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**Most Common Terms
In Medical Field**

1. Most common aortic branch involved in Takayasu arteritis : Left subclavian
2. Most common cause of respiratory distress in newborn : Transient tachypnea of the newborn
3. Most common location to see Asbestosis sequale : Posterior lower lobes.
4. Most common karyotype / chromosomal abnormality in USA : Down's syndrome
5. Most common osseous lymphoma, primary and secondary : Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma
6. Most common primary malignant orbital tumor in childhood : Rhabdomyosarcoma
7. Most common type of fluid collection in scrotum : Hydrocele
8. Most common type of liposarcoma to affect children : Myxoid liposarcoma
9. Most common abdominal emergency of early childhood : Intussusception.
10. Most common acetabular fracture : Posterior acetabulum.
11. Most common affected bowel segment in TB : Ileocecal area.
12. Most common affected joint in gout : First MTP.
13. Most common AIDS-related neoplasm : Kaposi Sarcoma

27. Most common benign hepatic tumor during first 6 mo. of life : Infantile

Hemangioendothelioma

28. Most common benign intraconal tumor of the orbit in adults : Cavernous hemangiomas.

29. Most common benign masses caused by asbestos exposure : Atelectatic Asbestos Pseudotumor

30. Most common benign mesenchymal tumor of kidney : AML

31. Most common benign mucosal tumor of the esophagus : Papilloma

32. Most common benign nasopharyngeal tumor : Juvenile angiofibroma.

33. Most common benign orbital tumor in childhood : Dermoid Cyst of Orbit

34. Most common benign ovarian neoplasm in young and middle-aged women (<45 years) : Mature teratoma

35. Most common benign radiation-induced tumor of the musculoskeletal system : Osteochondroma

36. Most common benign rib lesion in an adult : Fibrous dysplasia.

37. Most common benign soft-tissue tumor of the foot : Plantar fibromatosis

38. Most common benign soft-tissue tumor of vascular origin : Hemangioma

64. Most common cause of a large pleural fluid collection in the newborn period : Chylothorax
65. Most common cause of acute renal failure in children requiring dialysis : HUS
66. Most common cause of acute testicular pain in postpubertal male : Acute epididymitis
67. Most common cause of acute testicular pain in prepubertal male : Torsion
68. Most common cause of AIDS cholangiopathy : Cryptosporidium
69. Most common cause of an echogenic renal mass in a 3-month-old : Mesoblastic nephroma.
70. Most common cause of an intraorbital mass lesion in adult : Pseudotumor of Orbit
71. Most common cause of AS in Western world : Degenerative disease
72. Most common cause of bilateral breast edema : CHF.
73. Most common cause of bilateral echogenic renal cortex : Chronic glomerulonephritis.
74. Most common cause of biliary obstruction : Choledocholithiasis
75. Most common cause of bleeding between menstrual cycles : Endometrial hyperplasia.
76. Most common cause of bronchopneumonia : Staphylococcal

51. Most common brain anomaly on prenatal sonograms : Isolated Mild Ventriculomegaly

52. Most common breast tumor under age 25 years : Fibroadenoma

53. Most common cardiac manifestation of Systemic Lupus Erythematosus : Pericarditis

54. Most common cardiac tumor in children : Rhabdomyoma.

55. Most common cardiac valvular tumor : Papillary fibroelastoma

56. Most common carpal dislocation : Transscaphoid perilunate dislocation.

57. Most common causative organism of acute pyogenic meningitis in adults : Strep. pneumoniae

58. Most common causative organism of neonatal pyogenic meningitis : E. coli

59. Most common cause for failure of dialysis graft : Fibrointimal hyperplasia : venous outflow stenosis.

60. Most common cause for late failure in lung transplant patient : Bronchiolitis obliterans

61. Most common cause for pulmonary edema : Left-sided heart disease

62. Most common cause non iatrogenic cause of small bowel obstruction : Hernia

63. Most common cause of a large choroid plexus cyst : Trisomy 18.

39. Most common benign solid tumor in women of childbearing age : Fibroadenoma

40. Most common benign testicular mass : Simple cyst

41. Most common benign tumor of spleen : Hemangioma

42. Most common benign tumor of the larynx : Squamous papilloma

43. Most common benign tumor of the lung : Hamartoma

44. Most common benign tumor of the small bowel : GIST

45. Most common benign vascular gastric tumor : Glomus tumor of stomach.

46. Most common bilateral testicular tumor : Lymphoma

47. Most common biliary complication s/p lap. cholecystectomy : Bile duct leak from cystic duct stump.

48. Most common biliary complication s/p liver transplantation : Obstruction/stenosis at anastomosis.

49. Most common bladder neoplasm in children younger than 10 years : Rhabdomyosarcoma

50. Most common bone to develop an osteochondroma : Femur (tibia second most common)

113. Most common cause of hepatic calcifications : Infection

114. Most common cause of hydronephrosis in the newborn male : Ureteropelvic junction

115. Most common cause of hyperreflexive bladder : Spinal cord trauma

116. Most common cause of increased nuchal thickness : Downs syndrome

117. Most common cause of interstitial and airspace edema : CHF

118. Most common cause of intradiaphragmatic cyst : Extralobar sequestration

119. Most common cause of intraventricular hemorrhage : Disruption of the subependymal veins

120. Most common cause of intussusception in children >6 years : Lymphoma

121. Most common cause of large spherical pancreatic calcifications in children : Hereditary pancreatitis

122. Most common cause of left atrial dilatation : Mitral regurgitation.

123. Most common cause of leukokoria : Retinoblastoma.

124. Most common cause of liver metastasis : Colon.

125. Most common cause of lower extremity venous valve dysfunction : DVT.

126. Most common cause of lower GI bleeding : Diverticulosis.

127. Most common cause of malignancy of men in the world -- Bronchogenic Carcinoma

128. Most common cause of maternal peripartum death : Amniotic fluid embolism

129. Most common cause of membranous croup : Staph. Aureus.

130. Most common cause of microcolon: Meconium ileus.

131. Most common cause of mortality in ulcerative colitis : Toxic megacolon.

132. Most common cause of necrolytic migrating erythema : Glucagonoma

133. Most common cause of neonatal nasal obstruction : Choanal atresia.

134. Most common cause of Neonatal Pneumonia : Group B streptococcus.

135. Most common cause of neonatal respiratory distress in full term/postmature infants - Meconium aspiration

136. Most common cause of nephrocalcinosis in adults : Primary hyperparathyroidism

137. Most common cause of non-immune hydrops in USA : Cardiac anomaly

138. Most common cause of optic nerve enlargement : Optic nerve glioma
139. Most common cause of orbital calcifications : Retinoblastoma
140. Most common cause of orbital infection : Paranasal sinusitis
141. Most common cause of osteoblastic bone metastases in an adult female : Breast cancer
142. Most common cause of osteoblastic bone metastases in an adult male : Prostate cancer
143. Most common cause of osteolytic bone metastases in a child : Neuroblastoma
144. Most common cause of osteolytic bone metastases in an adult female : Breast cancer
145. Most common cause of osteolytic bone metastases in an adult male : Lung cancer
146. Most common cause of Osteomyelitis of spine : Penetrating direct trauma
147. Most common cause of pancreatic lipomatosis in children : CF
148. Most common cause of pleural eosinophilia : Air in the pleural space
149. Most common cause of pneumoperitoneum : Ruptured duodenal ulcer.
150. Most common cause of postpartum fever : Endometritis.

164. Most common cause of sudden cardiac death among young people Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM)

165. Most common cause of SVC syndrome :
Bronchogenic carcinoma

166. Most common cause of testicular swelling
: Hydrocele

167. Most common cause of the pulmonary-renal syndrome : Microscopic polyangitis.

168. Most common cause of the stripe sign on V/Q scan : COPD

169. Most common cause of thoracic outlet syndrome : Scalene anticus.

170. Most common cause of toxic mega colon :
Pseudomembranous colitis.

171. Most common cause of tree in bud appearance on CT : Bronchiolitis

172. Most common cause of tricuspid stenosis :
Rheumatic heart disease

173. Most common cause of unilateral diaphragmatic paralysis : Malignant invasion

174. Most common cause of unilateral nonperfused lung on V/Q scan : Bronchogenic carcinoma

175. Most common cause of unilateral pulmonary edema : Prolonged unilateral dependent positioning

152. Most common cause of pseudoureterocele : Bladder tumor
153. Most common cause of pulmonary hypoplasia : Diaphragmatic hernia
154. Most common cause of pulmonary tumor embolus : Gastric carcinoma
155. Most common cause of recurrent hip disloc. s/p hip arthroplasty : Acetabular component malposition
156. Most common cause of reflux in child w/ non-duplicated collecting system : Short intramural ureter.
157. Most common cause of renal vein thrombosis in adults : Nephrotic syndrome
158. Most common cause of restrictive cardiomyopathy : Amyloid
159. Most common cause of round pneumonia in children : Streptococcus.
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161. Most common cause of small bowel obstruction : Adhesions
162. Most common cause of squamous cell ca. in the renal pelvis : Chronic Infected stag horn calculus
163. Most common cause of stridor in neonate and young infant : Laryngomalacia

189. Most common colonic site for lymphoma :
Cecum
190. Most common complication of ERCP :
Pancreatitis
191. Most common complication of popliteal artery aneurysm : Distal ischemia (thrombosis/embolism)
192. Most common complication with IVC filters : DVT.
193. Most common component of mixed germ cell tumors : Embryonal Cell Carcinoma
194. Most common congenital abnormality of GI tract : Meckel's diverticulum
195. Most common congenital anomaly of CNS in live births : Myelomeningocele
196. Most common congenital defect of CNS : Anencephaly.
197. Most common congenital head and neck cyst in a child : Thornwaldt cyst
198. Most common congenital heart disease : Bicuspid aortic valve.
199. Most common congenital intracranial tumor : Epidermoid or inclusion cyst
200. Most common congenital lesion of bile ducts : Choledochal Cyst
201. Most common congenital skeletal dysplasia : Achondroplasia.

202. Most common congenital solid tumor in the newborn : Sacrococcygeal Teratoma (1:40K live births)

203. Most common cranial nerve affected by a pituitary macroadenoma : CN VI.

204. Most common cranial nerve to be affected with schwannoma : VIII

205. Most common craniofacial malformation : Facial Clefting

206. Most common crystalline arthropathy : CPPD

207. Most common CT finding in bowel ischemia : Bowel wall thickening.

208. Most common cyanotic congenital heart malformation beyond neonatal period : TOF

209. Most common cyst of the jaw : Radicular cyst = Periapical cyst

210. Most common cystic lesion of prostate : Cystic degeneration of BPH

211. Most common cystic tumor of pancreas : Mucinous cystic neoplasm

212. Most common diffuse breast disorder : Fibrocystic disease of breast.

213. Most common diffuse gray matter degenerative disease : Alzheimer's

214. Most common dislocated auditory ossicle longitudinal temporal bone fracture : Incus

215. Most common dislocation in adult : Glenohumeral.

176. Most common cause of urinary obstruction in boys : posterior urethral valves
177. Most common cause of valvular heart disease in the United States : Degenerative
178. Most common cause of vascular ring : Double arch.
179. Most common cause of vertebra plana in children : EG
180. Most common cause requiring bronchial artery embolization : CF
181. Most common cause worldwide for cholangiocarcinoma : Clonorchis sinensis infestation
182. Most common cerebellar neoplasm in children : Medulloblastoma
183. Most common cerebral mass lesion in AIDS : Toxoplasmosis
184. Most common chest radiograph finding seen in pts with an acute PE : Atelectasis
185. Most common chest x-ray abnormality in the ICU : Atelectasis
186. Most common child abuse fracture : Diaphyseal fracture,
187. Most common collagen disorder for a pleural effusion : SLE
188. Most common colonic polyp : Hyperplastic polyp

228. Most common extragonadal site of primary germ cell tumors : Anterior mediastinum.
229. Most common extrapulmonary site of tuberculosis : Urinary tract
230. Most common fetal cardiac anomaly seen on 4 chamber view US : AV canal defect (aka ECD)
231. Most common fibromatosis in childhood : Infantile Myofibromatosis
232. Most common finding of a tubal pregnancy seen on US images Adnexal mass separate from ovary
233. Most common finding of contralateral kidney in MCKD : Reflux
234. Most common fluid collection seen in transplant patients : Lymphoceles.
235. Most common form of aortic stenosis : Valvular
236. Most common form of carpal instability : DISI
237. Most common form of emphysema in alpha-1 antitrypsin deficiency : Panlobular emphysema
238. Most common form of emphysema in nonsmokers : Panlobular emphysema
239. Most common form of emphysema in smokers : Centrilobular emphysema

252. Most common glial tumor in NF 1 : JPA.

253. Most common glial tumor with microcalcifications : Oligodendroglioma

254. Most common gynecologic neoplasm : Uterine Leiomyoma

255. Most common hereditary hypercoagulable condition : Factor V Leiden

256. Most common hereditary leukodystrophy : Metachromatic leukodystrophy

257. Most common histologic type of bronchogenic carcinoma associated with cavitation : Squamous

258. Most common histologic type of bronchogenic carcinoma associated with pancoast tumor : Squamous

259. Most common histologic type of bronchogenic carcinoma associated with pleural effusion : Adenocarcinoma

260. Most common histologic type of lung cancer associated with asbestosis exposure : BAC

261. Most common histologic type of primary cutaneous lymphoma : T-cell lymphoma

262. Most common ILD to be found in association with collagen vascular disease : NSIP

263. Most common indication for percutaneous vertebroplasty : Osteoporosis.

289. Most common location for a gastric diverticulum : Posterior wall of the gastric fundus.

290. Most common location for a pilocytic astrocytoma : Cerebellum

291. Most common location for a solitary myeloma of the bone : Thoracolumbar spine

292. Most common location for a synovial sarcoma : Knee

293. Most common location for a Tarlov cyst : Posterior rootlets of S2 + S3

294. Most common location for abdominal sarcoid involvement : Stomach

295. Most common location for atelectatic asbestos pseudotumor : Posteromedial & - lateral basal region of lower lobes

296. Most common location for chordomas : Sacral spine.

297. Most common location for gallbladder perforation : Fundus

298. Most common location for Sclerosing Osteomyelitis of Garré (sterile Osteomyelitis) : Mandible

299. Most common location for typhlitis : Cecum.

300. Most common location for well-differentiated liposarcoma : Thigh

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275. Most common intrathoracic fetal anomaly
: Congenital diaphragmatic Hernia
276. Most common intrathoracic foregut cyst
: Bronchogenic Cyst
277. Most common intrauterine CNS infection
: CMV
278. Most common intravascular venous tumor
: Leiomyosarcoma of IVC
279. Most common in-utero renal tumor :
Mesoblastic nephroma.
280. Most common invasive gynecologic malignancy : Endometrial malignancy
281. Most common islet cell tumor in MEN 1 :
Gastrinoma
282. Most common islet cell tumor of the
pancreas : Insulinoma.
283. Most common joint involved in synovial
osteochondromatosis : Knee
284. Most common lesion to cause expansion
of paranasal sinus : Mucocele
285. Most common lethal bone dysplasia :
Osteogenesis imperfecta type II ?
286. Most common liver tumor after
metastases : Hemangioma
287. Most common lobe affected in bronchial
atresia : Left upper lobe.
288. Most common location for a
cephalhematoma : Parietal

264. Most common infection to cause cerebellar hypoplasia & migration anomalies : CMV

265. Most common infratentorial neoplasm in an adult : Metastases

266. Most common inherited disease among Caucasian Americans : CF

267. Most common internal enhancement pattern in DCIS with non mass like enhancement : Clumped enhancement

268. Most common intracranial for site of teratomas : Pineal region.

269. Most common intracranial presentation of TB : Tuberculous meningitis.

270. Most common intramedullary spinal neoplasm in adults : Ependymoma of Spinal Cord

271. Most common intramedullary tumor in children : Astrocytoma

272. Most common intramedullary tumor of adults : Ependymoma.

273. Most common intraocular neoplasm in childhood : Retinoblastoma

274. Most common intraorbital tumors found in adults : Cavernous hemangiomas.

301. Most common location in biliary tree for cholangiocarcinoma : Upper third/perihilar region.

302. Most common location in the spine for an osteochondroma : Cervical (C2) followed by thoracic T8

303. Most common location of a meningioma in the spine : Thoracic spinal cord

304. Most common location of a periurethral diverticulum in a female : Posterolateral.

305. Most common location of an ectopic pregnancy : Ampullary region of the fallopian tube.

306. Most common location of benign and malignant masses in breast : Upper outer quadrant

307. Most common location of bronchogenic carcinoma : Right upper lobe

308. Most common location of coarctation : Postductal beyond the origin of the left subclavian artery.

309. Most common location of coronary calcifications : LAD.

310. Most common location of DAI : Frontotemporal gray-white matter junction.

311. Most common location of GIST : Stomach.

312. Most common location of GU obstruction in a neonatal male : Ureteropelvic junction.

313. Most common location of intracranial dissection : Vertebral arteries.
314. Most common location of intraorbital abscess : Subperiosteal space on medial wall.
315. Most common location of intraventricular meningioma : Atrium of the lateral ventricle.
316. Most common location of oligodendroglioma : Frontal lobe.
317. Most common location of pleomorphic xanthoastrocytoma : Temporal lobes.
318. Most common location of pulmonary sequestration : Posterior medial lower.
319. Most common location of PVNS : Knee.
320. Most common location of sarcoidosis in spinal cord : Cervical.
321. Most common location of the biliary embryonal Rhabdomyosarcoma : CBD
322. Most common location of triquetral fracture is dorsal avulsion
323. Most common location to find a lithopedion : Adnexae
324. Most common location to see intravertebral vacuum phenomenon (Kümmell Disease) : Thoracolumbar junction
325. Most common lung infection in HIV : Bacterial pneumonia
326. Most common lung mass : Granuloma

362. Most common missed type of breast cancer on mammography : Infiltrating/ Invasive Lobular Carcinoma.
363. Most common mitral valve abnormality in the Western world : Non-rheumatic mitral valve disease.
364. Most common monodermal teratoma : Struma ovarii.
365. Most common motor neuron disease : ALS.
366. Most common MR imaging finding in DCIS : Non-masslike enhancement.
367. Most common mycotic pneumonia in an AIDS patient : Cryptococcus.
368. Most common natural outcome of the VSD : Spontaneous complete closure.
369. Most common neonatal cyanotic congenital heart malformation : TGV
370. Most common neonatal lesion of adrenal gland : Nontraumatic Adrenal Hemorrhage.
371. Most common neoplasm of conus medullaris : Myxopapillary Ependymoma of Spinal Cord.
372. Most common neoplasm of internal auditory canal / cerebellopontine angle : Vestibular Schwannoma.
373. Most common neoplasm of the gastrointestinal tract in patients with NF1: Neurofibromas.

350. Most common manifestation of asbestos-related pleural disease : Pleural effusion

351. Most common manifestation of blunt chest trauma : Pulmonary contusion

352. Most common mass lesion of the cerebellopontine angle after acoustic schwannoma : Meningioma

353. Most common mediastinal germ cell tumor : Seminoma.

354. Most common mediastinal mass in a child between the ages of 6 & 12 years old : Lymphoma

355. Most common mediastinal neurogenic tumor : Schwannoma

356. Most common mesenchymal origin neoplasm of GI tract : GIST

357. Most common metabolic liver disease in children : Hepatic cirrhosis in homozygous alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency

358. Most common metastases to the spleen : Breast carcinoma

359. Most common metastasis to the heart : Melanoma

360. Most common metastatic cause of linitis plastica : Breast carcinoma

361. Most common metatarsal to have a stress fracture : Second metatarsal.

327. Most common lysosomal storage disorder : Gaucher's disease

328. Most common malformation associated with callosal agenesis : Dandy-Walker malformation.

329. Most common malignancy of childhood : Leukemia.

330. Most common malignancy of parotid gland in adult : Mucoepidermoid carcinoma.

331. Most common malignant abdominal neoplasm in children 1-8 years old : Wilms Tumor.

332. Most common malignant bone tumor in children : Ewings

333. Most common malignant cause of bilateral global renal enlargement : Lymphoma.

334. Most common malignant neoplasm of diaphragm : Fibrosarcoma.

335. Most common malignant neoplasm of the spleen : Lymphoma.

336. Most common malignant ovarian neoplasm : Serous adenocarcinoma.

337. Most common malignant ovarian neoplasm : Serous cystadenocarcinoma.

338. Most common malignant primary bone tumor in young adults + children : Osteosarcoma

470. Most common systemic allergic hypersensitivity-related acute small-vessel vasculitis in children : HSP

471. Most common systemic fungal infection in immunocompromised patients : Candidiasis Of Liver

472. Most common tarsal bone to get fractured : Calcaneus

473. Most common tarsal coalition : Talocalcaneal

474. Most common testicular tumor in a young boy : Yolk sac tumor

475. Most common tibial plateau fractures : Lateral tibial plateau (Schatzker classification type I-III)

476. Most common trigonal intraventricular mass in adulthood : Meningioma

477. Most common tumor of adenohypophysis : Pituitary Adenoma

478. Most common tumor of genitourinary tract : Metachronous TCC

479. Most common tumor of the appendix : Carcinoid

480. Most common tumor of the esophagus : Leiomyomas

481. Most common tumor of the minor salivary glands : Adenoid Cystic Carcinoma

457. Most common solid extracranial tumor of childhood : Neuroblastoma

458. Most common spermatic cord tumor : Lipoma

459. Most common spinal cord segment of lymphoma of spinal cord : Cervical

460. Most common spinal cord tumor : Ependymoma

461. Most common spinal location for cord astrocytoma : Thoracic

462. Most common spinal location for cord ependymoma : Cervical

463. Most common subcortical degenerative disease : Parkinson's

464. Most common subglottic soft-tissue upper resp. tract obstructing mass in neonates : Subglottic Hemangioma

465. Most common submucosal tumor in colon : Lipoma

466. Most common subtype of NHL involving the esophagus : Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma

467. Most common subtype of renal cell carcinoma : Clear cell adenocarcinomas

468. Most common suprasellar mass : Craniopharyngioma

469. Most common syndromic islet cell tumor : Insulinoma

482. Most common type of abdominal wall hernia : Inguinal hernia

483. Most common type of ASD : Ostium secundum

484. Most common type of brain herniation : anterior / uncal transtentorial

485. Most common type of brain herniation : Subfalcine herniation

486. Most common type of C2 fractures : Type 2

487. Most common type of cancer to arise from a thyroglossal duct cyst : Papillary carcinoma

488. Most common type of cardiomyopathy : Dilated cardiomyopathy

489. Most common type of choledochal cyst : fusiform dilatation of the extrahepatic duct
Type 1c

490. Most common type of congenital internal hernia : Left paraduodenal hernia

491. Most common type of encephalocele in SE Asia : Sincipital Encephalocele

492. Most common type of encephalocele in US : Occipital Encephalocele

493. Most common type of endoleak in the abdominal aorta : Type II endoleak

494. Most common type of endoleak in the thoracic aorta : Type I endoleak

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494. Most common type of endoleak in the thoracic aorta : Type I endoleak

495. Most common type of fracture of the proximal 5th metatarsal bone : Peroneus brevis avulsion fracture.

496. Most common type of gallbladder inflammation : Chronic cholecystitis

497. Most common type of internal hernia : Postoperative, transmesenteric hernias.

498. Most common type of intrapulmonary involvement of Hodgkins disease : Bronchovascular form.

499. Most common type of liver abscess : Pyogenic Liver Abscess

500. Most common type of lymphoma involving the head and neck region : Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma