

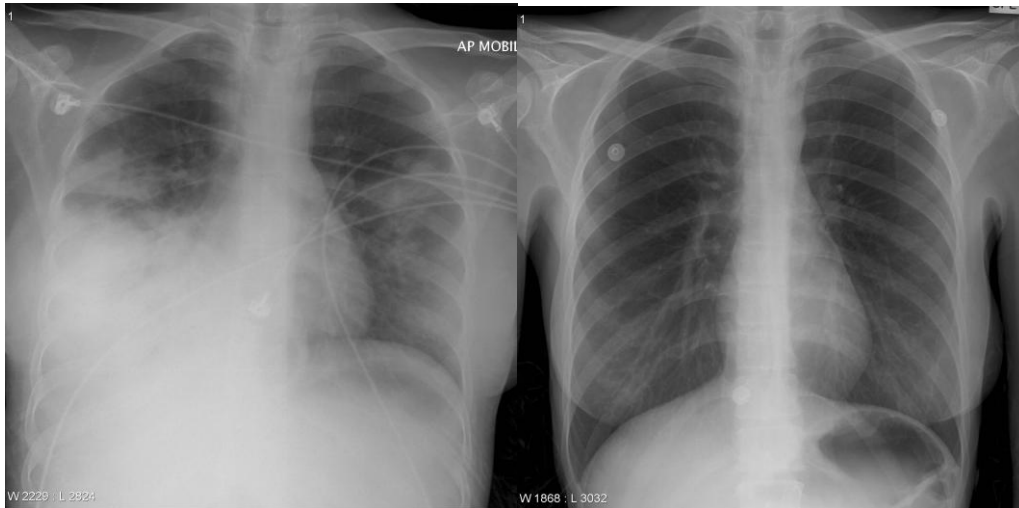
Presentation

Cough and breathlessness

Patient Data

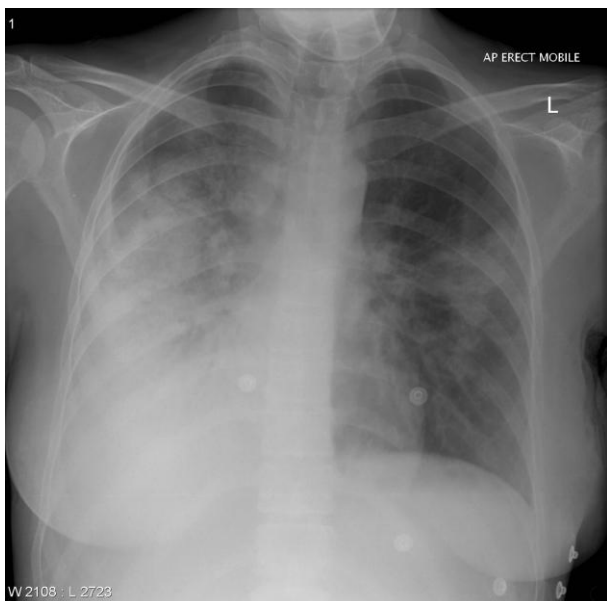
Age: 25 years

Gender: Female

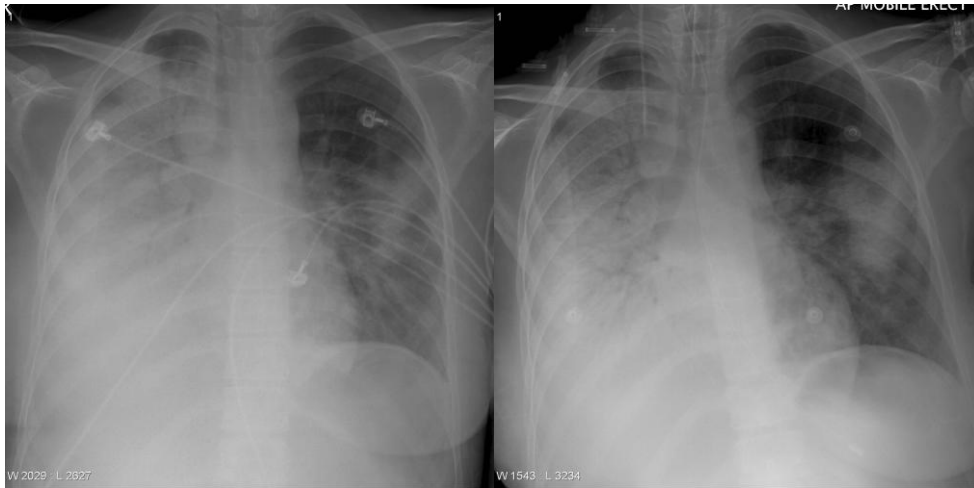


At presentation to ED (vs. 2nd CXR from 5 months' ago) there was widespread opacity across right lung especially lower zone with air bronchograms, indicating consolidation of right lower and/or middle lobes. Some opacity just above horizontal fissure suggesting progression of infection into right upper lobe. Right heart border was lost.

Smaller focal consolidation of the left mid zone.



During her admission at hospital, the consolidation spread to right upper lobe and started to develop in left lung with more prominent air bronchogram consistent with widespread infection.



Endotracheal tube and NGT inserted and repeat chest radiograph taken.

Severe right sided consolidation and large focal consolidation of the left mid zone with extension towards lung base.