Lecture 1 Body's Response to Disease Margaret H. Birney PhD, RN

Part 4 Response of the Body to Injury
Acute and Chronic Tissue Injury

Factors Relating to Tissue Recovery from Acute Injury

- Magnitude of injury
- Duration of injury
- Location of injury
- Cell type injured
- Type of injury
 - Nutrient deficiency
 - Physical injury
 - Infectious injury
 - Chemical injury

Stages of Tissue Injury

- **★** Sublethal or reversible cell injury
 - Nuclear preservation
 - * Variable changes in the cytoplasm

Lethal Cell Injury

- * Acute or prolonged injury
- Cell energy system depleted
- Altered cell membrane permeability
- Cell nucleus destruction
- Cell membrane disruption
- Lysozomal autodigestion of necrotic cell

Celullar Changes Leading to Cell Death

normal

reversible changes

irreversible changes











swelling condensation condensation fragmentation of cytoplasm of cytoplasm of nucleus

and dissolution of nucleus; cell membrane rupture

Nuclear Changes in Cell Death



A=normal nucleus; B=pyknotic nucleus; C=karyorrhectic nucleus; D=karyolysis or autodigestion

O T	
Chronic Tissue Injury	
Forms of Chronic tissue Injury	
AtrophySenile	
DisusePressure	-
Endocrine	
Additional Forms of Chronic	
Tissue Injury	
*Fatty metamorphosis	
HyalinizationCalcification	
Brown atrophyHemosiderosis	



Hemosiderin Deposit