Clinical Pathology Conference

**General data:**

- **Age:** 45
- **Gender:** Male
- **Occupation:** Businessman
- **Nationality:** Taiwan
- **Past Medical Record Number:** 2140XXX

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**Chief complaint:**

Incidental finding of right lung nodules while follow-up.

**Present illness:**

This is a 45-year old man who presented to the thoracic clinic with multiple lung nodules (one in the right upper lobe and five in the right lower lobe) approximating 1*2 cm in size. The patient has a history of splenic sarcoma and has received repeated surgical treatments including splenectomy at the age of 40 years in 2010; recurrent sarcoma in 2011 requiring a distal pancreatectomy; and recurrent sarcoma in 2012 requiring resection of intraabdominal metastases and repairment of the left diaphragm. Physical examination revealed no respiratory distress. His vital sign were stable. The patient underwent a thoracoscopic excision (Right lower lobectomy and wedge resection of right upper lobe) on January 29, 2015. The postoperative course was smooth, and he was discharged 4 days after the procedure. His recovery was uneventful and is now followed up at outpatient clinic.

**Past history**

Splenic sarcoma rupture status post splenectomy on 2010/08/06, two times intraabdominal recurrence status post excision on 2011/03/08, 2012/01/13

**Personal history**

No foods or drugs allergy history, DM(-), HTN(-), Smoking(-)

**Family History**

Not contributory

**Physical examination**

Vital sign: Normal
Conscious：Clear, Fair looking
Conjunctiva：not pale，Sclera：no icterus
Neck：Supple，no lymphadenopathy
**Chest:** Symmetric expansion · **Breathing sound:** smooth and clear，no wheezing，no crackle
Heart：Regular heart beat，no murmur，
Abdomen：Flat and soft，no tenderness，no rebounding pain，normoactive bowel sound

**Review of System**

Respiratory：Dyspnea：(no)，Wheezeing：(no)，Cough：(no)，Sputum：(no)，Chest pain：(no)，Hemoptysis：(no)
Gastrointestinal：Nausea/Vomiting：(no)，Diarrhea：(no)，Constipation：(no)，Abdominal pain：(no)，Distension：(no)
Genitourinary：Urgency：(no)，Frequency：(no)
Skin：Skin lesion：(no)，Rash：(no)

**Lab data**

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**Image:**
To be presented (CT scan of chest，abdomen and pelvis)

**Pathology:**
To be presented

➤ **Points of Discussion:**

1. Introduction of splenic sarcoma and splenectomy
2. Evaluation and surgical indications of multiple pulmonary nodules
3. Cryptococcal infection to lung