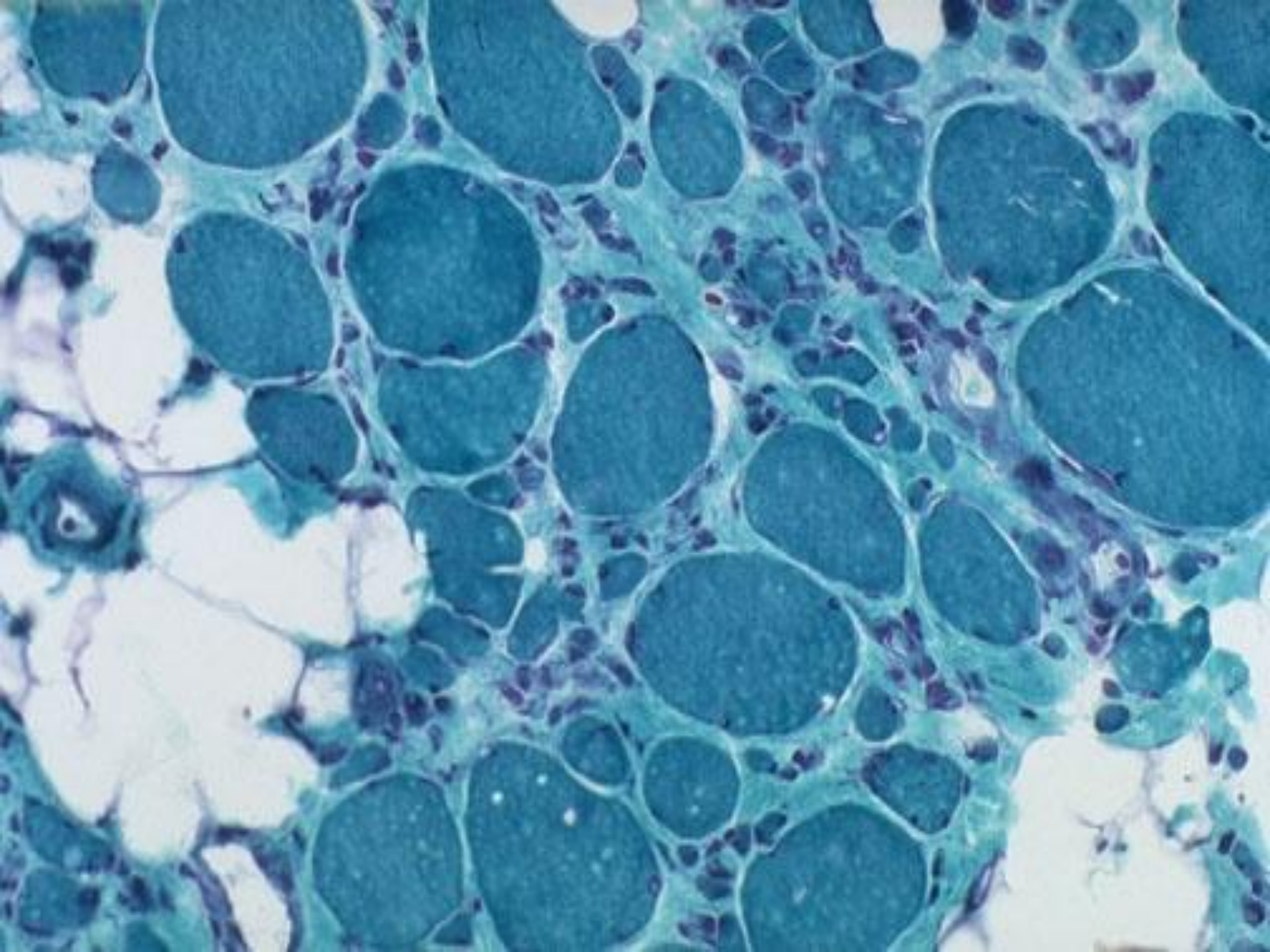


NORMAL

DMD







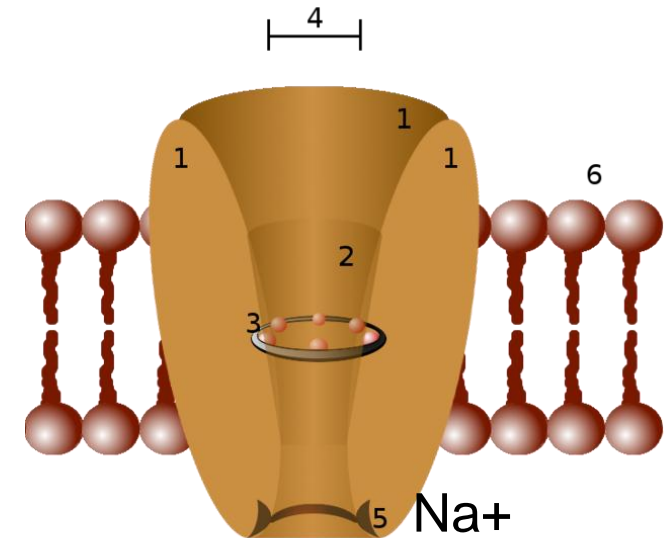
Limb Girdle Muscular Dystrophies

	Inheritance	Locus	Gene	Clinicopathologic Features
1A	Autosomal-dominant	5q31	Myotilin	Onset in adult life with slow progression of limb weakness, but sparing of facial muscles; dysarthric speech
1B	Autosomal-dominant	1q21	Lamin A/C	Onset before the age of 20 years in lower limbs, progression during many years with cardiac involvement
1C	Autosomal-dominant	3p25	Caveolin-3 (M-caveolin)	Onset before the age of 20, clinically similar to type 1B
1D	Autosomal-dominant	7p	Unknown	Limb girdle muscle weakness, adult onset
2A	Autosomal-recessive	15q15.1-21.1	Calpain 3	Onset in late childhood to middle age; slow progression during 20–30 years
2B	Autosomal-recessive	2p13.3-q13.1	Dysferlin	Mild clinical course with onset in early adulthood
2C	Autosomal-recessive	13q12	γ-Sarcoglycan	Severe weakness during childhood, rapid progression; dystrophic myopathy on muscle biopsy
2D	Autosomal-recessive	17q21	α-Sarcoglycan (adhalin)	Severe weakness during childhood, rapid progression; dystrophic myopathy on muscle biopsy
2E	Autosomal-recessive	4q12	β-Sarcoglycan	Onset in early childhood, with Duchenne-like clinical course
2F	Autosomal-recessive	5q33	δ-Sarcoglycan	Early onset and severe myopathy; dystrophic myopathy on muscle biopsy
2G	Autosomal-recessive	17q11-q12	Telethonin	Distal weakness with limb-girdle weakness in late childhood to adulthood; rimmed vacuoles in muscle cells
2H	Autosomal-recessive	9q31-q34.1	Tripartite motif-containing protein 32 (TRIM32)	Limb-girdle and facial weakness with onset in childhood, mild, slowly progressive course

MYOPATHY, Ion Channel

“Channelopathies”

- **MYOTONIA**/HYPOTONIC PARALYSIS
- FAMILIAL, (genetic) DISEASES
- TRIGGERED BY:
 - Exercise
 - Cold
 - Carb Intake
- Classified by K^+ , $\uparrow K^+$, $\downarrow K^+$
- **MALIGNANT HYPERTHERMIA** can be triggered off by anesthetic halogenated inhalation agents in some of these patients!!!



Na^+
 K^+
 Cl^-
Voltage

Cong.
Acq.
Mutations
Ab's

MYOPATHY, Congenital “Floppy Babies”

- HYPOTONIC
- FAMILIAL,
(genetic)
DISEASES
- MANY TYPES, in
most of which the
precise genetic
defects have
been identified



MYOPATHY, Metabolic (genetic also)

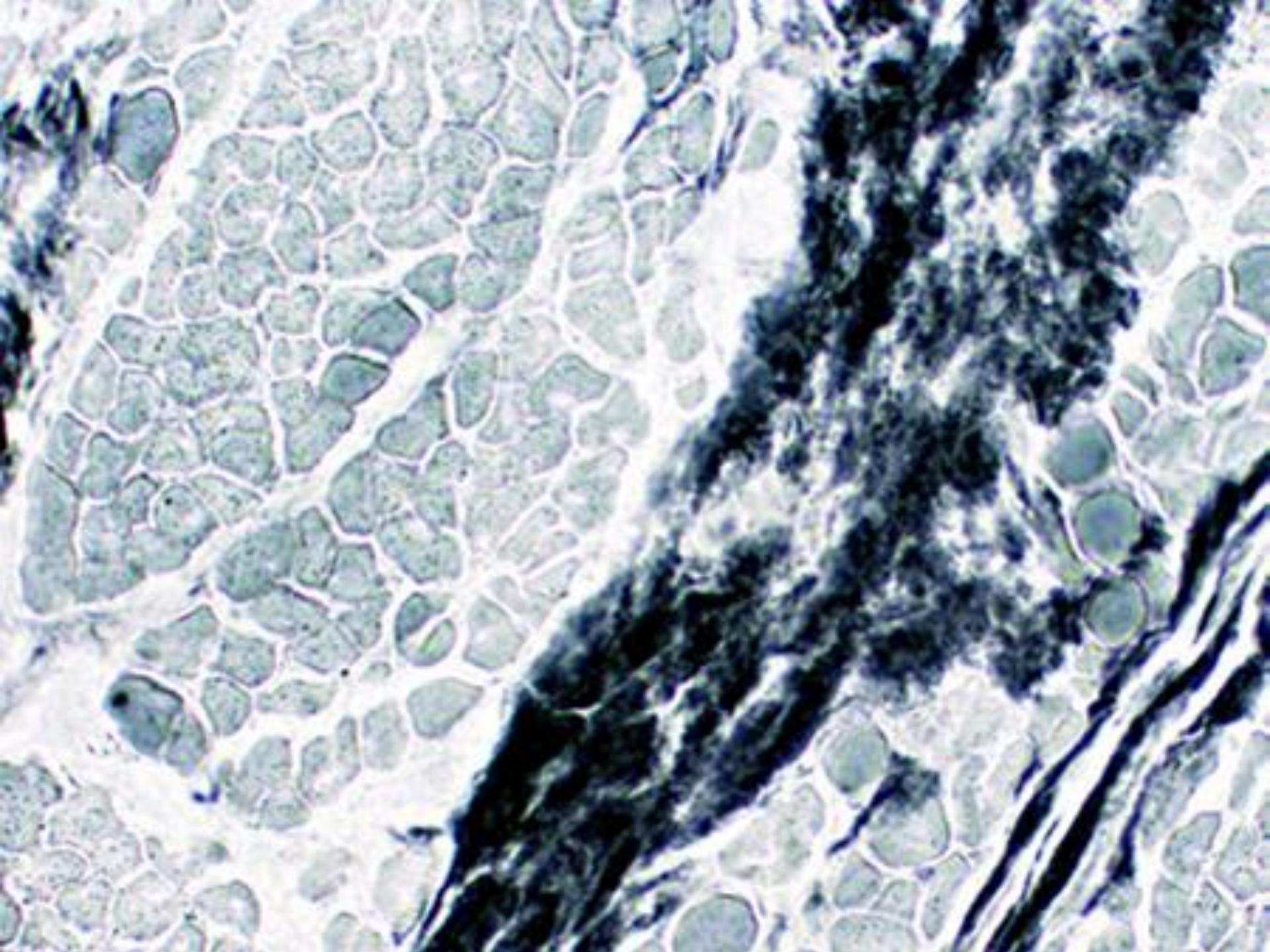
- **LIPID**

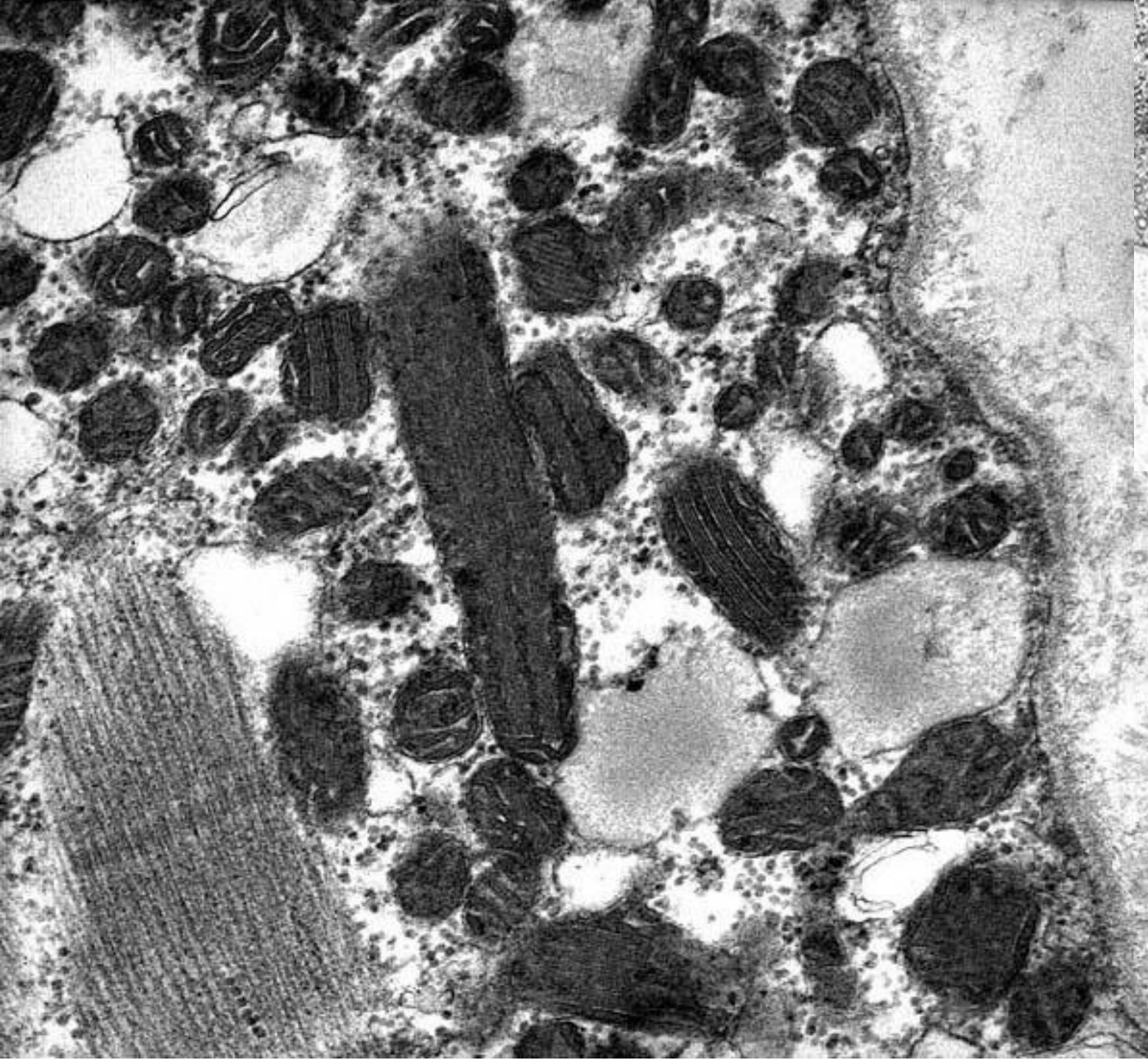
- Mitoch. Enz. Def. → **LIPID ACCUMULATION**

- **MITOCHONDRIAL**

- **“PARKING LOT”** mitochondria

Metabolic myopathies involve **MITOCHONDRIA!**





PARKING

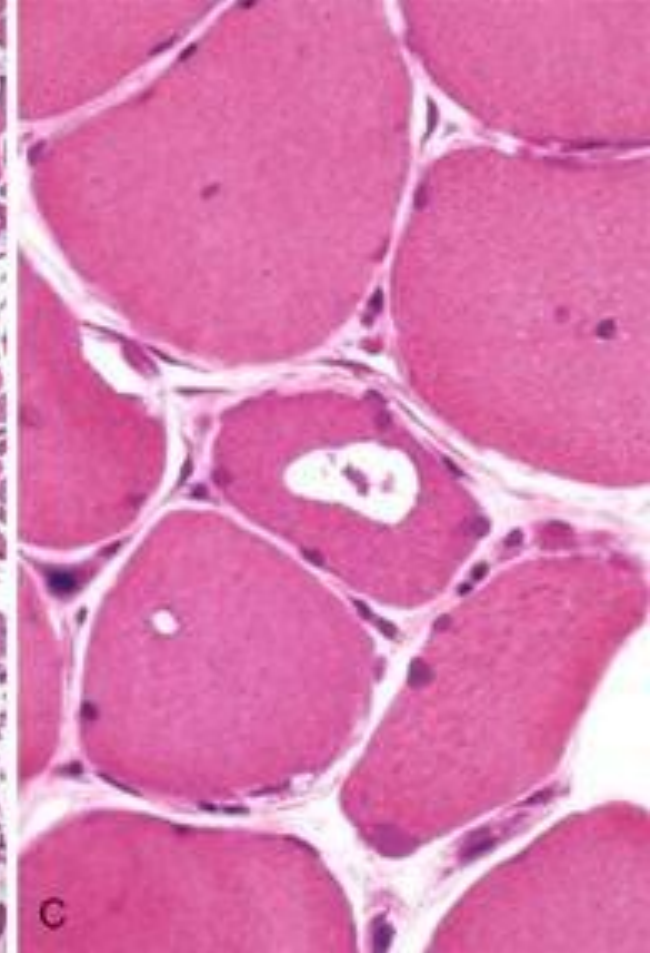
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MITOCH.

MYOPATHY, Inflammatory

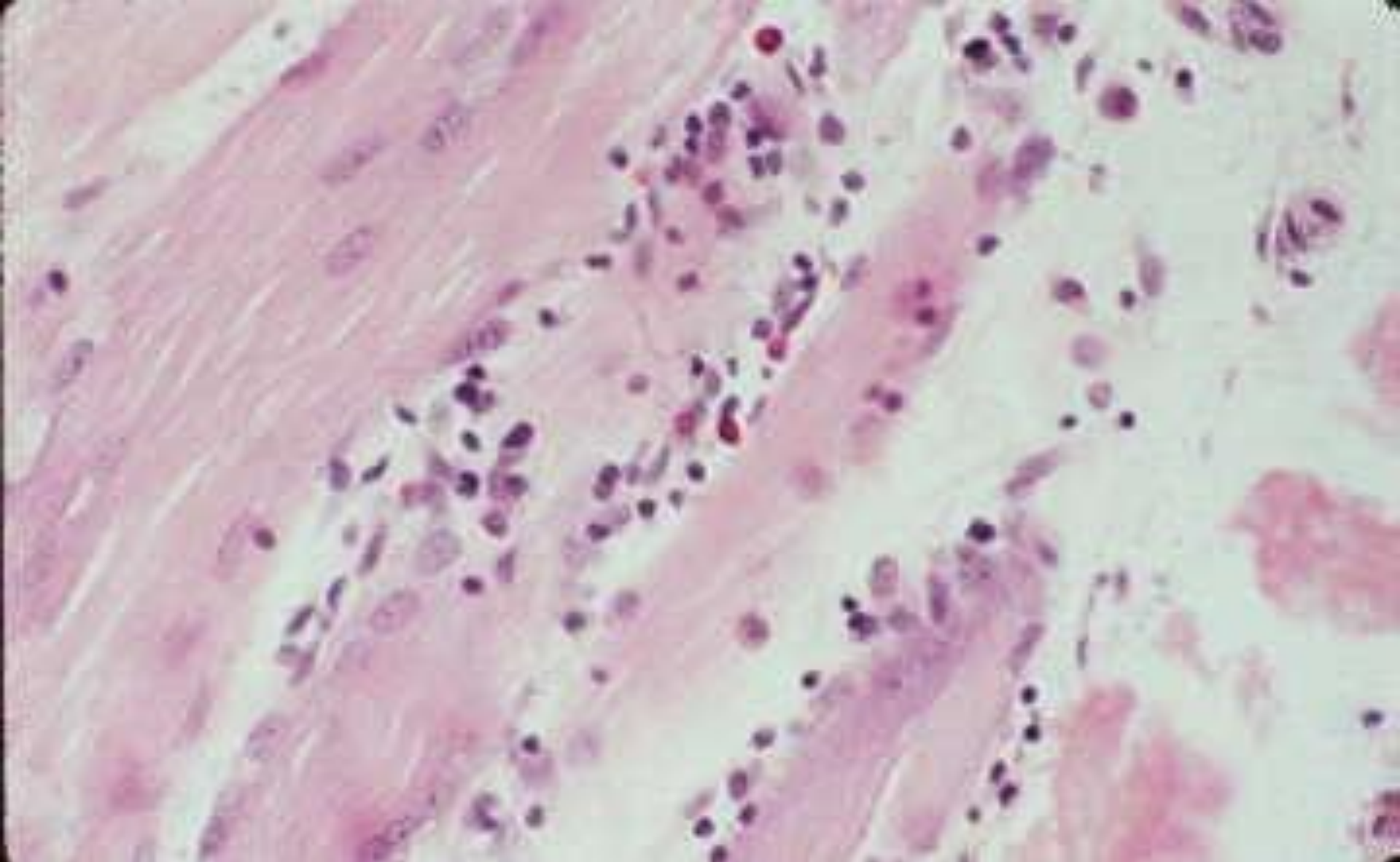
- **DERMATOMYOSITIS**
- **POLYMYOSITIS**
- **INCLUSION BODY MYOSITIS**

- **ALL HAVE UNCLEAR ETIOLOGIES**

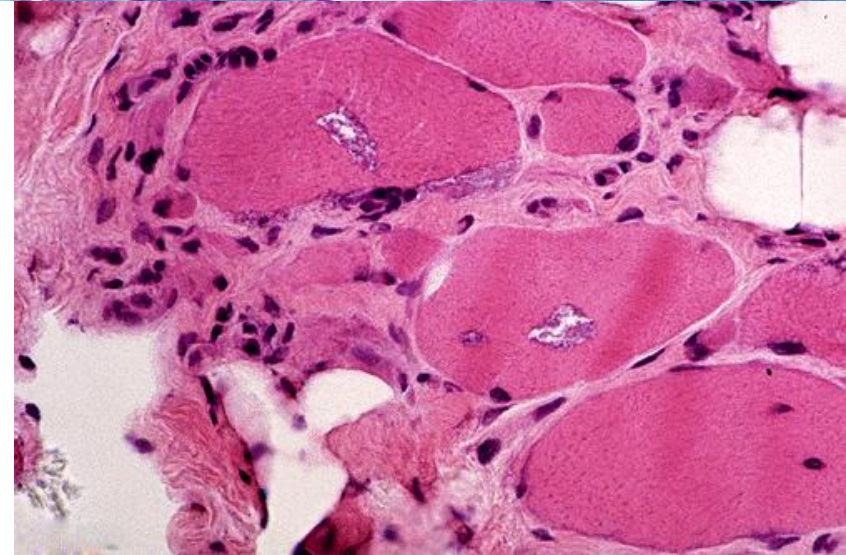
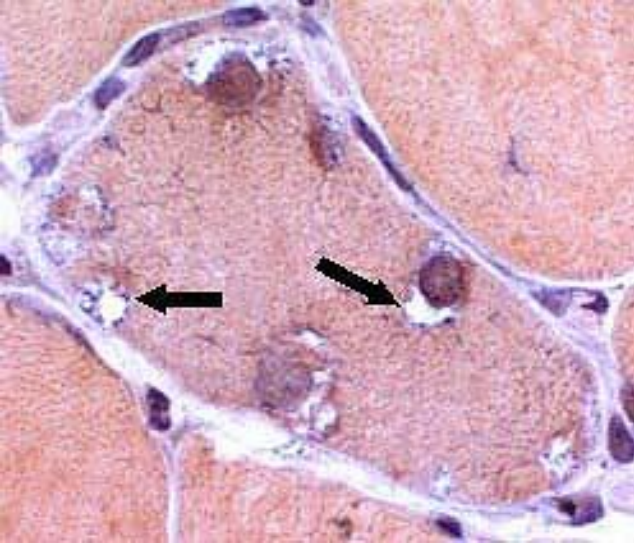
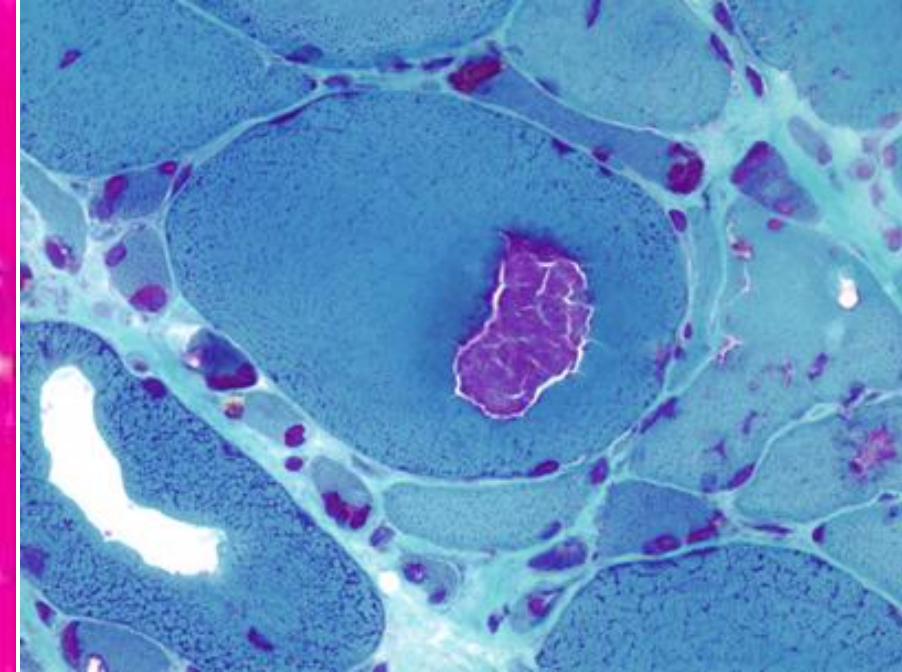


DERMATOMYOSITIS

(often peri-vascular, half have cancer, often young)



POLYMYOSITIS, usually **endo-myseal**
CCP: Weakness, muscle atrophy, proximal musculature



INCLUSION BODY MYOSITIS, "rimmed" vacuoles
Autoimmune? Many cases hereditary, dysphagia?

MYOPATHY, Toxic

- **THYROTOXICOSIS**
- **ETHANOL**
- **DRUGS (steroids, chloroquine)**
- **DRUGS (MANY MANY others)**

MYOPATHY, NeuroMuscular Junction

- **Myasthenia Gravis**

- Associated with thymomas
- Thymectomies often useful Rx:
- AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE, CLEARLY
- Ab's to ANTI-CHOLINESTERASE RECEPTORS
- Anticholinesterase test is very diagnostic (edrophonium)
- YOUNG WOMEN WITH EYE MUSCLE:
 - Ptosis →
 - Diplopia →
 - General Weakness

- **Lambert-Eaton Syndrome** (paraneoplastic), 60% have malignancies, auto-antibodies against NMJx

MYOPATHY, Neoplastic

- **Benign**

- Rhabdomyoma

- **Malignant**

- Rhabdomyosarcoma