

GS – ER Combined Meeting

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Patient Profile

- ▶ 77 y/o F 黃XX
- ▶ 101/02/xx 09:27
- ▶ Sent by 119
- ▶ T/P/R: 35.5/62/18 BP: 148/54 mmHg
SpO2: 100 %
- ▶ E2V1M4
- ▶ 檢傷主訴: 病人來診為低血糖
- ▶ Triage I

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History

- ▶ Conscious disturbance noted
- ▶ 最近常常低血糖，昨晚吃比較少
- ▶ DM s/p OHA treatment
- ▶ No fever
- ▶ EMT : F/S 30+ → 有給糖粉

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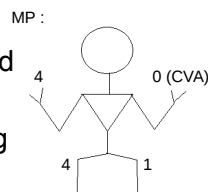
Past history

- ▶ DM
- ▶ HTN
- ▶ Old CVA with bed-ridden
- ▶ 96.01 L't femoral neck fx s/p OP
- ▶ 98.03 L't breast CA s/p OP T2N3M0, stage IIIc
- ▶ 98.05 R't femoral intertrochanteric fx s/p OP
- ▶ No drug allergy

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Physical examination

- ▶ Conscious : E1V1M4
- ▶ Neck: Supple
- ▶ Chest: clear breathing sound
RHB
- ▶ Abdomen : soft, no guarding
- ▶ Extremities: warm and dry



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Impression

- ▶ Hypoglycemia
 - r/o occult infection

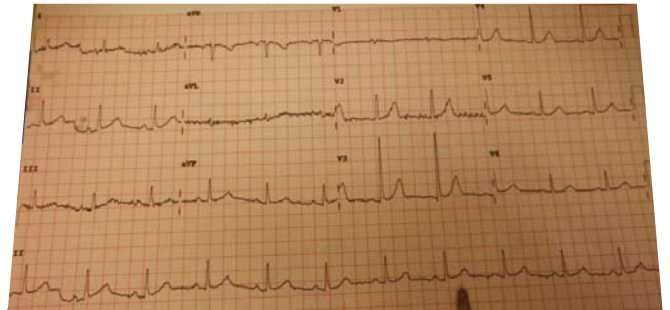
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Initial order

- ▶ F/S (38)
- ▶ D50W 4 amp iv
- ▶ D10W run 60 cc/hr
- ▶ CBC
- ▶ Panel I
- ▶ U/A, U/C
- ▶ EKG
- ▶ CXR
- ▶ F/S Q1H x 3

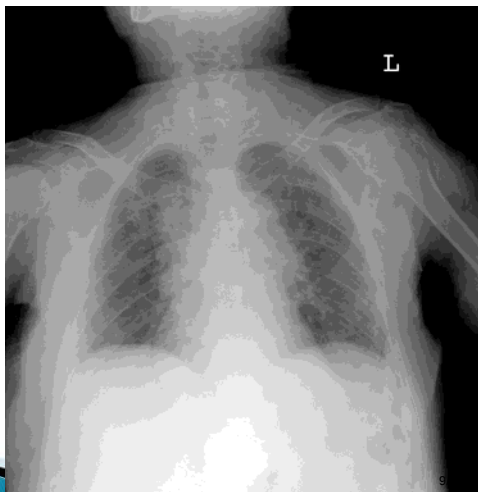
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EKG



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CXR



Lab

Hb	8.7	gm/dl
WBC	15.2	x1000/uL
Differential count	*****	
Segmented Neutro.	88.9	%
Lymphocyte	6.6	%
Monocyte	4.5	%
Eosinophil	0.0	%
Basophil	0.0	%
Platelet	405	x1000/uL

Glucose	<40	mg/dL
GOT(AST)	54	U/L
BUN	29	mg/dL
Creatinine	1.0	mg/dL
Na	124	meq/L
K	3.9	meq/L
eGFR	53.76	

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Followed Sugar

- ▶ 10:00
 - After glucose, F/S 331
 - Con's E4V5M6
- ▶ 11:00 12:00
 - 240 189 → IV lock

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U/A

Sediment	*****	
RBC	3-5	/HPF
WBC	16-30	/HPF
Epithelial cell	3-5	/HPF
Cast	Not Found	/LPF
.cast-amount	-	
Crystal	Not Found	/HPF
.Cry-amount	-	
Bacteria	+++	
Others	Not Found	

▶ Cefazolin + Gentamycin

MID-STREAM URINE CULTURE:

Colony count : >100000

Organism:

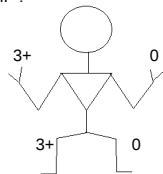
1. Escherichia coli

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The next day

- ▶ Dx : 1. UTI
- 2. DM with hypoglycemia event
- 3. Old CVA
- 4. Breast cancer hx
- ▶ 精神比較好了，但兒子表示病人原本可用助行器行走，入院後即左側無力
- E4VaM6
- ▶ Do CT to r/o new stroke

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CT

- ▶ Consult neuro
- Give bokey & arrange brain MRI
- treat UTI and hyponatremia

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MRI

- ▶ Neurologist's opinion :
bil MCA stenosis
→ keep bokey
- ▶ MRI的lesion很小，不會造成意識惡化
- ▶ 請排EEG，f/u Na, sugar

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Day 2 18:00

- ▶ Vital sign 36.4/68/18 103/58 mmHg

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Day 3 00:15

- ▶ Vital sign HR 65 , BP 55/37 mmHg
- ▶ Con's E2V1M1
- ▶ Bedside echo :
 - Collapse heart
 - Ascites (+)
 - r/o AAA rupture
 - r/o Aorta dissection

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Order

- ▶ 備pRBC 8u, FFP 12u, Plt 24u
- ▶ On 2nd IV line
- ▶ N/S 500 cc challenge
- ▶ O2 NRM 15 L/min
- ▶ Aorta CT
- ▶ On CVC / Foley

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Aorta CT

- ▶ Massive ascites
- ▶ Pneumoperitoneum
- ▶ → consult GS for emergent OP

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Consult GS

- ▶ Arrange OP
- ▶ Send p't to OR
- ▶ Admission to ICU post OP
- ▶ GS VS 方

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OP findings

- ▶ Laparotomy , subtotal gastrectomy + B-II reconstruction
 1. A large perforation hole (4x4 cm) at 1st portion of duodenum
 2. Much turbid ascites and food debris
 3. Fibrin coating , much
 4. Relatively poor status of tissue

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Pathology

- ▶ DIAGNOSIS:
 1. Intestine, small, duodenum, proximal, partial resection
 - Chronic peptic ulcer, perforated
 - A perforated ulcer measuring 2.5 cm in diameter.
 2. Stomach, distal subtotal gastrectomy
 - Chronic atrophic gastritis
 3. Omentum, omentectomy
 - Peritoneal reaction

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ICU course

- ▶ Ceftriaxone + Metronidazole
- ▶ Dopamine use
- ▶ Oligouria → acute on chronic renal insufficiency
- ▶ Cr → 3.4
- ▶ Septic shock
- ▶ Pul. edema, metabolic acidosis

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Post OP day 4

- ▶ Sign DNR
- ▶ BP drop → expired

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Final diagnosis

1. Chronic duodenal ulcer perforation with pneumoperitoneum s/p subtotal gastrectomy + B-II reconstruction
2. Septic shock
3. DM / hypoglycemia episode
4. Hypertension
5. CVA
6. Breast CA
7. Expired

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Discussion

Perforated Ulcers

Epidemiology

- ▶ Duodenum 60%
- ▶ Antrum/ pylorus 20%
- ▶ Body 20%

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Early diagnosis

- ▶ 1st phase (< 2hrs of onset)
- ▶ 2nd phase (2 ~ 12 hrs)
- ▶ 3rd phase (> 12hrs)

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1st Phase

- ▶ Sudden onset of severe pain, sometimes producing collapse or even syncope.
- ▶ Usually epigastric at onset, but it quickly becomes generalized.
- ▶ Tachycardia, weak pulse, cool extremities
- ▶ Radiate to the top of the right shoulder
- ▶ Abdominal rigidity

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2nd Phase

- ▶ Pain may lessen
- ▶ **Board-like** rigidity
- ▶ Liver dullness on percussion ↓
- ▶ RLQ tenderness may develop from fluid moving down the gutter



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3rd Phase

- ▶ Abdominal pain, tenderness, and rigidity may be less evident
- ▶ Temperature elevation and **hypovolemia**
- ▶ Preoperative delay **greater than 12 hours** increase the risk of morbidity and mortality



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Imaging

- ▶ **10 ~ 20 %** of patients with a perforated DU will not have free air
- ▶ If free air is found in plain film, **no additional diagnostic studies are necessary**
- ▶ Abdominal CT (with oral contrast)
- ▶ UGI series



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Initial resuscitation

- ▶ NG tube
- ▶ IV Fluid
- ▶ IV Proton pump inhibitor
- ▶ Broad-spectrum antibiotics
 - Cover *Enterobacteriaceae*



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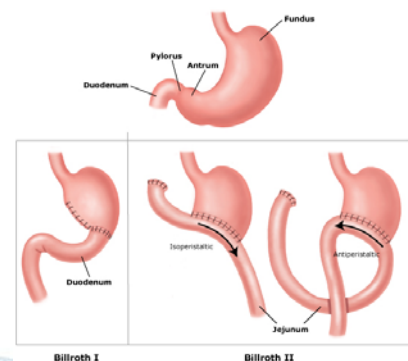
Surgical Intervention

- ▶ Emergent operation and closure with a piece of omentum is the standard of care
- ▶ Delay diagnosis → delay surgery
→ poorer prognosis
- ▶ Some will seal their perforated ulcers without operation



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Billroth reconstructions



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Surgical Methods

- ▶ Simple closure
- ▶ Truncal vagotomy with pyloroplasty
- ▶ Subtotal gastrectomy + Billroth reconstructions
- ▶ Laparoscopic approaches

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Other Complications of PUD

- ▶ Ulcer bleeding
- ▶ Ulcer penetration
- ▶ Gastric outlet obstruction

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The common cause of ulcers

- ▶ It is essential to carefully search for the presence of **H. pylori** and for **NSAID or aspirin use**

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Differential diagnosis

- ▶ Severe colic
- ▶ Pulmonary infarction
- ▶ Acute pancreatitis
- ▶ Intestinal obstruction
- ▶ **Aortic dissection**
- ▶ **Abdominal aorta aneurysm rupture**
- ▶ Ischemia bowel
- ▶ Peritonitis from other cause

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