What is the best diagnosis?

A. Scabies
B. Leishmaniasis
C. Histoplasmosis
D. Candida
E. Dermatophyte
Dermatophyte
(Tinea capitis with endothrix infection)
PAS stain
Pearls

- Dermatophyte infections may mimic nearly all dermatitis patterns—must have high degree of suspicion in absence of clinical history
- Look in stratum corneum, hair follicle and hair shaft for fungal organisms
- Confirm with PAS or GMS stains