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Severe lymphedema mass of the right forearm

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Figure 1: Lymphedema of the right forearm



Figure 2: Lymphedema of the right forearm2

Description

Lymphedema can be divided into primary and secondary lymphedema depending on the underlying cause. It is a common instance often seen after breast surgery with resulting lymphedema of the adjacent upper extremity. Here we present an astonishing case of 56 year old women who presented with a massive lymphedema mass in the right forearm which had chronically increased in size post chemotherapy treatment for right sided breast cancer and mastectomy of the same breast 20 years ago.