

中文題目：類風溼性關節炎患者因使用 Methotrexate 和 Leflunomide 治療引發”盲腸炎”-病例報告

英文題目：“Typhlitis” occur in Rheumatoid Arthritis patient who had received Methotrexate and Leflunomide: A Case Report

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Abstract:

“Typhlitis” – neutropenic enterocolitis of the ileocecal region –a life-threatening disease occurs in the neutropenic patients, and may complicate with peritonitis, perforation, or severe bleeding. Its pathogenesis is not well known, probably including mucosal injury by cytotoxic drugs, profound neutropenia, and impaired host defense to invasion by microorganisms. It may occur in patients with acute leukemia (especially acute myeloid leukemia), lymphoma, multiple myeloma, myelodysplastic syndromes, aplastic anemia, acquired immunodeficiency syndrome, or immunosuppressive therapy for solid malignancies and transplants, but is a rare complication of medical therapy for rheumatoid arthritis. Here, we describe a case of “Typhlitis” in rheumatoid arthritis (RA) with Methotrexate and Leflunomide treatment.