A Rare Case of Unusually Large Lower Ureter Calculus

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Abstract We report an unusual large and “s” shaped left lower ureteric calculus which has been never reported in any manuscript to the best of our knowledge. Calculus in genitourinary happen to occur in various shapes and sizes; here we report unusual shaped calculi.

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Case Report

A 34-year-old female was presented in outpatient day with symptoms of pain in left lower abdomen from past 1 year. Pain used to be associated with vomiting and frequent episodes of burning micturation. IVU showed large radio opaque shadow in the left pelvis (Figs. 1 and 2). Intra venous urography showed left moderate

hydronephrosis with bilateral normal excretion of dye and a large filling defect in left lower uretric region. Open ureterolithotomy was done. Post operative stay uneventful.

Conclusion

Ureteric calculi of various shapes and sizes have been reported in past but our case is different due to the unusual shape of the calculi [1, 2].

Fig. 1 Large Ureteric Calculus

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Fig. 2 IVU of a large radio opaque shadow in the left pelvis

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