

Case 2 (January 19 2012): [N Engl J Med. 366\(3\):259-269](#)

Demographic: Female, 63 yrs, Not pregnant, North America

Clinical features extracted from the case and entered into the query box:

respiratory failure
chest wall mass
dyspnea on exertion
thrombocytopenia
large ecchymoses
non-productive cough
decreased oxygen saturation
alveolar haemorrhage
pulmonary infiltrates

Synonyms used by Isabel for the above query:

respiratory failure
dyspnea on exertion
thrombocytopenia
large ecchymoses
non productive cough
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STOP !

Before you read further you might want to construct your own:

- Complete differential diagnosis
- Final diagnosis

In the following section you will find:

- The final diagnosis of the case
- Did Isabel suggest the final diagnosis

Final Diagnosis of the case according to NEJM:

- (i) Angiosarcoma of the chest wall associated with a silicone breast implant
- (ii) Kasabach-Merritt syndrome
- (iii) Invasive pulmonary aspergillosis

Was the final diagnosis given by Isabel:

- Yes, (i) Lung neoplasms in Respiratory
- (ii) Kasabach-Merritt syndrome
- (iii) Invasive pulmonary aspergilliosis under Aspergilliosis in Infectious

Isabel Checklist Differential:

enter clinical features | synonyms

age*

gender female male

pregnancy

Refine search:

travel

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show me:

diagnoses

causative drugs

bioterrorist agents

Enter clinical features, no negatives, no numbers: ⓘ

respiratory failure	✕
chest wall mass	✕
dyspnea on exertion	✕
thrombocytopenia	✕
large ecchymoses	✕
non-productive cough	✕
decreased oxygen saturation	✕
alveolar hemorrhage	✕
pulmonary infiltrates	✕

+ add a clinical feature

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diagnoses | drugs

Results

sort by: most relevant | action: -select-

show: 10 / all ⓘ ⓘ

<input type="checkbox"/> Atypical Pneumonia	👤👤	? RESP
Pneumocystis Pneumonia	👤👤	
Kasabach-Merritt Syndromes	👤👤	? HEMAT
Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura	👤👤	? HEMAT
Viral Pneumonia	👤👤	? RESP
<input type="checkbox"/> Cytomegalovirus	👤👤	? INFEC
CMV Disease in the Immunocompromised Host	👤👤	
Bacterial Pneumonia	👤👤	? RESP
<input type="checkbox"/> Lung Neoplasms	👤👤	? RESP
Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer	👤👤	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pulmonary Thromboembolism	👤👤	? RESP
Pulmonary Embolism and Infarction	👤👤	
Churg-Strauss Syndrome	👤👤	? RHEUM
Histoplasmosis	👤👤	? INFEC
Pulmonary Edema	👤👤	? RESP
ARDS	👤👤	? RESP
<input type="checkbox"/> Aspergilliosis	👤👤	? INFEC
Pulmonary / Invasive Aspergilliosis	👤👤	
<input type="checkbox"/> Drug Induced Thrombocytopenia	👤👤	? HEMAT

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