CASE REPORT OF BILATERAL EPIDURAL HEMORRHAGE

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ABSTRACT

Background: epidural hemorrhage is a surgical emergency that in most cases can be a source of arterial and occurs mostly in the temporal region. Methods: This study is a report on the work of bilateral epidural hemorrhage patient records and clinical history of the patient was sick with preclinical findings. Results: A 19-year-old male patient trauma caused by the accident with loss of consciousness and was taken by ambulance to the emergency department Tarmac. The level of consciousness of the patient in the emergency department 9/15 respectively. The patient was intubated and under sedation brain CT scan and a diagnosis of bilateral epidural hemorrhage was left for them. The patient was taken to the operating room under sedation after surgery and was transferred to the intensive care unit. Estuation stopped sedation and after, the pupils were active and conscious patients admitted with respiratory distress was the fifth day of the re-intubation and after complete resolution of respiratory distress, the patient is transferred to the ward and was discharged on day 11 with full health. Discussion and conclusion: Epidural bleeding a decline in the level of consciousness and life-threatening and when this threat is greater bilaterally to be patient and medical emergency be assessed as soon as possible.

INTRODUCTION

Sequentially developed bilateral epidural hematoma have been rare and sporadic, therefore the incidence rate cannot be calculated based on the available literature (1, 2, 3). Epidural hemorrhage is arterial origin often, often in the form lenses and an injury occurs, and when trauma is more common in young people (4, 5). The most common symptoms of epidural bleeding, including loss of consciousness, drowsiness, seizures, symptoms of neurological impairment such as impaired vision, headache, nausea and vomiting (6,7). Sometimes, in patients with epidural hemorrhage, improve alertness temporarily after a period of loss of consciousness can be seen it will be remembered as the distance light again after the interval level of consciousness drops (8, 9, 10).

CASE

19-year-old male patient in the trauma caused by the accident with loss of consciousness on 19/09/93 at 22:50 minutes by ambulance for medical emergency trauma hospital emergency department immediately moved Shahid Beheshti Yasouj. On initial examination, the patient pressure 110/80, patient's pulse116, breathing 28 and level of consciousness were 15/9, pupils mydriasis, tachycardia and tachypnea was sick. Abdominal solography revealed normal internal organs and fluid in the pelvic cavity was seen. The patient was intubated under sedation and then ensure hemodynamic stability, a CT scan of the brain was performed and the diagnosis of bilateral epidural bleeding and fractures, depression was laid for them [Fig. 1].

The patient was transferred to the surgery room at 23:30 hours after craniotomy, 100 cc of blood discharge and after surgery, patient under sedation in the ICU and the ventilator. After 24 hours, the patients in the intensive care unit, the patient was interrupted sedation and after having estuation conditions, the patient was intubated separated from the ventilator that time, pupils were active and alert of the patient slowly and on the third day the patient's level of consciousness 15/15 respectively. But on the fifth day of hospitalization the patient was under sedation, respiratory distress that re-intubation and the ventilator was and after complete resolution of respiratory distress symptoms and the patient's breathing returned to normal, Nero surgery transferred the patient to the hospital after full recovery on day 11, the patient was discharged with his feet.

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CONCLUSION

Although bilateral epidural hematomas are rare, but we must be considered in the management of this patients. Also epidural bleeding common in young adults and is associated with loss of consciousness but when that happens bilaterally could worsen the situation back level of consciousness and later and more serious problems with it. The most important thing evaluated in this patient early diagnosis and subsequent treatment by surgery above all in cases necessitating emergency measures too quickly do the right thing and emergency fortunately, thereby saving the lives of patients.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

There is no conflict of interest.

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