

Chronically Hot and Bothered: Something to think about

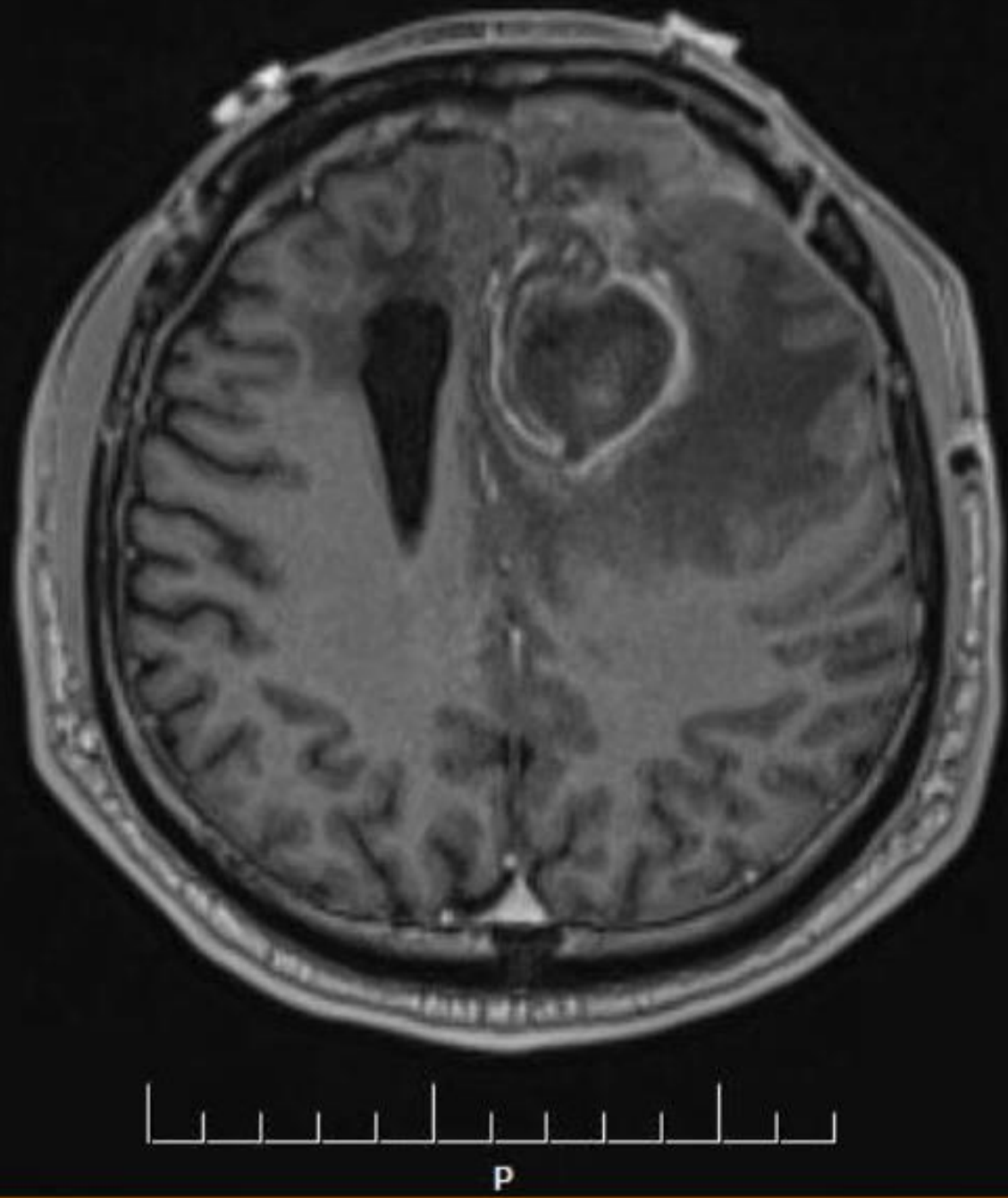
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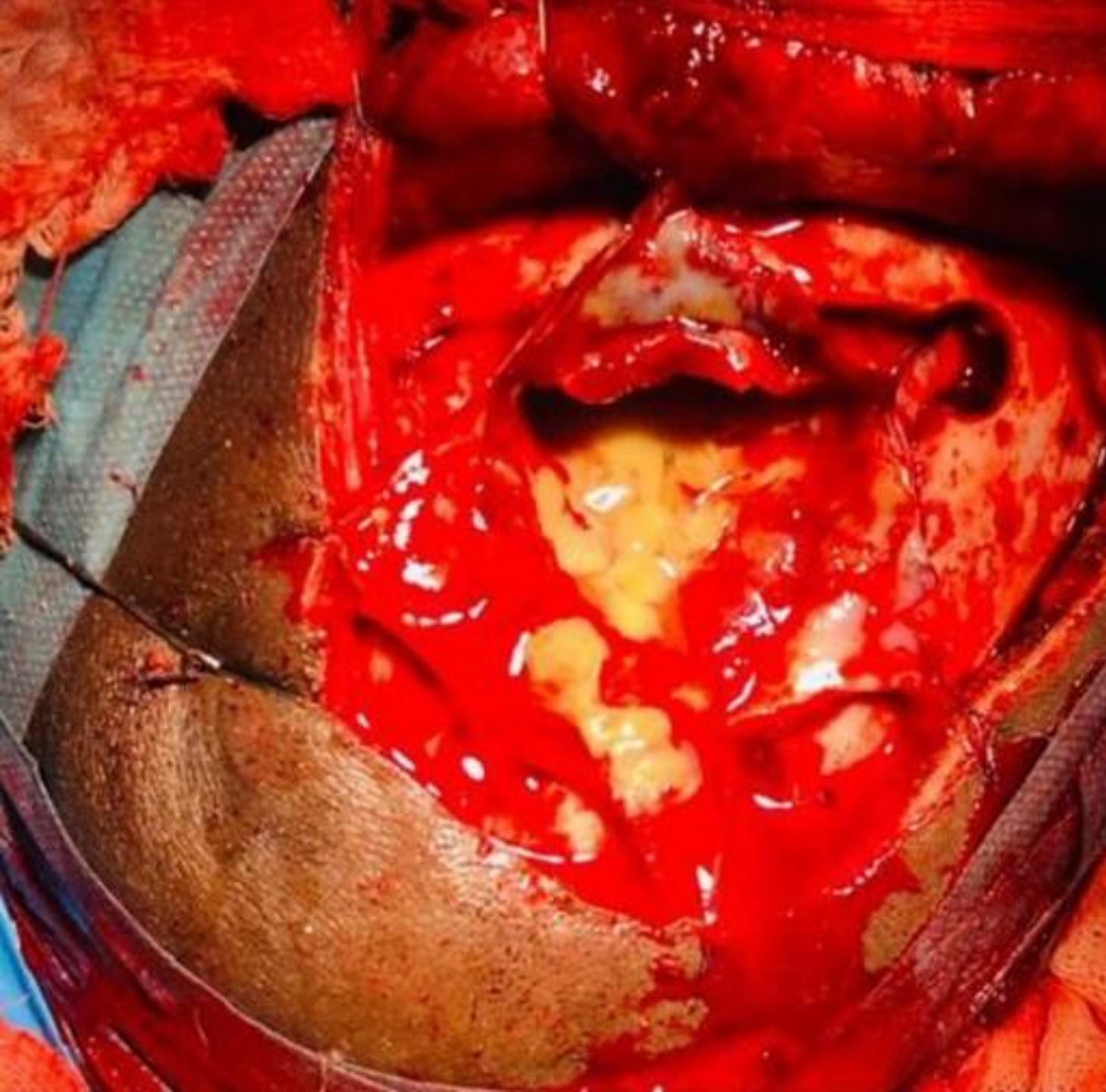
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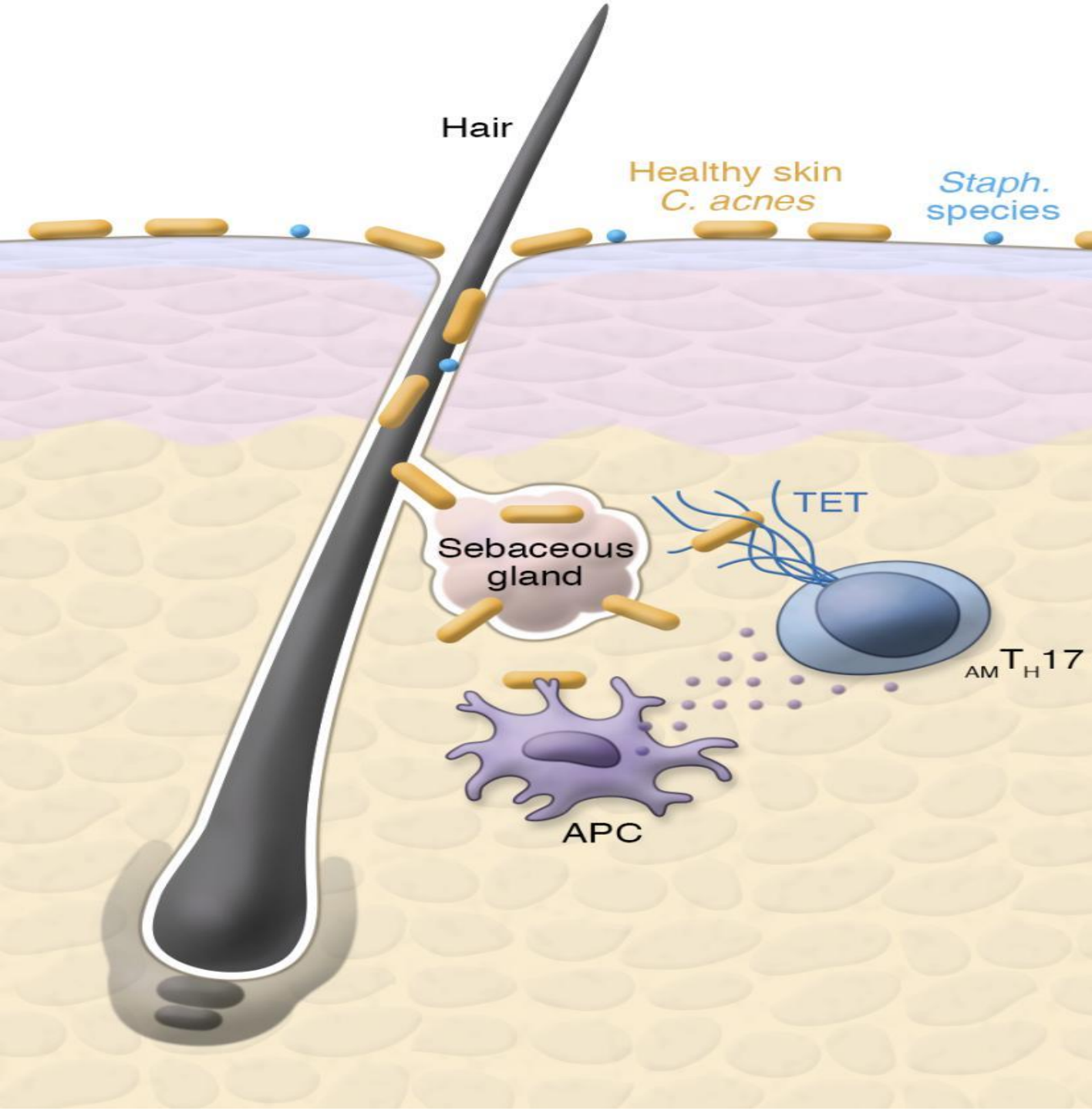


Persistent Fever (ACTIVE CAUSES)

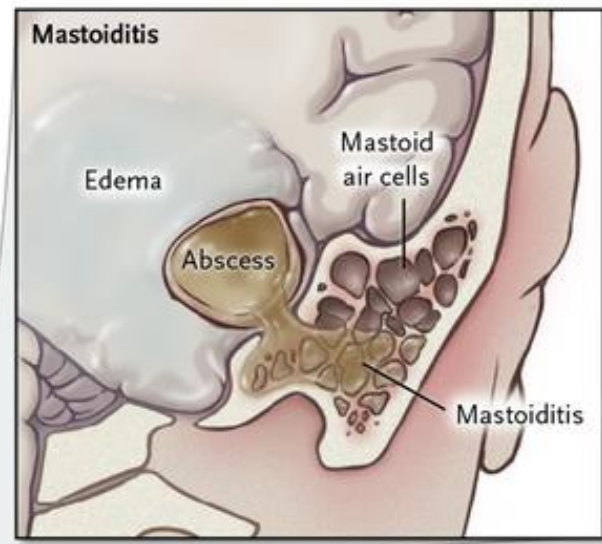
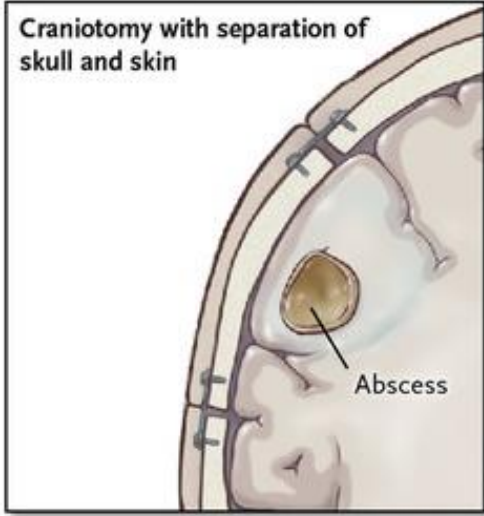
- Abscess
- Cancer
- TB
- Inflammatory
- Viral
- Vector borne
- Endocarditis



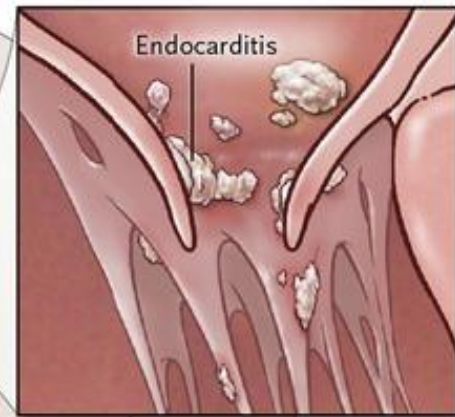
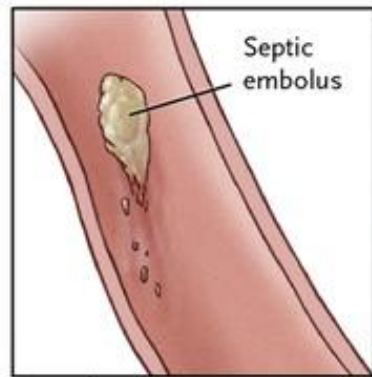


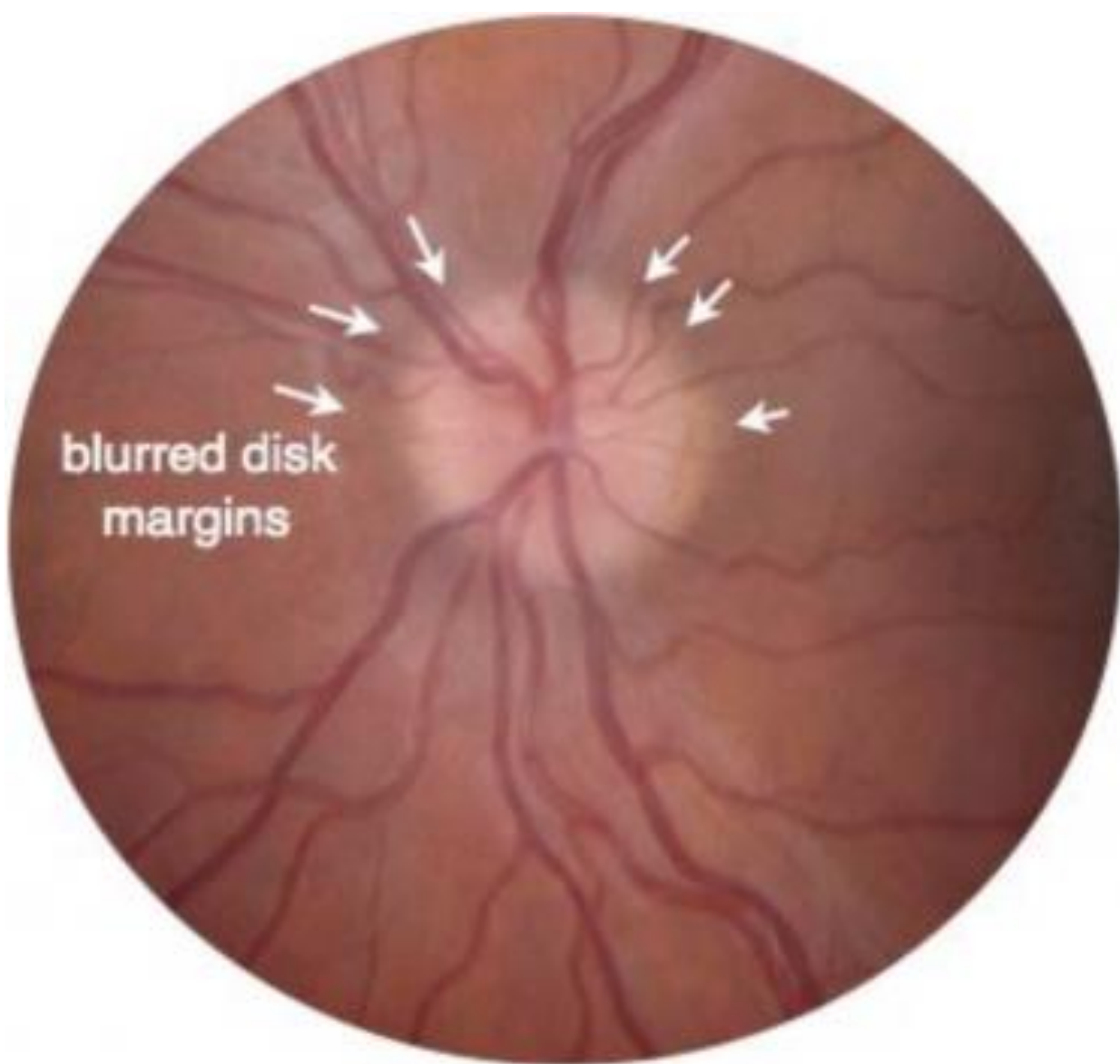


A Sources of abscess formation

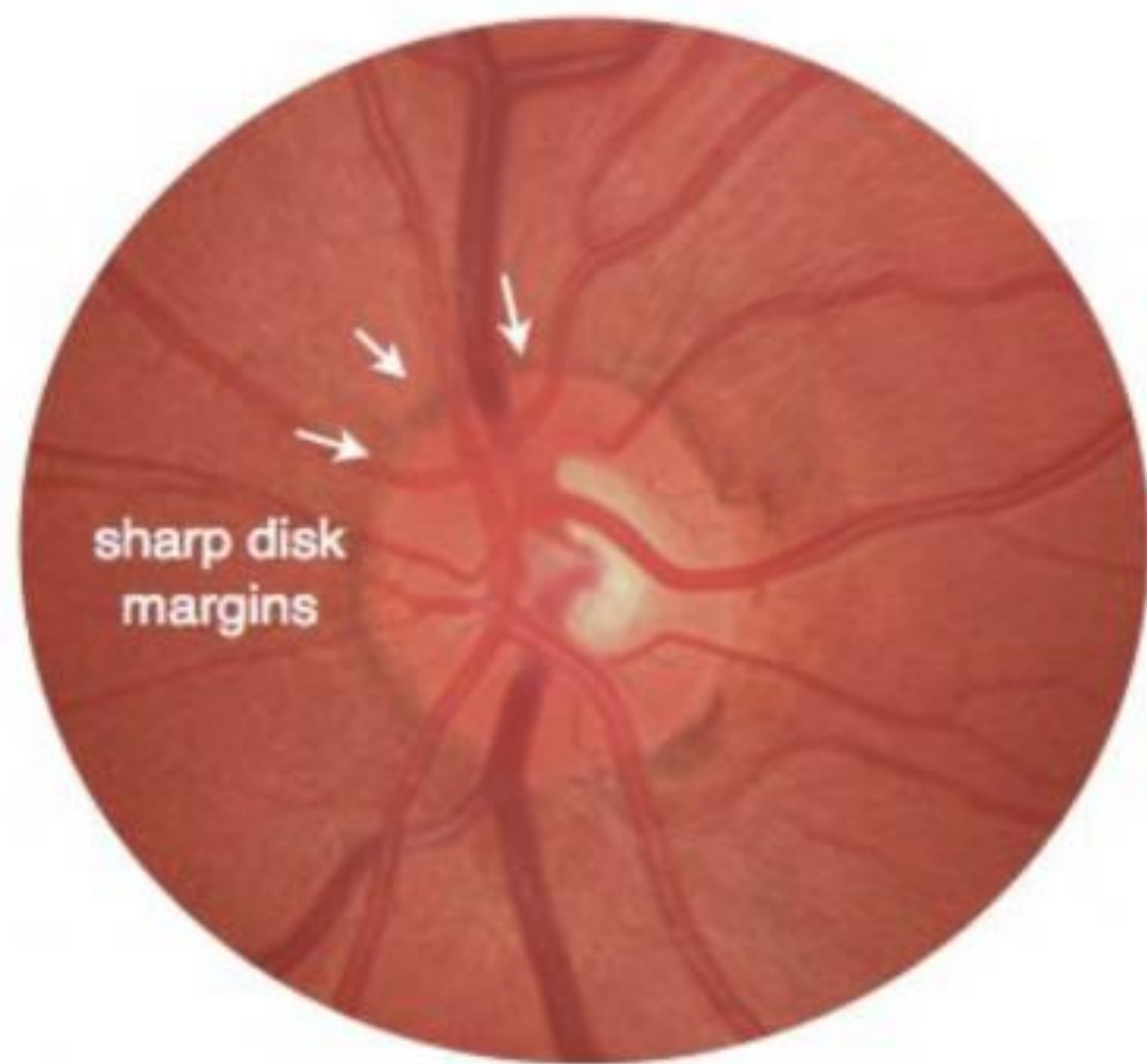


Hematogenous spread





Papilledema



Normal Optic Disk



SPARKS

- Persistent fever (>2wks) needs a work up for ACTIVE causes:
 - Abscess, Cancer, TB, Inflammatory, Viral, Vector-borne, Endocarditis
- Abscess treatment = source control +/- antibiotics