MNEMONIC MONDAY

"GIMME TO YOUR LEDER"

GIEMSA

TOLUIDINE BLUE

LEDER



Derm In-Review

THIS MNEMONIC REFERS TO
STAINS FOR MAST CELLS.
REMEMBER "RUB ME AND TAKE
ME TO YOUR LEDER" AS A
MNEMONIC TO REMEMBER THAT
LEDER STAIN STILL WORKS AFTER
DARIER'S SIGN IS INDUCED
(AFTER DE-GRANULATION OF
MAST CELLS).

Side note: Not all stains are included here. Ex: tryptase and c-kit would also stain masts cells, but <u>are less</u> commonly used in clinical practice.

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