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Isoniazide Induce Exfoliative Dermatitis- A Case Report

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Abstract:

We report here a case of 57 yrs old female patient who presented with generalised redness and scaling with itching after two months of using antituberculosis drugs like Rifampicin, Pyrazinamide, Ethambutol and Isoniazid. Isoniazid was stopped immediately, continued with remaining drugs and antihistaminic were added. The patient was improved over a period of 6 months. On sequential rechallenge, she developed similar lesions all over the body with Isoniazide. Exfoliative dermatitis caused by isoniazid is an uncommon but serious adverse drug reaction. Hence, Confirming the diagnosis of Isoniazide induced exfoliative dermatitis.

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