Presentation

Fever, cough, breathing difficulties for about ten days.

Patient Data

Age: 70 years

Gender: Male



Vertical air space consolidation along the left costal margin.

Case Discussion

In the right clinical context large ground-grass opacity lesions, predominantly in the peripheral and posterior lungs on CT, are diagnostic of COVID-19 pneumonia. Note the absence of mediastinal adenopathy which is not usually seen in COVID-19 and should suggest the presence of superadded infection, e.g. bacterial pneumonia.