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PATIENT WITH FULMINANT HEPATITIS A RARE CASE OF EXPANDED DENGUE

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ABSTRACT PATIENT WHO PRESENTED AS FEVER FOR 3 DAYS, HEMATURIA FOR 3 DAYS, LOWER ABDOMEN PAIN FOR 3 DAYS HAD BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH DENGUE AND LFT WHICH PROGRESSED RAPIDLY TO FULMINANT HEPATITIS AND DEATH, WHICH IS A RARE CASE OF EXPANDED DENGUE WITH FULMINANT HEPATITIS

KEYWORDS:

HISTORY-

A 18 year old male came with.

- Complaints of fever for 3 days high grade, intermittent in nature, associated with chills.
- History of cough with expectoration for 3 days, sputum yellow, not associated with hemoptysis
- History of abdomen pain, 3 days, upper abdomen, dull intermittent, no aggrevating /relieving factors
- History of hematuria for 1 day, no associated dyusria /polyuria/ burning micturation

No history of chest pain /palpitations/breathlessness -No history of vomiting/loose stools/other bleeding manifestations

PAST HISTORY..

Not a known case of DM/HTN/CAD/Bronchial Asthma

PERSONAL HISTORY..

- Not a Smoker/Alcoholic, Mixed Diet
- Conscious, oriented.
- Afebrile.
- Bp Initally not recordable, Repeat BP 120/100mmhg after 1.5 litre bolus, Inj. noradrenaline 0.2 mcg/kg/min, Spo2 - 100%, Pulse - 102/min, Respiratory rate - 18 min, Temperature - Normal
- No pallor/Cyanosis/clubbing/Pedal odema/GL Local Examination had Patient Dehydrated, Petechiae present in bilateral lower limbs.
- CVS-S1S2+, regular rhythm RS-bilateral air entry present, clear P/A - Diffuse tenderness present
 - CNS-GCS-15/15, Obeying commands, Moving all four limbs.
- CBC showed Hb-19.1, PCV -56.3, Tc-6500 with P-72%, L-19.2, Mcv - 83, Mch - 27.8, Platelet - 10000 . Pt-15.1, Ptt - 99.4, INR -1.24 . Rft showed Bun – 20, Creatinine- 1.3 Electrolytes showed Sodium – 136, Potassium – 5.1, Chloride – 108, Bicarbonate – 13
- Lft showed T.Bil 3.50, D.Bil 2.61, SGOT 264, SGPT 94, T.Protein - 5.8, Albumin - 3.6, Globulin -2.2, Alkaline Phosphatase -234. Urine routine showed ph -6.5, specific gravity -1.025, Protein - 3+, Bilirubin - 2+, Urobilinogen - 2.0, Pus cells 10-12, Rbc-2-3, with Granular casts seen.
- Initial Abg showed ph-7.20, pco2 53.6, po2-25.3, lac-4.3, cHco3 - 20.4. ECG showed Sinus Tachycardia, Chest Xray showed bilateral minimal plaural effusion in lower zone. USG Abdomen showed cholecystitis, borderline splenomegaly, bilateral pleural effuson right > left, moderate ascitis.
- Patient was initially started on NS at 150 cc/hr, Inj.Lactogard 1.5gm iv bd, T.Azithro 500 mg od, C.Doxy 100mg od, Inj artesunate 180 mg od, 2 Units RDP, lunit SDP given, Inj Trapic 500mg iv stat, Inj Vitamin K 1 amp od.

Patient became disoriented, restless. BP was 90/60 on noradrenaline 0.3 mcg/kg/min, SpO2 - 98% room air, NS 200ml/hr, Pulse -128, Spo2- 97%. Input was 5280 ml output 2150 m. Patient was kept on ryles tube

	HB/ PCV	тс	PLT	T.BIL/D .BIL	SGOT/S GPT	PT	PTT	INR	BUN/ CR
DAY	19.1/ 56.3	6500	10000	3.50/ 2.61	264/ 94	15	99.4	1.24	20/ 1.3
DAY 2	18.9/ 56.1	18200	36000	5.66/ 3.83	11138/ 3173	37	55.4	3.21	28/ 1.3

- Other Lft showed T.protein -4.7, Albumin-2.8, Globulin 1.9, Alkphosphatase – 265. Electrolytes had Hco3-13, other normal. Serum ammonia 225. Peripheral smear showed Thrombocytopenia. Patient had urine culture no growth. Patient had Dengue antigen assay 86.35. Dengue Serology was positive with IgM - 64, IgG- 19.9. Scrub Typhus, Malarial Antigen, Leptospirosis was negative.CT Brain showed mild cerebral odema. 1 unit SDP, 4 unit FFP transfused. T.Rifagut 550 mg bd, T.Metrogyl 400mg tds, Syrup Duphulac 30 ml tds , Duphulac Enema was started.
- MGE opinion obtained advised HbsAg , Anti Hcv , Hav IgM , suggested Liver Transplant, NAC Infusion. Patient was started on NAC infusion as advised. At around 3.30pm on 9/10/16, patient was intubated in view of worsening GCS and Tacycardia. ABG showed a ph -7.26, pco2 – 30.5, po2 – 88, lactates -8.6, cHco3 - 13

ON DAY 3

- Patient was intubated with pressure control mode. Patient wasnt arousable. Hematuria was persistent. Oral and Nasal bleed was present. BP was 130/70 on noradrenaline support with NS 200cc/ hour, Pulse – 124/min, Spo2 -98% at pc mode. Patient had no fever spikes.
- ABG showed ph-7.31, with pco2 33, po2-105, lac-5.1, cHco3 –

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DAYI	19.1/ 56.3	6500	0	3.50/ 2.61	264/ 94	15	99.4	1.24	20/ 1.3
DAY2	18.9/ 56.1	18200	3600 0	5.66/ 3.83	11138 /3173	37	55.4	3.21	28/ 1.3
DAY3	10.1	10400	4800 0	7.18/ 4.93	22580 /5200	23.9	47.3	2.02	50/ 3.5

Other Lft showed had T.Protein -4.6 with albumin - 2.6, globulin -2.0, alk phosphate -319. Blood cultures showed no growth. Viral markers showed HEV IgG-Negative, HEV IgM-Negative, AB to HAV-0.24, HIV - non reactive, HbsAg/Hcv - non reactive. MGE review advised S.Fibrinogen, LDH, D dimer levels, Dextrose infusions in view of low sugars, 4 unit FFP transfusions, Liver Transplant team opinion.

At around 1.30 pm, patient developed bradycardia. Despite Cardiopulmonary resuscication, Adrenalines cycles, Patient couldn't be revived. Patient was declared dead at 2.48 pm.

CONCLUSION -

Thus the patient who presented as fever with hematuria had Lft which rapidly progressed to Fulminant hepatitis and death due to fulminant hepatitis, a rare case with Expanded Dengue syndrome.