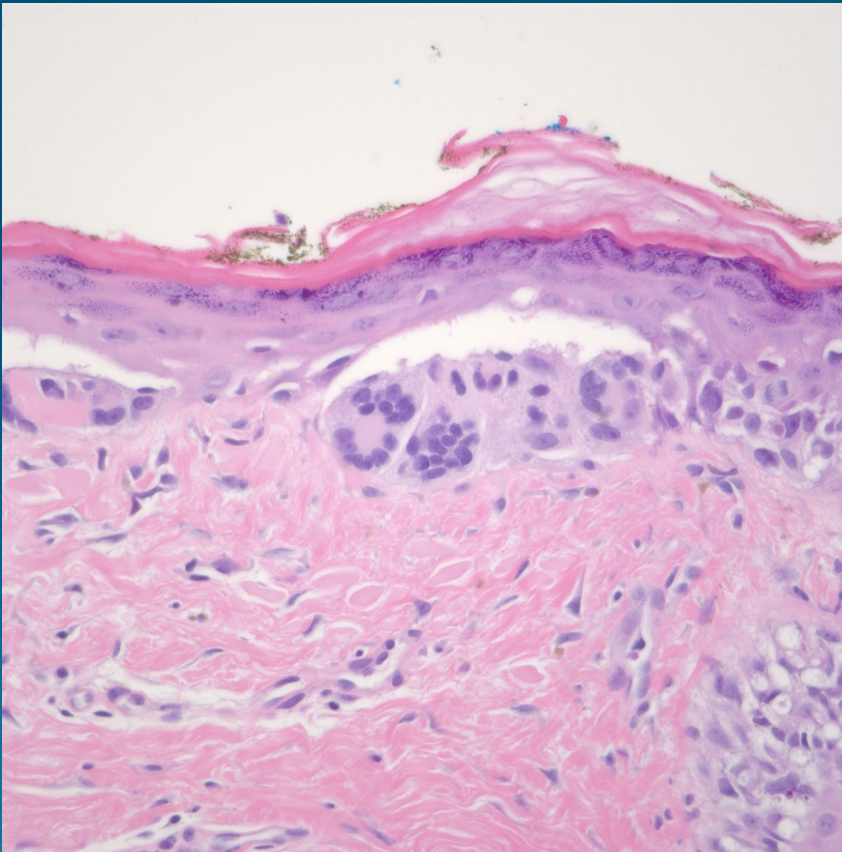


Malignant Melanoma in Situ (Lentigo Maligna)

Pearls



- Cytologically atypical junctional melanocytes arising on sun damaged skin with extension along adnexal epithelium
- May see “starburst giant cells” which are multinucleated melanocytes, helpful for confirmation
- JAAD 1996;35:962-968