

CLINICAL IMAGE

Xeroderma Pigmentosa

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Xeroderma pigmentosum (XP) is a rare autosomal recessive disease that presents in early childhood with photophobia, photosensitivity, cutaneous pigmentary changes with marked freckle-like pigmentation of the face before the age of two years in most affected individuals, and a predisposition for malignancy in sun-exposed mucocutaneous areas and ocular structures. With a predisposition for malignancy in sun-exposed mucocutaneous areas and visual structures¹.

A 9-year-old female patient with a known case of xeroderma pigmentosa presented with spontaneous extrusion of the deformed left eyeball and malignant growth and an ulceroproliferative lesion in the left infraorbital region.

MRI was suggestive of poorly defined growth and the posterior half of the globe occupying the posterior orbital socket.

The patient underwent orbital exenteration and excision of the infraorbital growth.



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