

Ali 65 years old
C/O exercise intolerance for 2
years

- History of occasional wheeze
- “slight cough for a while” “5 may be 10 years”
- Morning sputum most of the time
- Smoked on and off for 40 years / 1.5 packs
- No clubbing
- Wheeze and hyperinflation

- $FEV1 / FVC < 70 \%$
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- Diffusing capacity (DLco)
- Kco reduced

Saleh 55 years

smoked 60 since age 16

Barrel-shaped

Liver 6th space

Cough, expectoration, SOB 2 years

FEV1 44% FEF 19% RV%TLC 200%

FEV1 / FVC 60%

Ventolin neb. 5mg----FEV1 INCREASED 140 ml
(10%)

KCO 98%

Allergic rhinitis and hypret. Turbinates

SOB triggered strongly by dust and irritants

- A trial of Symbicort for 3 weeks
- FEV1 and FEF50 rose to 80%
- FEV1 relapsed to 64% but recovered

D.D. with asthma

- Age of onset
- History of atopy
- Eosinophilia and IgE
- Bullae
- Chronic respiratory failure
- Diffusing capacity
- Trial of inhaled corticosteroids

GOLD DEFINITION (2001)

“Is a disease state characterized by airflow limitation that is not fully reversible. The airflow limitation is usually both progressive and associated with an abnormal **inflammatory** response of the lungs to **noxious** particles or gases”.

GOLD Definition (2007)

Incorporates the extrapulmonary
manifestations

Muscle wasting

Cachexia

Cardiac deconditioning

Osteoporosis

Depression

Social isolation

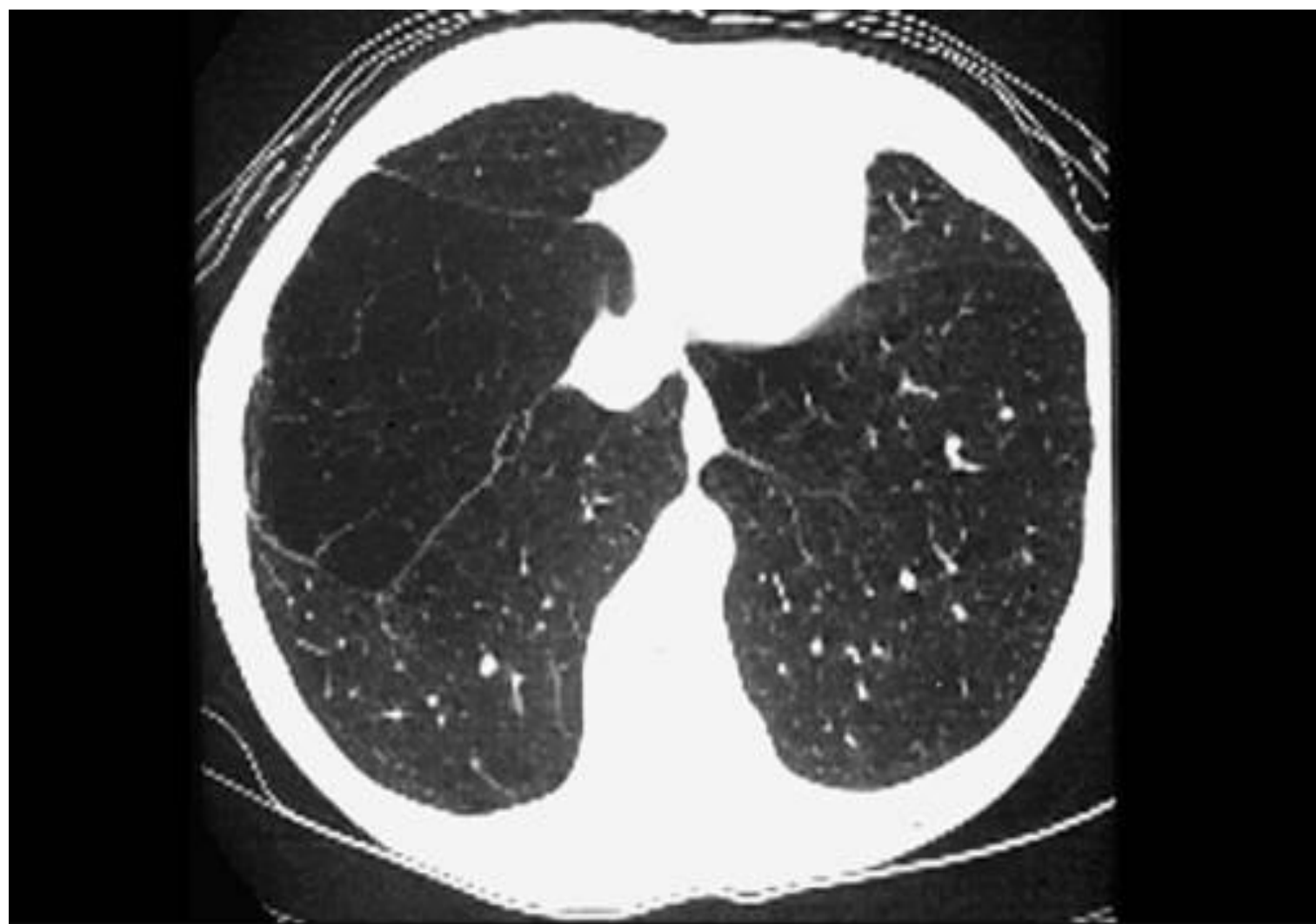
DEFINITION OF CHRONIC BRONCHITIS

“Chronic or recurrent expectoration which is present on most days for a minimum of 3 months a year for at least 2 successive years”.

DEFINITION OF EMPHYSEMA

“Permanent destructive enlargement of airspaces distal to the terminal bronchioles without obvious fibrosis”.

Workshop of NHLBI



- - Low PaO_2
 - Normal PaCO_2
 - Low PaO_2
 - High PaCO_2
 - pH acidotic or low normal
 - HCO_3^- raised

COMPLICATIONS

Respiratory failure

Cor pulmonale

Bacterial colonisation

Hemoptysis

Pneumothorax

Extrapulmonary

Summary of management

Bronchodilation

ipratropium 40 to 80 μcg q 6 hourly
Or Combivent



Tiotropium 18 μcg q 24 hrs
Salmeterol 50 μcg q 12 hrs
Formoterol 9 μcg q 12 hrs

Influenzae vaccine yearly

Rehabilitation: Grade 3-5 S.O.B.

?? Nebulise higher doses of Salbutamol + Ipratropium
Spacer as effective

Inhaled corticosteroids for “frequent exacerbations”

500 μcg fluticasone HFA (Seretide)
} 800 μcg budesonide (Symbicort)
Rinse throat
Spacer

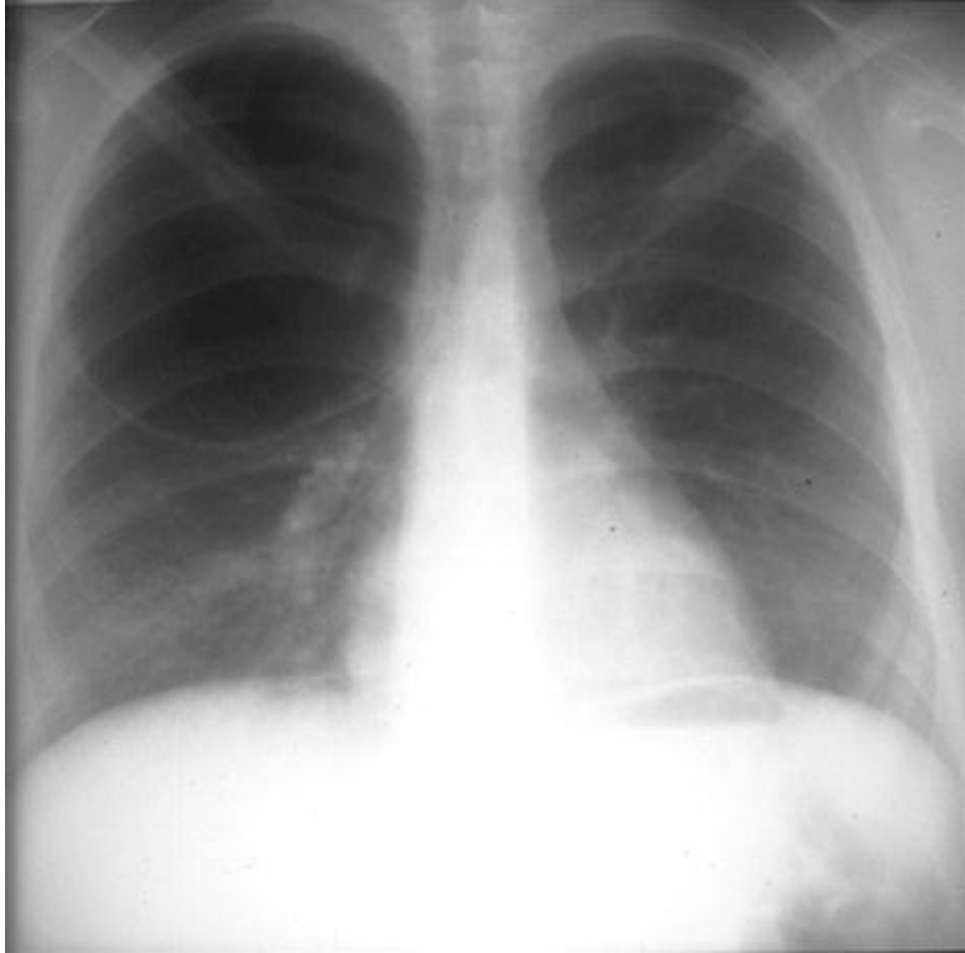
Mucolytics every winter

LONG –TERM REHABILITATION 1

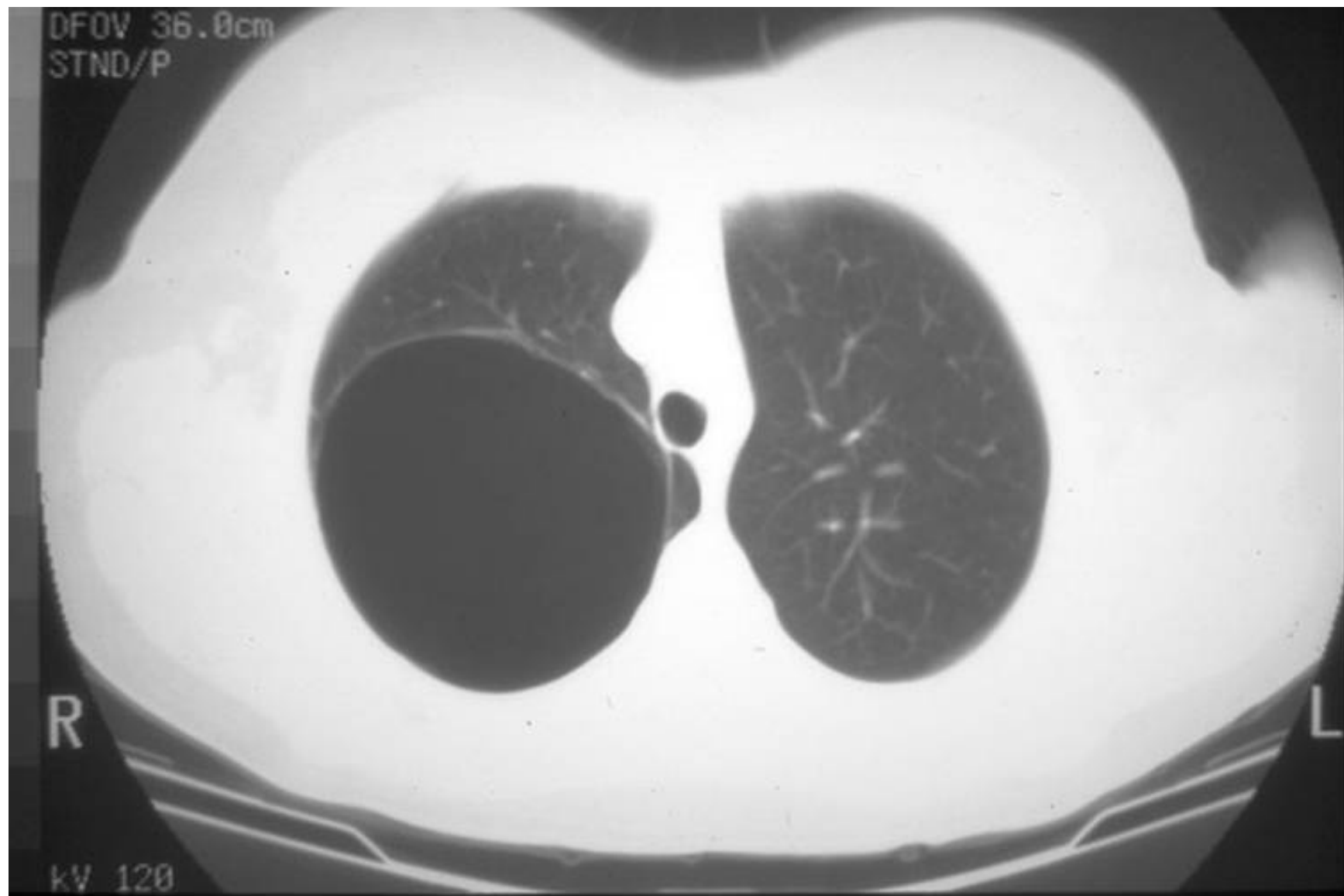
- ❖ Benefit independent of age, FEV₁, exercise capacity, PaO₂
- ❖ walk test 25-40%
- ❖ 6 minutes walk + 60 metres
- ❖ Only modest rise VO₂ peak
- ❖ Well being +

LONG –TERM REHABILITATION 2

- ❖ 2 supervised + 1 unsupervised session
- ❖ As little as 6 weeks (Max. 12 weeks)
- ❖ 20-30 min
- ❖ Anaerobic (cycle, brisk walking)
?? Strength exercises
- ❖ Lower limbs > upper limbs
- ❖ Respiratory muscles: no effect
- ❖ 60 – 85% peak performance
- ❖ Benefit maintained 12-18 months without formal maintenance regimen



DFOV 36.0cm
STND/P



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kV 120

Bullectomy

- $FEV_1 > 40\%$
- PaO_2 , $PaCO_2$ near normal
- Normal V/Q scan in the surrounding lung

Lung volume reduction surgery LVRS

- FEV₁ and DLco above 20%
- Predominantly upper lobe emphysema

Exacerbations

❖ Viral infection followed by bacterial activity

one third associated with virus
(rhinovirus or influenza)

bacterial colonisation

(20 to 30% during remissions)
(30 to 50% during exacerb.)

Haemophilus influenzae & parainfluenzae
Streptococcus pneumoniae
Branhamella catarrhalis

Bronchospasm



pollution or occupational

❖ MINOR CAUSES

pneumonia
Lt or Rt cardiac failure
pneumothorax

Life-threatening exacerbations

- Deterioration of consciousness
- Marked distress
- Paradoxical thoracoabdominal movement
- Worsening ABGs in spite of oxygen and bronchodilators (50 – 70 – 7.3)
- Other comorbidities
- Social support

MANAGEMENT OF EXACERBATIONS

- Nebulize Ipratropium 250 ucg
Salbutamol 5 mg
O₂ 24% or 2 l / min
Prednisolone 40 mg daily ?
Antibiotics ?
Non-invasive ventilatory support ?

Antibiotics for exacerbations

❖ Worsening of 2 out of 3 of the following :

shortness of breath

amount of sputum

purulency of sputum

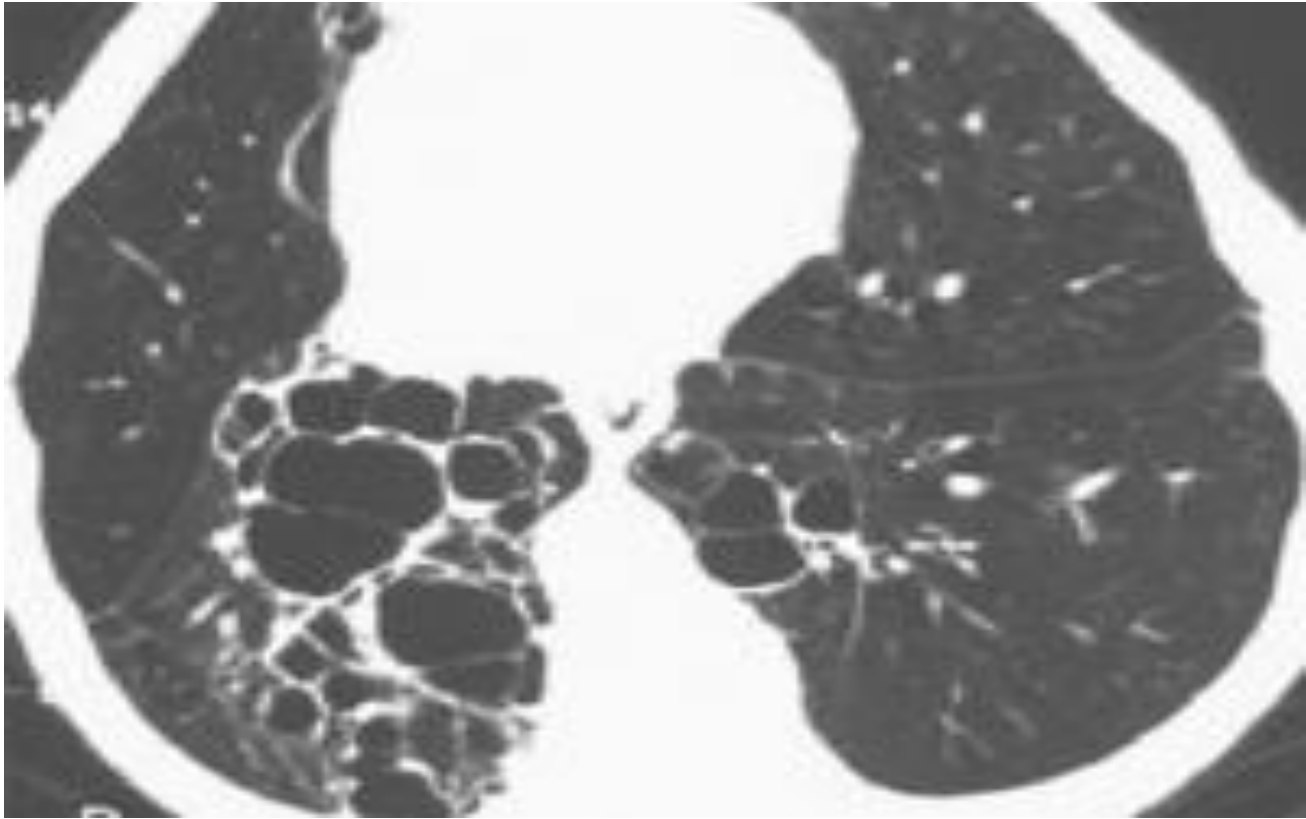
❖ Amoxicillin / clavunate

❖ Cephalosporin (eg. Cefuroxime)

❖ Quinolone ---Ciprofloxacin

---Levofloxacin

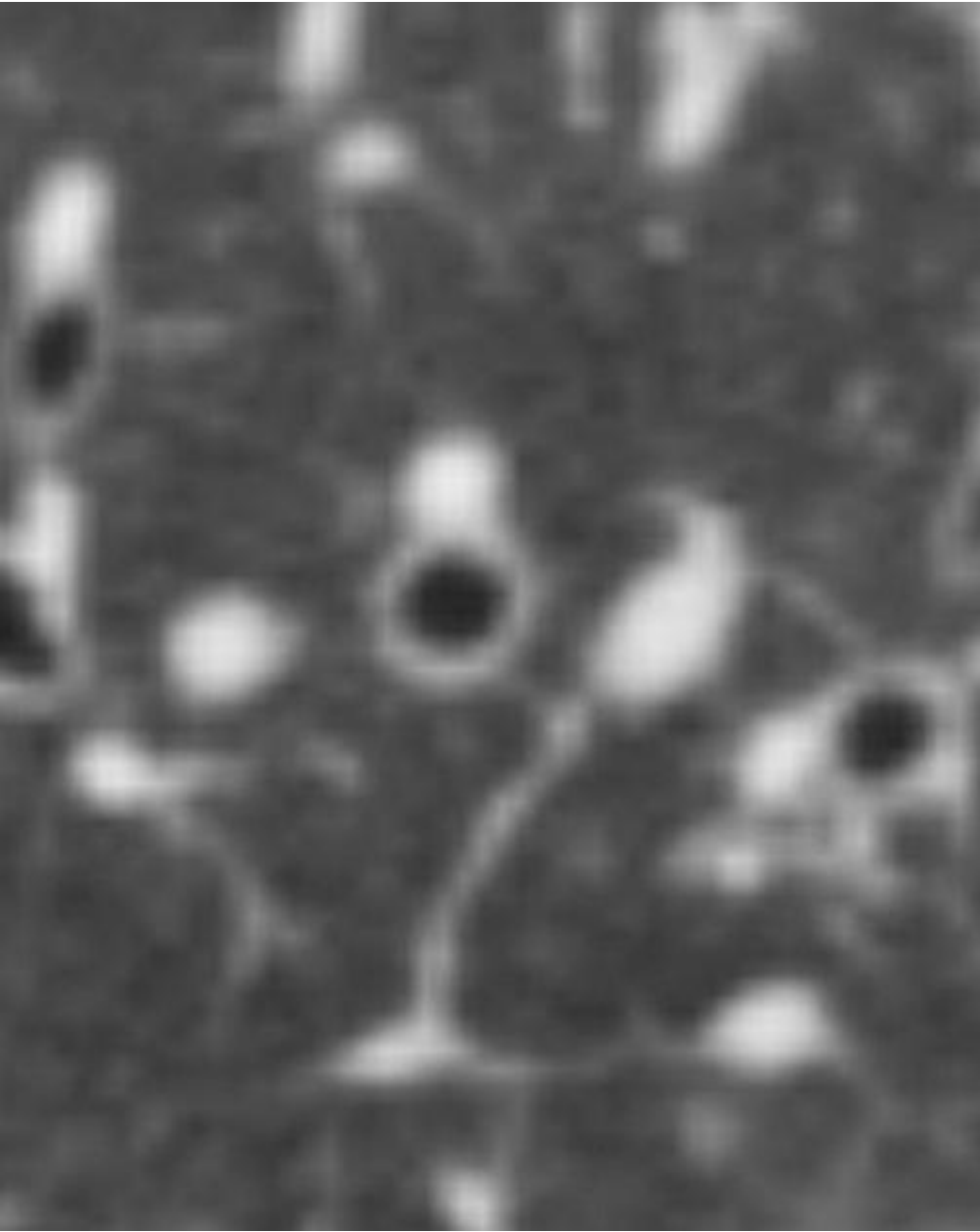
---Moxifloxacin (Avalox)

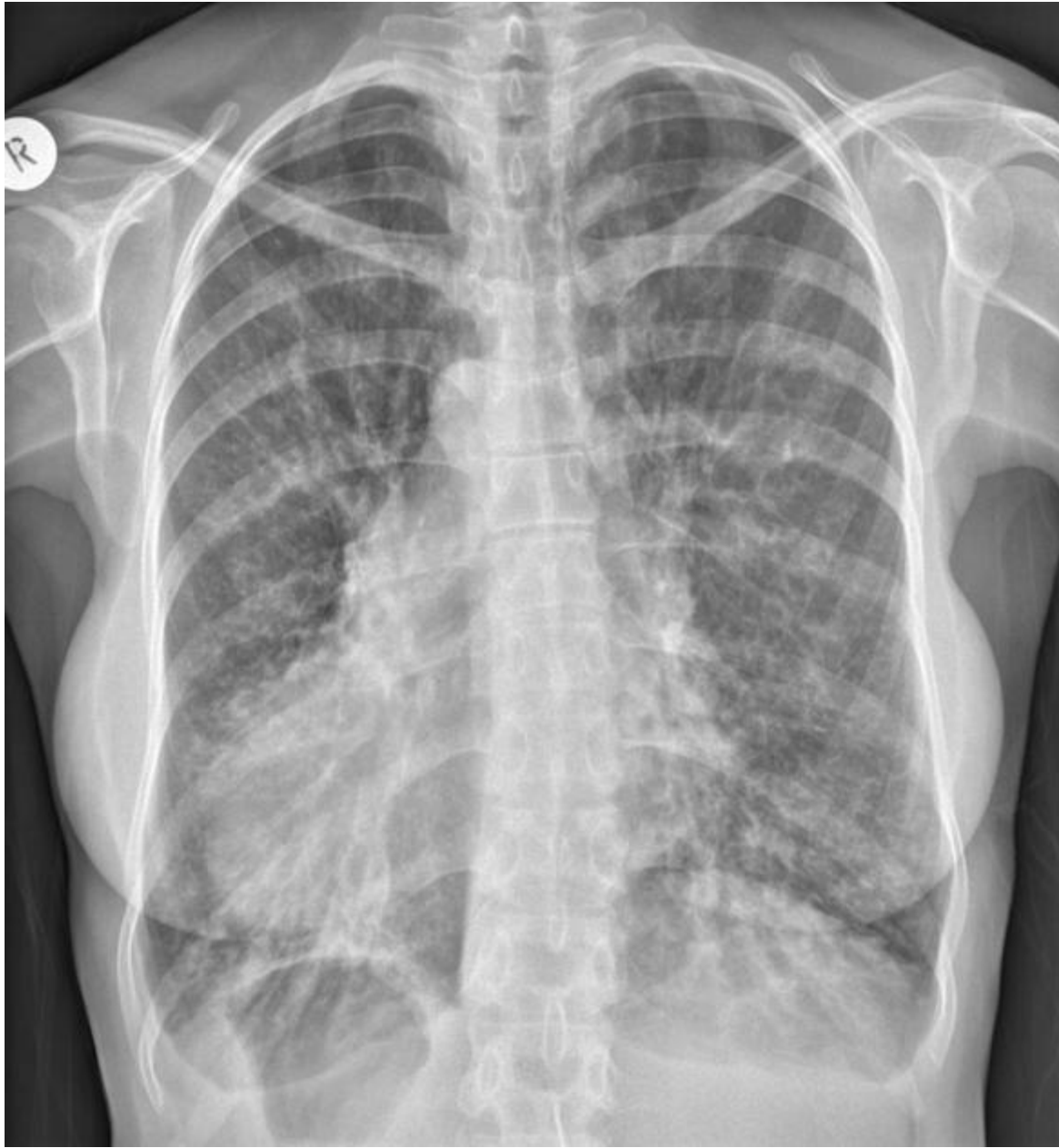




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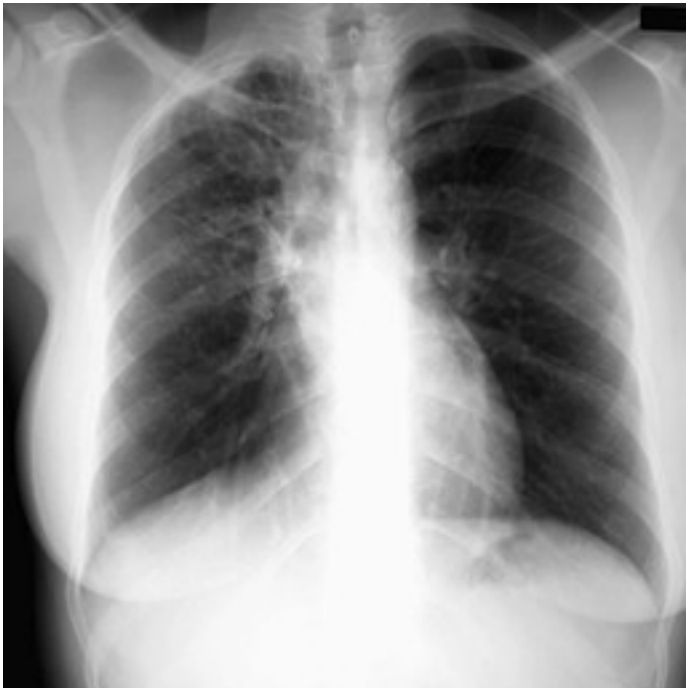












BRONCHIECTASIS

- Permanent dilatation of the bronchi
- Cough
- Usually mucopurulent sputum
- Hemoptysis is common
- Clubbing uncommon
- Wheeze similar to asthma and COPD
- Crackles common

- FB or adenoma
- INFECTION
- HYPOGAMMAGLOBULINEMIA
- PRIMARY CILIARY DYSKINESIA : sinusitis + male infertility
- CYSTIC FIBROSIS
-

H. Influenzae

- K.pneumoniae
- S.pneumoniae
- P.aeruginosa (associated with rapid decline of FEV1)
- S.aurius (cystic fibrosis)

Nebulized antibiotic therapy

Gentamycin or tobramycin

Twice daily