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Angiokeratoma of Fordyce

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A 55-year-old man presented with asymptomatic multiple, discrete, red to black papules over the scrotum [Figure 1] with occasional episodes of bleeding for the past 6 months. Few papules had a smooth surface while others had a rough keratotic surface. Based on the history and characteristic examination findings, a diagnosis of Angiokeratoma of Fordyce was made. It is characterized by red-purple to black papules and plaques. Histopathology reveals capillary ectasia in papillary dermis with reactive epidermal acanthosis and hyperkeratosis.^[1]

Declaration of patient consent

Patient's consent not required as patients identity is not disclosed or compromised.



Figure 1: Multiple, discrete, erythematous papules topped by black crusts over the scrotum.

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