

**Table III.** Previously reported cases of localized injection-site toxic erythema of chemotherapy (TEC) (localized epidermal necrolysis; EN) available in the literature

Reference	Cases, n	Description	Involved cytostatic therapy	Onset time	Location	Clinical appearance	Histopathology	Resolution/Other
Chan and Lin (15).	1	Serpentine supravenous pigmentation	Doxorubicin + cyclophosphamide + 5-FU	1 day	Left arm	EM	Hyperkeratotic epidermis, vacuolization of the basal layer, necrotic keratinocytes, and lymphocytic infiltrate (often perivascular)	Resolution in 4 months. Erythematous phase preceding hyperpigmentation.
Ghosh et al. (12).	1	Docetaxel-induced supravenous serpentine dermatitis	Docetaxel	1 day	Right arm	PSE	Basket-weave pattern of hyperkeratosis, spongiosis with lymphocytic and neutrophilic exocytosis, irregular acanthosis, focal basal cell degeneration, upper dermal band-like as well as perivascular lympho-mononuclear infiltrates, and papillary dermal oedema	Practically solved in 4 weeks with mometasone furoate cream tid.
Aydogan (S1)	1	Persistent serpentine supravenous hyperpigmented eruption	Cisplatin + gemcitabine + Docetaxel	2 days	Right arm	PSE	Hyperkeratosis, vacuolization of the basal Resolution in 6 months	
Rao and Balachandran (S2)	1	Persistent supravenous eruption	Bortezomib + CHOP	8 hours	Right arm, Left arm	PSE	Interface dermatitis with isolated necrotic keratinocytes, oedema of the underlying papillary dermis, and a superficial perivascular inflammatory infiltrate	
Mataix et al. (S3)	1	Persistent supravenous erythematous eruption	5-FU	4 days	Both arms	PSE	Interface dermatitis with vacuolization of the basal cells and necrotic keratinocytes.	Residual pigmentation
Vukelja et al. (S4)	1	Serpentine supravenous pigmentation	5-FU + Oxaliplatin	1 day	Right arm	PSE	Interface dermatitis with vacuolization of the basal cells and necrotic keratinocytes.	Gradual vanishing in 3 months
Arias et al. (8)	1	EM-like	Vinblastin	1 day	Forearm	EM	–	Scaliness in 1 week.
Nigro and Hsu (S5)	1	Supravenous serpentine scaling	Actinomycin D + Vincristine	7 days	Arm	PSE	Vacuolization, lymphocytoclastic vasculitis	Persistent at 5 months
Chen et al. (S6)	2	Linear supravenous papules	Bromodeoxyuridine	NR	2 days	Forearm	PSE	NR
Zimmerman et al. (S7)	3	Isolated erythrodysthesia lesion	Docetaxel	1, 2, 3	NR	Forearm	FDE	Peeling in 1 week
Fine and Breathnach (S8)	3	Local reactions	Paclitaxel	–	–	PSE	–	–
Hirai et al. (S9)	1	EM-like	Docetaxel	1	7 days	Forearm	EM	Ulceration
Dorr and Jones (S10).	4	Absent infiltration	Vindesine	NR	1 days	Both hands	FDE	Peeling in 2 weeks
Spencer (S11)	1	EM-like	Mitomycin + 5-FU	3	1 days	Both forearms	EM	
Koehn and Balizet (S12)	1	Local cutaneous reaction	Dacarbazine	4	1 days	Forearm	EM	Basal vacuolar degeneration, necrotic keratinocytes
Misery et al. (S13)	1	Local EN	Vinorelbine	2	2 days	Forearm	EM	Basal vacuolar degeneration, necrotic keratinocytes
Chu et al. (10).	4	Located erythrodysthesia	Docetaxel	1,2,3	7–14 days	Forearm – hand's dorsum	FDE (3) PSE (1)	Peeling in 3 weeks
Correia et al. (S14)	2	Located erythrodysthesia	Docetaxel	NR	5–8 days	Forearm	–	Residual pigmentation.
Suvriya et al. (S15)	1	Persistent supravenous hyperpigmented eruption	5-FU	1 (left forearm) 2 (right forearm)	2 days	Both forearms	PSE	Scaliness in 6 weeks
Das et al. (S16)	1	Supravenous serpentine dermatitis	Docetaxel	1	2 days	Lower limb	PSE	Significant decrease in hyperpigmentation at the end of fourth month
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**Table III. Contd.**

Reference	Cases, n	Description	Involved cytostatic cycle	Chemo-therapy time	Onset	Location	Clinical appearance	Histopathology	Resolution/Other
Akyurek et al. (S17)	1	Serpentine supravenous hyperpigmentation	Carboplatin +Vinorelbine	1	14 days	Left forearm	PSE	Loss of superficial epidermis, perivascular Amelioration of erythematous and bullous lesions within a few days. Hyperpigmented tracts remained	
Jamalpur et al. (S18)	1	Serpentine supravenous hyperpigmentation	Docetaxel	–	7 days	Right forearm	PSE	–	–

EM: erythema multiforme; PSE: persistent serpentine supravenous hyperpigmentation/eruption; FDE: fixed drug eruption; 5-FU: 5-fluorouracil; CHOP: cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin hydrochloride, vincristine and prednisone; NR: not reported.

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