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Encounter ID : 8812336

Event Title : CT CHEST W/O CONTRAST

Performed on Date : 26-DEC-2006 11:21:00

MRN Number :644658

Clinical History:45-year-old female. Examination requested to followup resolving pneumonia/empyema. Technique:Nonenhanced CT examination the chest was performed. Comparison is made to the prior study of 10/31/2006. Findings:The left pleural effusion has decreased in size from the prior examination. A small amount of residual left pleural effusion is seen. The amount of subjacent left lower lobe atelectasis has also decreased from the prior examination. Subsegmental residual left lower lobe atelectasis is seen. The previously seen pleural based atelectasis laterally in the left lower lobe is no longer demonstrated. Mild residual nonspecific peripheral hazy airspace opacity is visualized in the lingula. Subsegmental linear atelectasis is seen in the right middle lobe. No new lung consolidation is demonstrated and no new pulmonary infiltrates are seen. No significant mediastinal, hilar or axillary adenopathy is present. Note is again made a circumscribed small fluid density structure in the medial aspect of the left breast consistent with a cyst. This is unchanged. The heart is normal in size. There is no pericardial effusion. The visualized upper abdomen appears grossly unremarkable.

Impression:Significant interval decrease in the left pleural effusion and left basilar atelectasis. Residual subsegmental left lower lobe atelectasis and small residual left basilar pleural effusion seen. Followup to resolution recommended. A followup chest CT in 6 months is suggested to reevaluate.

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