

MORPHOLOGIC PECULIARITIES OF BRONCHIAL MUCOUS MEMBRANE IN PATIENTS WITH PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS COMBINED WITH CHRONIC BRONCHITIS

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Summary

There were studied the peculiarities of bronchial mucous membrane of 44 patients with pulmonary tuberculosis combined with chronic bronchitis and 39 patients with a pulmonary tuberculosis alone, using histological and histochemical methods, and morphometry. It was established that the nature of pathologic changes in the bronchial mucous membrane of patients with pulmonary tuberculosis combined with chronic bronchitis was enhanced by the aggravation of a specific process and depended on the morphologic form of a non-specific lesion of the bronchi.