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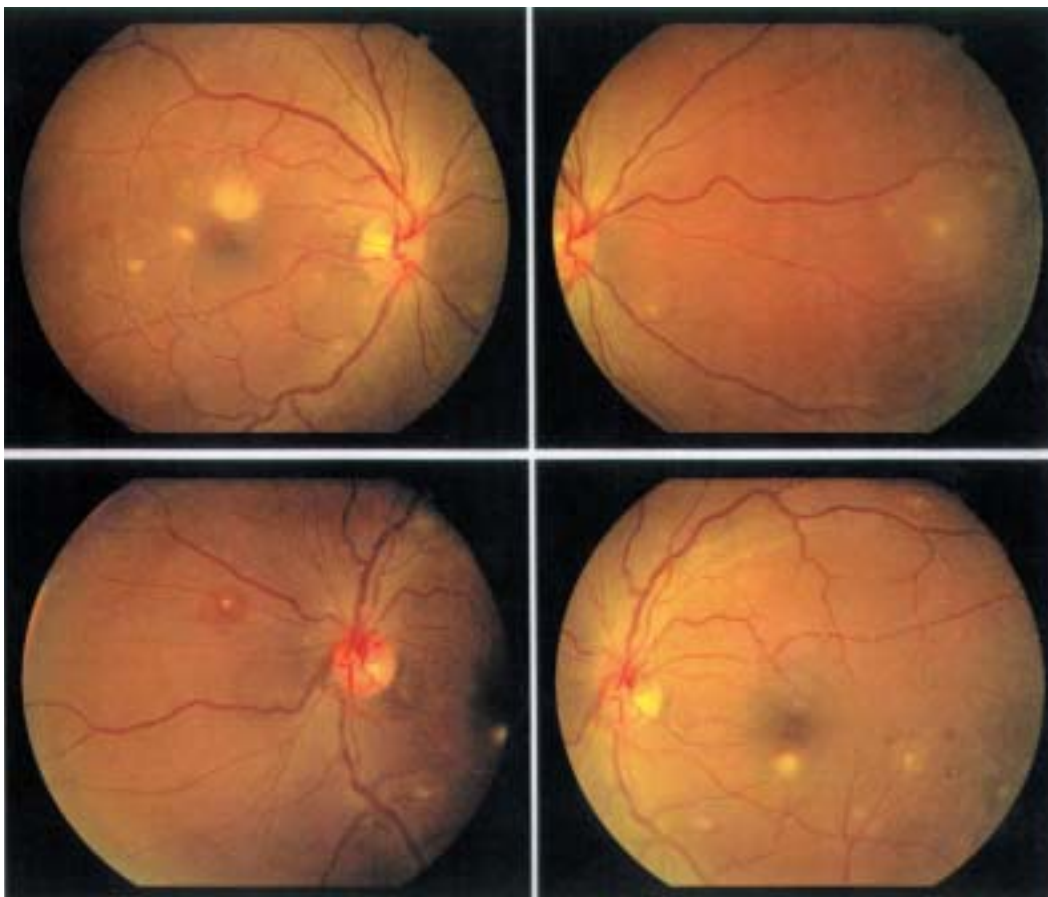
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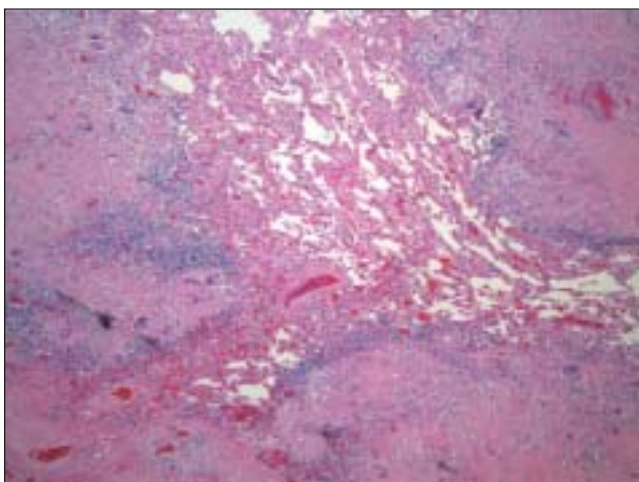
Submitted by Carl D. Mele, MD



Mr. R.T. was a 49 year old male with recurrent Hepatitis C infection after orthotopic liver transplant, who presented with complications related to hemorrhagic pancreatitis. While on long term total parenteral nutrition, he developed blurry vision and *Candida albicans* fungemia. A fundus photograph revealed fungal endophthalmitis with focal areas of chorioretinitis. His vision improved significantly with serial intravitreal antifungal injections.

Histology Slide

Submitted by John Farber, MD, Department of Pathology



A 45 year old Black female without significant past medical history was admitted with insidious cough, dyspnea, nausea, vomiting, and progressive weight loss. She suddenly went into respiratory distress and succumbed to death. Autopsy subsequently showed widespread granulomatous disease. This slide of one of the lung lesions shows a noncaseating granulocyte with a fibrotic center surrounded by palisading histiocytes, consistent with a diagnosis of nodular sarcoidosis.