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DIAGNOSIS: "DERMOID" CYST OF THE TESTIS.

CLINICAL HISTORY: M/22, At a routine medical examination for insurance purposes, an asymptomatic lump was found in the right testis. The possibility of a teratoma was entertained and orchidectomy was performed.

MACROSCOPIC: In the upper pole of the body of an otherwise normal testis, lies a round, pale well circumscribed lesion. This cyst is about 2cm in diameter and the contents are somewhat gelatinous with the suggestion of a laminar pattern.

MICROSCOPIC: The cyst has a thick fibrous wall in which are areas of calcification. No surviving epithelium is to be seen but the contents can be clearly recognised as keratin. The surrounding testis is normal. This lesion might well represent a one-sided development of a teratoma.

