HODGKIN DISEASE AS A RICHTERIAN TRANSFORMATION OF CHRONIC LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKEMIA – CASE REPORT.

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Introduction.

Hodgkin's disease (BH) as richterian transformation in chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) is very rare (0.4%). In recent years, the incidence was reported to increase (2.5%) in patients treated with fludarabine.

Material, method, results.

We present a case in a patient of 41 years diagnosed with CLL Rai stage II, in which treatment was started according to the criteria of progression. Regimen chosen was based on fludarabine, or cure type FC, which the patient responded favorably with hematologic remission. Associated with infectious complications due to viral reactivation type shingles. At 22 months after onset shows the richterian transformation with recurrence generalized adenopathies, B symptoms, and analysis of biopsy ganglion established presence both leukemia cells with immunophenotypic