# Detection of *Helicobacter pylori* and Human Papilloma Virus in Laryngeal Papillomatosis of Patients in Rasul Akram in Tehran in 2011

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Laryngeal papillomatosis is the most common of benign laryngeal neoplasms, different factor may play role in incidence of laryngeal papiloma but Human papillomavirus and may be Helicocabacter Pylori one of the most important of them. Aim in this study is the presence of Helicobacter pylori and Human papillomavirus in laryngeal papilloma. Polymerase chain reaction was employed for detection of Helicobacter pylori and Human papillomavirus DNA from 41 biopsy samples of laryngeal papilloma. Three samples of 41 biopsy samples for the presence of HP DNA and 19 samples from 41 biopsy of patient for HPV DNA were positive. At this study we evaluate the role of Helicobacter pylori and human papillomavirus on laryngeal papilloma. The author found that although, Helicobacter pylori is no dominant agent in incidence of laryngeal papilloma but Human papillomavirus can be a dominant risk factor for development of it.

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Laryngeal papillomatosis (LP) is one of the most common of laryngeal tumor in the world. It is able to recurrence in patient especially in children so that it is also known as recurrent respiratory papillomatosis (RRP). It has been estimated that about 84% of laryngeal tumors that related to LP are benign, that some patients developed to some signs like asthma, croup and chronic bronchitis. Primary symptoms of LP is noisy breathing, chronic cough, difficult swallowing, snorting, snoring and breathing problems during sleep but occasionally convert to respiratory distress and air way obstruction<sup>1</sup>. Different rick factor are recognized for development of LP, Such as alcohol, smoking, Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) and Helicobacter pylori. In several studies, it has been revealed that HPV infection increased the risk of developing LP. HPV is a DNA virus that causes a variety of skin and mucous lesions including skin and vaginal wart and some cancers in oral cavity. Until now about 100 types of HPV were recognized, and of them, HPV 6, 11 is the most important cause of development of LP<sup>2-5</sup>. This is a hypothesis that Helicobacter pylori (HP) can be a primary factor to HPV for developing  $LP^{6-9}$ . HP is a motile, gram negative, catalase and oxidase positive bacteria that produce strong urease<sup>10</sup>. HP can increased

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proliferation and induce apoptosis cells, and through destruction of mucosal immunity can facilitate to exposure of laryngeal tissue to some carcinogen agents such as  $HPV^6$ . The CagA protein is a pathogenesis factor that can activate tyrosine kinase and can restructure host cell's skeleton<sup>11,12,13</sup>. Various methods have been used for detection of HP and  $HPV^{18,19}$ , because of the sensitivity and specificity of their methods is not the same, their results are different. The aim of this study was to investigate the effect of HP and HPV in development of LP individually or synergistically.

### MATERIALS AND METHODS

41 biopsy samples of patient with Laryngeal papillomatosis were collected in normal saline. All samples were stored at -80°C until they were used. phenol-chloroform method was employed for DNA extraction of both of *HP* and *HPV* from 41biopsy samples<sup>14</sup>. Extractracted DNA was diluted in final volume of 50 ml elution buffer. **PCR** 

*HP* DNA was detected by PCR assay using pair primers associated with the cagA gene: P1 5"'AAAATGGAAGCGAAAGCTCA"3' and P2 5"' CGGCTAGCACTTGCTCTACC at -3' (P1, sense nucleotides 1921-1941, P2 antisense nucleotides 2406-2426). PCR reaction were done in 25µl reaction contained the following: 0.5µl of the dNTP, 1µl of MgCL<sub>2</sub> (50 mM), 2.5µl PCR buffer, 0.2µl Taq DNA Polymerase (5U), 13.8µl of deionized water, 1µl of both of the primers (10pmol/µl), and 5µl template DNA. Temperature profile of PCR was comprised 5min for preancubation at 94°C, followed by 40 cycles of 30 sec at 94°C, 30 sec at 50°C and 40 sec at 72°C, final extension was performed for 5 min at 72°C. *HPV* DNA was detected by PCR assay using pair primers associated with the My 09:

5'-CGTCC(A/C)A(A/G)(A/G)GGA(A/T)ACTGATC - 3'

My11: 5' – GC(A/C)CAGGG(A/T)CTATAA(C/ T)AATGG - 3'. PCR reaction were done in 25µl reaction contained the following: 0.2µl of the dNTP, 1.5µl of MgCl<sub>2</sub> (50 mM) 2.5µl PCR buffer, 0.5µl Taq DNA Polymerase (5U), 18.3 µl of deionized water, 0.5µl of both primer, and 1ml template DNA. temperature profile of PCR for *HPV* was comprising 5min for preancubation at 95°C, followed by 35 cycle of 30 sec at 95°C, 30 sec at 55°C and 30 sec at 72°C, final extension was performed for 1 min at 72°C. the PCR product were isolated by 1.5% agarose gel electrophoresis, Then stained with ethidium bromide and therefore visualized by UV transluminator.

Number Male Female HP DNA HPV DNA HP&HPV DNA Positive of samples Positive Positive simultaneously 41 30 11 3 19 Zero(0) Positive test Positive test Lader 100 bp 10 11 12 13 14 15 Positive Control 450 bp Lader 100 bp Positive Control 505 bp Positive Control 505 bp

Table 1. The result of the PCR assay

Fig. 1. The result of PCR for samples HPV DNA

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Fig. 2. The results of PCR for cagA of HP

#### RESULTS

Amplification of DNA with PCR disclosed that of 41 biopsy samples, HP DNA was detected in 3 (%7.3) samples (Table 1). And HPV DNA was detected in 19(%46.34) samples (Fig. 1, 2). Moreover none of samples were not positive for both of HP and HPV infection.

#### CONCLUSION

HP and HPV infection was documented as risk factor for LP development. In several studies for HP detection from LP, various methods are employed. Urease assay is unreliable because it is not specific for HP and some bacteria such as some species of corynebacterium, streptococcus, proteus can show positive reaction as the same as HP. In serological diagnoses are used various kits that their sensitivity and specificity of them are different, so that the results of them are not the same<sup>16-19</sup>. For both of the HP and HPV agent, new molecular assay have been developed which included the PCR, Real-time PCR, Immonohisto chemical methods and test15, 18-20. Detection of DNA by PCR is method of rapid, reliable and more ever at this method there is no need to radioactive material or complex apparatuses. In this study, PCR reaction was employed for detection of HP and HPV DNA from 41 biopsy samples of laryngeal papillomatosis. 3 samples of 41 were positive for HP DNA and 19 samples of them were positive for HPV DNA. Several studies evaluated only one of the HP or HPV DNA from LP<sup>16-20</sup>. In a study, Dr. Paul Diclas analysed 27 cases of Laryngeal Papilloma for the genome of HPV6, 11, 16, 18 by slot-blot hybridization, that finally 48% from samples was positive about HPV11 and 11% of samples was positive for HPV6, 11, 16 simultaneously<sup>2</sup>, at the same project Nicollas showed a co-infection with HPV6, 11 in the 11 year old girl with laryngeal papillomatosis by real-time PCR<sup>3</sup>. But about HP, Alititiz research the presence of HP DNA in normal tissue and squamous cell carcinoma (SCC) of larynx by PCR that their results showed that HP can play a role in SCC of larynx<sup>6</sup>, or at the other study Xian-Lu indicated that HP can be a risk factor for neoplasm of larynx<sup>22</sup>. In conclusion in our study we find that, HP has no potential role in incidence of LP but HPV can play

a role in occurrence or accelerate incidence of LP. But HP with destruction of mucosal immunity can facilitate to exposure of laryngeal tissue to some carcinogen agents such as  $HPV^6$  however it is need to more epidemiological and molecular study for better and more reliable result.

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