



# 4/29/20 Morning Report with @CPSolvers



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**CC:** chest pain

**HPI:** 35M p/w 3hr constant, severe, pleuritic chest pain  
 -Central chest pain without radiation that is non-exertional and non-positional  
 -Started when at work

**ROS:** no fevers, chills, diaphoresis, night sweats, abdominal pain, back pain, +b/l ascending ankle and knee pain and days of wrist pain

**Vitals:** T: afeb HR:110 BP:127/80 RR: 28 SpO<sub>2</sub> >95%

**Exam:**  
**Gen:** Mild distress, tachypneic  
**HEENT:** no JVD  
**CV:** tachycardic, 3/6 systolic episodic murmur  
**Pulm:** CLAB  
**Abd:** soft, non-tender  
**Neuro:** wnl  
**Skin:** no rashes  
**Ext:** b/l fingers +eff w reduced ROM, b/l wrist ttp +eff, b/l knees ttp, -effusion, b/l ankles ttp, mild eff

**Problem Representation:** Young man w/ IBD on Infiximab p/w subacute polyarthralgia/arthritis followed by sudden onset pleuritic chest pain found to have diffuse STE & PR depressions on EKG and positive anti-histone Ab diagnosed with drug-induced lupus

**Teaching Points (Moses):**  
**Chest pain:** laterality can help localize.

- Initial approach: 4+2+2 = emergent etiologies
- Pleuritic: PE/PTX = morbid causes. Think: pathology in the chest wall, mediastinum, abdomen

**Length-dependent neuropathies:** Exp: DM, EtOH, Thyroid, paraproteins. Pattern can be helpful: sensory, motor, autonomic

**Painful Neuropathy:** vasculitis (exp: mononeuritis multiplex). Note: **GBS:** can be painful! Think demyelination as the underlying mechanism

**Clearly articulated sx onset:** think obstruction, perforation, electrical discharge + others

**Tenosynovitis:** common = staph, strep, disseminated gonococcal disease. Dactylitis can also be caused by TB, sarcoid, SSD + others

**TNF alpha blockers:** risk of granulomatous disease: mycobacteria, fungi. Also risk of lymphoma, autoimmune processes (like drug-induced lupus, most common cause!). Development of autoantibodies is common, often without symptoms. ~72% dsDNA positive in TNF-alpha mediated TNFa induced lupus

**Notable Labs & Imaging:**  
**Hematology:** WBC 13.3 Hgb 13.1 Plt 376

**Chemistry:** Na 138 K 3.6 Cl 105 CO2 26 BUN 15 Cr 0.8 Glu 131 Albumin 2.9

**UA:** 100mg/dL protein, 1RBC, no blood, -leuks, -nitrite  
**CRP:** 6.89, **LDH:** 165  
**EKG:** diffuse STE, PR depression  
**BCx:** negative  
**STI panel:** negative  
**Rheum panel:** ANA+ 1:640, C3/C4 wnl, RF/anti-CCP wnl, +anti-histone, +dsDNA 9IU/mL

**Imaging:**  
**TTE:** normal EF, small pericardial effusion

**PMH:**  
 Non-fistualizing ileocolonic chron's disease

**LTBI s/p rifampin**

**Meds:**  
 Mesalamine  
 Infiximab

**Fam Hx:**  
 Osteoarthritis  
 CAD  
 HTN

**Soc Hx:**  
 Mechanic

**Health-Related Behaviors:**  
 1.5packs of tobacco/day  
 Occasional EtOH  
 Monogamous, no STI

**Allergies:** NKDA