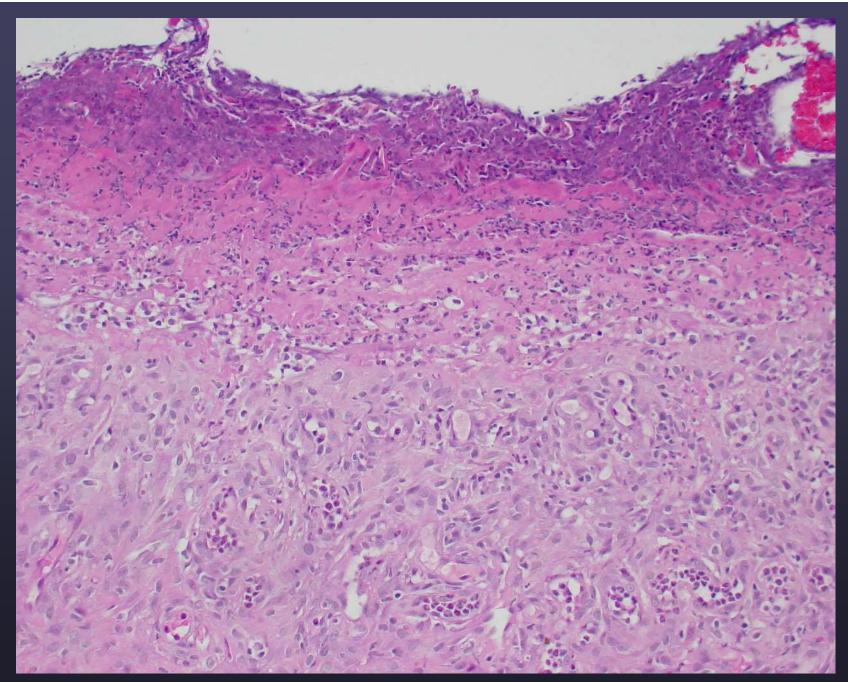


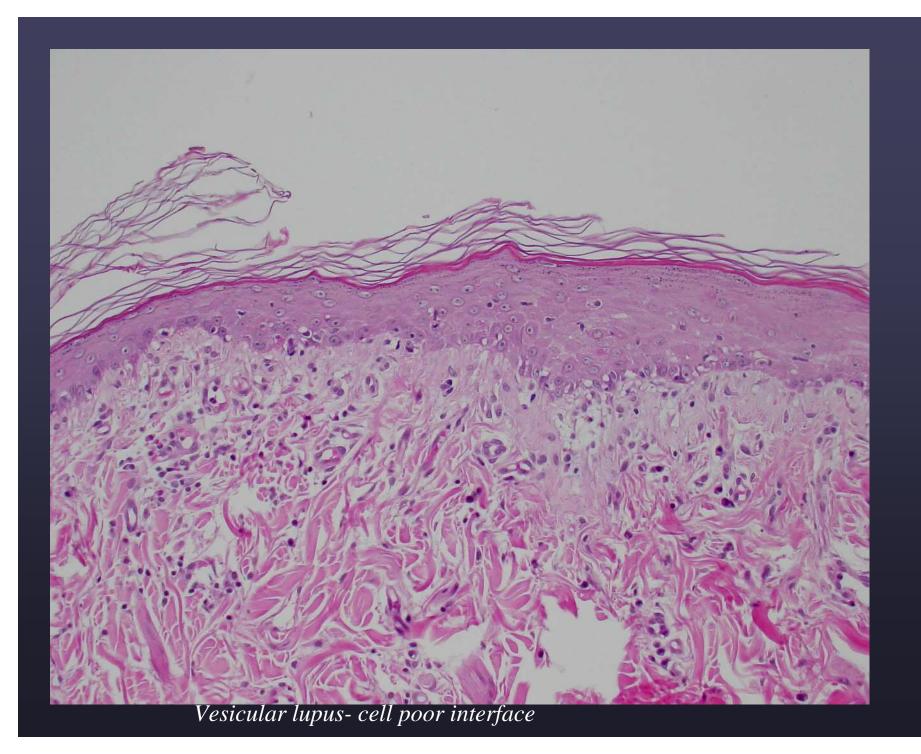
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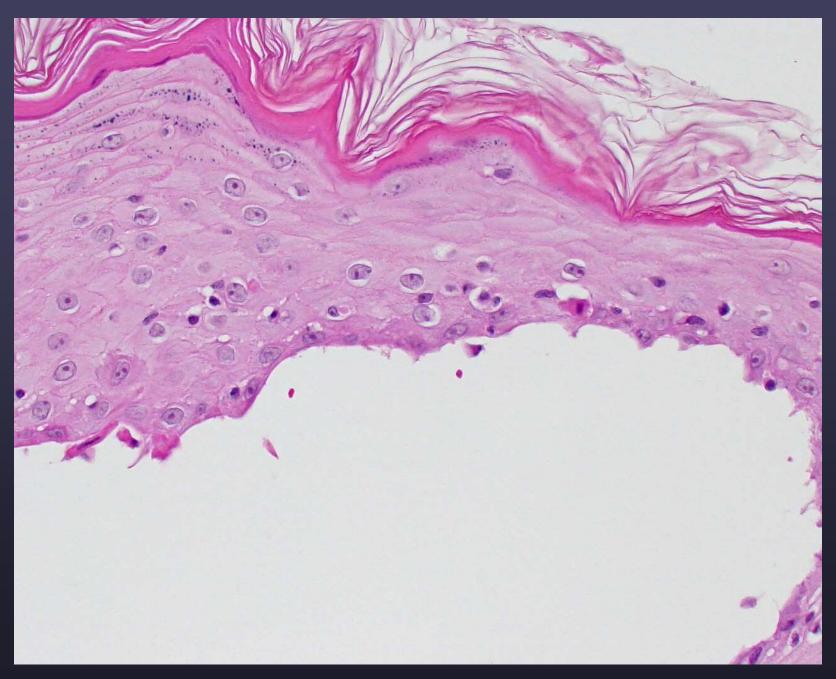


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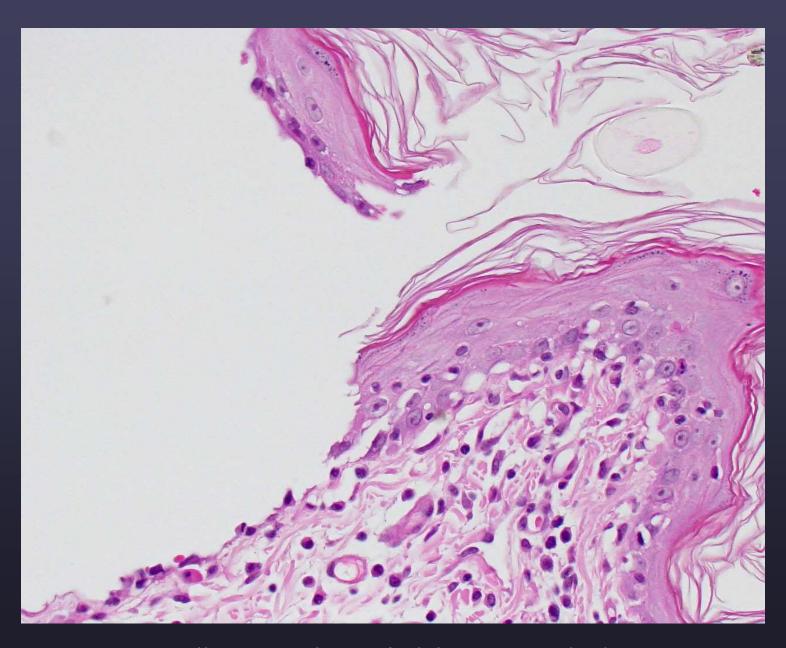


Ulcer- may be better to use elliptical biopsies

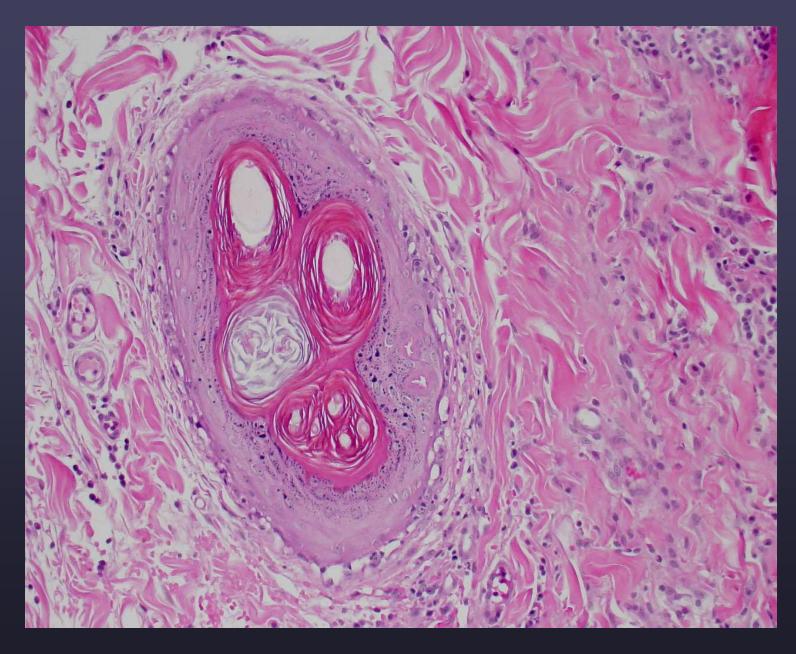




Cell poor interface with clefting in vesicular lupus



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Vesicular lupus: Hair follicle with cell poor interface

Lupoid dermatosis of GSP (cutaneous exfoliative lupus erythematosus)

- Identified as early as 6-8 weeks of age
- Begins with scaling
 — erythema, hair loss, large plate-like adherent scale with atrophy and erosions
- Joint pain (shifting leg lameness, and crouched stance)
- Progresses to generalized and severe Peripheral lymphadenopathy

Histopathology of Lupoid Dermatosis

- Basal cell apoptosis and vacuolar change that also affects ORS
- progresses to sebaceous gland loss; dermal scarring and permanent hair loss
- apoptosis can occur in all epidermal layers and resemble erythema multiforme

GSD Lupoid Derm





Early onset- becomes more severe with time

GSP Lupoid Derm

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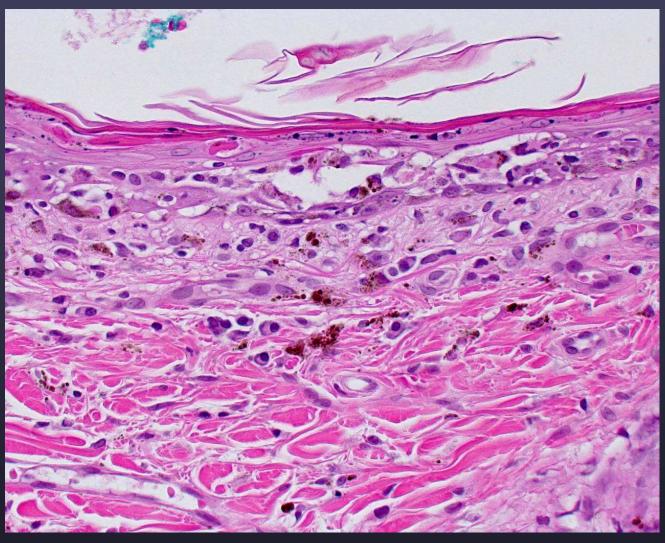
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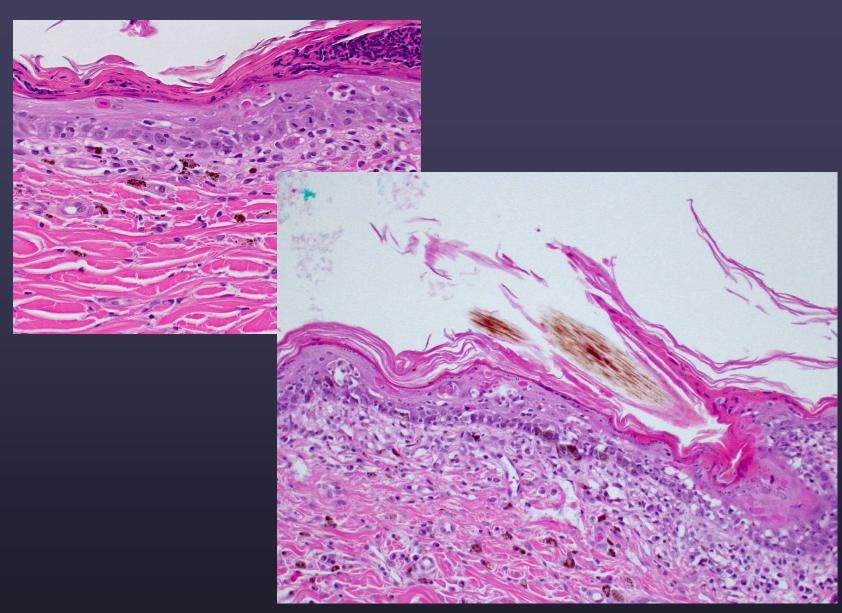




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Exfoliative vesicular lupus of GSP



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