

CASE REPORT

OMPHALOMESENTRIC DUCT REMNANT WITH HETEROTOPIC PANCREATIC TISSUE

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Abstract: Umbilical discharge is not an uncommon event in infancy and is often attributed to local infection or due to an umbilical granuloma. It is important to evaluate any discharge, even though these are considered to be related to infectious etiology more often. There are some less common conditions where perturbation of normal embryological process has led on to conditions such as persistence of omphalomesenteric duct or urachal remnant, both conditions may require early intervention and surgical correction. Here, we report a case of ectopic pancreatic tissue with omphalomesenteric duct remnant presenting as persistent umbilical discharge, because of its rarity with review of literature.

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