中文題目:巨大的左心房

英文題目:A gigantic left atrium

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Abstract

This manuscript is about a woman with severe mitral stenosis suffered from respiratory distress and conscious deterioration. A huge left atrium with large thrombi complicated with brain stem infarction was diagnosed. The patient finally expired unfortunately. Although mitral stenosis related enlarged left antium and thrombus formation is well known, such as a gigantic atrium up to 13cm in diameter is rare.

Besides, the chest computed tomography revealed static flow and a large thrombi of left atrium. The image is impressive. The case reminds us that the complication of untreated mitral stenosis can be so terrible.