Isolated Pancreatic Tuberculosis Mimicking Focal Pancreatitis and Causing Segmental Portal Hypertension

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ABSTRACT

Context Isolated pancreatic tuberculosis is a common mimicker for pancreatic malignancy and common presentation is abdominal pain. However, segmental portal hypertension is very uncommon. Case report A case of isolated pancreatic tuberculosis mimicking focal pancreatitis and caused segmental portal hypertension has been presented. Conclusion Pancreatic masses should have a histological or microbiological diagnosis to detect potentially treatable diseases like tuberculosis in endemic countries like India.