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Dermatoscopy: A multicolored lesion on the forehead

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The patient

A 48-year-old man presented with a two-year-history of a slowly growing pigmented lesion on his forehead. Dermatological examination revealed an irregular, multi-colored papule with a diameter of 25 x 26 mm (Figure 1). Dermatoscopic examination disclosed blue-gray globules, leaf-like structures and structureless areas (Figures 2, 3).



Figure 1. Pigmented lesion on forehead. [Copyright: ©2014 Senel.]



Figures 2, 3. Dermatoscopy: blue-gray globules, leaf-like structures and structureless areas. [Copyright: ©2014 Senel.



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