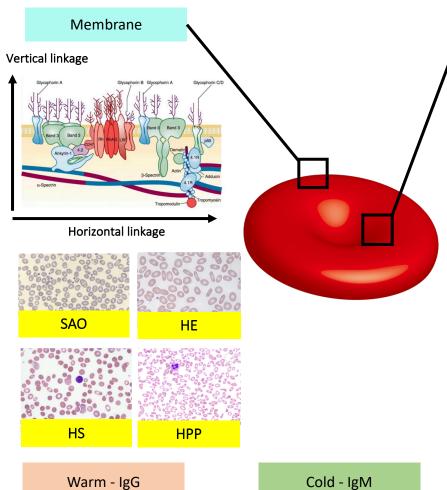






# Easy Tips to Manage Hemolytic Anemia





### Internal

## Hemoglobinopathy



Target cell Hb typing Genetic analysis

### Enzymopathy



Hb leakage cell G6PD level



Echinocyte cell PK level

# **Environment**

Thrombotic Microangiopathy

Prosthetic Valve

Kasabach-Merritt Syndrome

## **Tips**

- Treatment depends on cause and severity of hemolysis
- Steroid: Pred 2 MKDay for mild tp moderate disease
- Methylpred 1 Mkdose q 8 hr for 3 days for severe disease or pulse **HD** treatment
- "Most compatible blood" is given only in pt. with CV compromise
- Chronic disease patient needs vitamin B and folate supplement

# Warm - IgG



# Warm Antibody AIHA

Typically associated with IgG autoantibodies - 60-70% of cases

Presentation

Extra>Intravascular Hemolysis

**Cold Agglutinin Disease** 

Typically associated with IgM autoantibodies – 13-15% of cases

DAT: IgG

Dx

DAT: C3b

Autoimmune, Infection

Extravascular Hemolysis

Cause

Infection

Glucocorticoids Rituximab, Splenectomy Rx underlying disease

Treatment

Rituximab

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