



ECVP/ESVP Summer School in Veterinary Pathology



Marie Curie Training Courses

Summer School 2004 – Non-Human Primates Case 10

Case No. 10	Organ: liver, small intestine
Species: Squirrel monkey (<i>Saimiri sciureus</i>)	male, adult
<u>Case history:</u> Several animals of a zoo colony died: some with diarrhoea, other animals sudden death	
<u>Gross pathology:</u> severe erosive haemorrhagic gastritis and enteritis, hyperplasia of mesenterial lymph nodes, multiple necrotic foci in liver and spleen, ascites,	
<u>Microscopical description:</u> bacterial colonies	
<u>Pathohistological diagnosis:</u> enteritis, hepatitis, splenitis: acute, necrotising, severe	
<u>Aetiology/Comment:</u> Yersinia pseudotuberculosis	

