CASE REPORT

A CASE REPORT OF PAPILLARY CARCINOMA IN TOXIC MULTINODULAR GOITRE

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ABSTRACT:

Introduction: The incidence of papillary carcinoma in toxic multinodular goitre (MNG) is very low. The prevalence is 1-4%.

Objective: To describe and report a case of papillary carcinoma thyroid in toxic multinodular goitre with literature review.

Case report: A 39 year old female presented with features of toxic multinodular goitre. After evaluation and controlling toxicity total thyroidectomy was done. The histopathology report came out as papillary carcinoma thyroid.

Conclusion: Though rare there is a definite incidence of papillary carcinoma in toxic multinodular goitre. Total thyroidectomy after controlling toxicity is the treatment of choice.

Key words: Papillary carcinoma, toxicity, multinodular goitre.