Psychiatric manifestation of Neurometabolic disorder

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- 16 yr old boy presented with 1 episode of seizure, generalized tonic-clonic type.
- Fever-2 days ,low grade and intermittent.
- H/o behavioural disturbance 3 months in the form of emotional lability, excessive laughing, impulsiveness, and picking up fights with friends.
- H/O poor scholastic performance- difficulty in completing task, impaired memory, shortened attention span and difficulty in writing.
- H/O slurring of speech.

- No history of suicidal thoughts, delibrate self harm.
- No history of visual or auditory hallucination.
- No history of involuntary movements.
- No history of Altered gait or swaying.
- No history of vomiting ,headache ,blurring of vision.
- No history of weakness of limbs, abnormal posturing or symptoms suggestive of cranial nerve involvement.

- No history of cough with expectoration ,breathlessness and hemoptysis.
- No history of loose stools, abdominal pain.
- No history burning micturition, decreased urine output and hematuria or any other discoloration of urine.
- No history of joint pain, joint swelling and deformities.
- No history of earache, ear discharge, nasal obstruction..
- No history of jaundice, abdominal distension and pedal edema

Past history

No similar complaints in past

Not a known case of Epilepsy, Rheumatic fever, nephrotic syndrome, diabetes mellitus and any other comorbidities.

N o previous surgeries

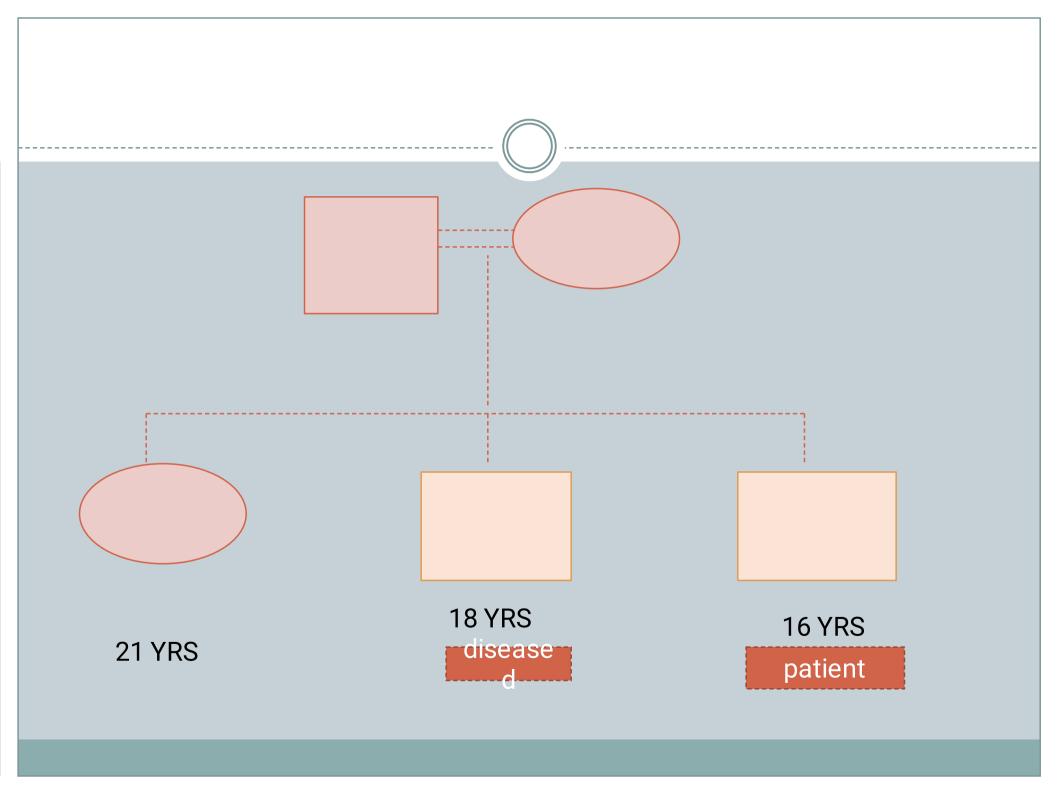
No chronic drug intake

Developmental history

- Born to consanguinous parents, Full term normal vaginal delivery
- No history suggestive of birth asphyxia.
- Developmental milestones normal.
- Studied with proper scholastic performance till 3 months ago(now studying at 11th std).

Family history

- 3 children, elder sister healthy studying Bsc nursing aged about 21 yrs.
- Elder brother aged about 18 yrs suffering from neurological disorder since 5 yrs, details were not available at the time of admission.
- N/H/O similar illness in parents and grand parents.



Personal history

- Sleep pattern –normal
- Appetite –good
- mixed diet
- N/H/O substance abuse/ addictions

Treatment history

 Parents initially sought medical help at a nearby govt hospital. He was suspected as ?seizure disorder and referred to our hospital for further evaluation.

General physical examination

- Patient was drowsy poorly obeying oral commands afebrile.(post ictal state).
- No pallor
- Not icteric
- No cyanosis and clubbing
- No generalised lymphadenopathy
- No pedal edema.

No external markers of Tuberculosis, HIV or any other neuro cutaneous markers

Thyroid -normal

Secondary sexual characters-normal



Central nervous system

Higher mental function

Right handed individual.

oriented to time ,place and person.

speech - Dysarthria present.

memory-remote memory impaired

intelligence-calculation impaired.

Motor system

Bulk

	Right(cm)	Left(Cm)
Fore arm	19	19
Arm	24	24
Thigh	35	35
Legs	24	24

Tone

	right	left
UL	normal	normal
LL	normal	Normal

Power

	right	left
Upper limb	5/5	5/5
Lower limb	5/5	5/5

Deep Tendon Reflexes

Upper limb	right	left
Biceps	+	+
Triceps	+	+
Supinator	+	+
Knee	+	+
Ankle	+	+
Clonus	_	_

Superficial reflexes

	right	left
corneal	+	+
conjuctival	+	+
abdominal	+	+
plantar	flexor	flexor

Cerebellar system

- Finger nose test
- Finger finger nose test
- Heel-knee test
- Dysdiadokinesia present bilaterally
- Tandem walking –impaired
- Horizontal Nystagmus present

Impaired

- No involuntary movements
- Spine cranium normal
- Fundus: B/L normal.
- Sensory system –normal
- Signs of meningeal irritation terminal neck stiffness-present

P/A - soft
non tender
no organomegaly

CVS - S1 and S2 heard normally.no murmurs.

RS - normal vesicualr breath sounds, no added sounds.

- Young adolescent male with SLOWLY PROGRESSIVE behavioural disturbances
- New onset seizure
- cerebellar signs bilateraly.

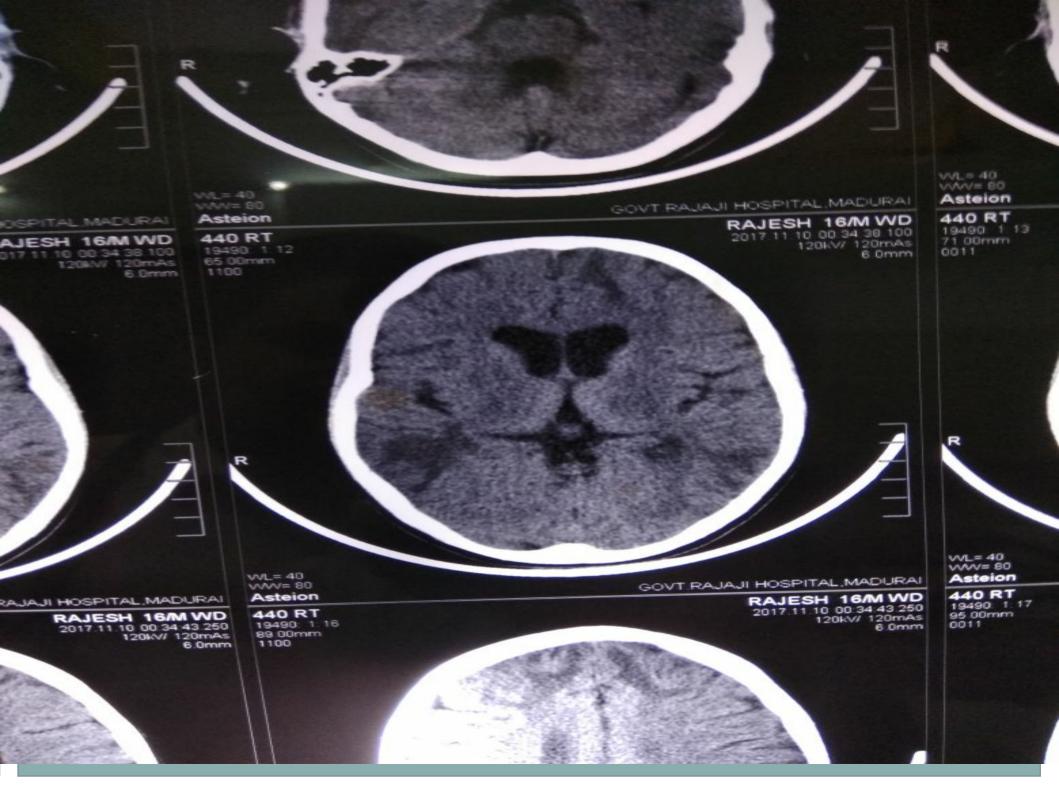
For clinical discussion

Expert opinion at admission

Seen by duty Neurophysician:

- New onset seizures with altered behaviour
- Meningo-encephalitis
- Rule out ?Tuberculous meningitis
- Advised MRI brain





Investigation

Hb-10.8 g/dl

Total count-6500 cells/cumm

Differential count-N-67%,L-25%,M-8%.

ESR-28 mm/hr

PCV-35%.

Platelets-1.86lakhs/cumm.

INVESTIGATIONS

- RBS-104 mg/dl
- Urea-20 mg/dl
- Creatinine-0.8 mg/dl

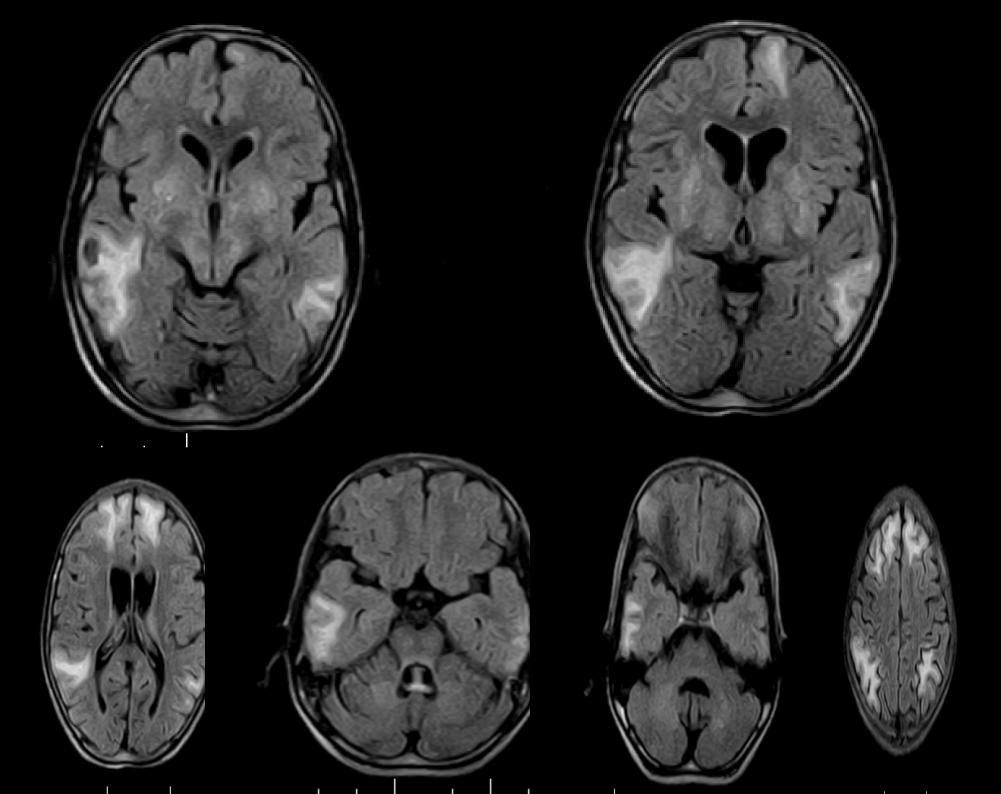
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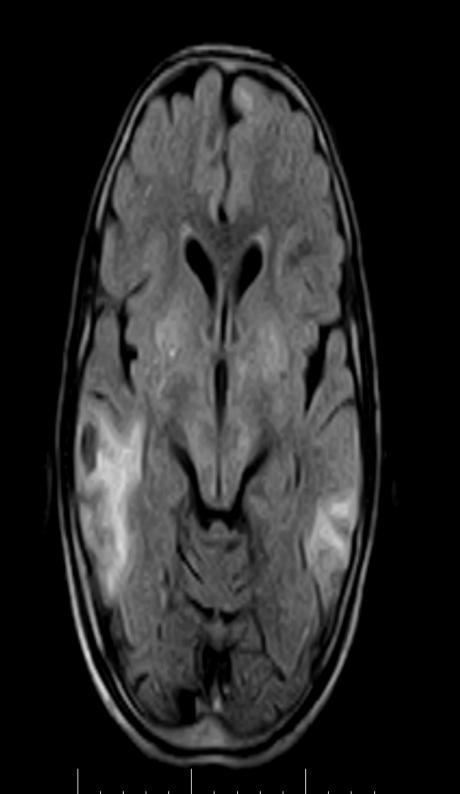
- Total bilirubin-0.4mg/dl
- Direct -0.2 ,indirect -0.2 mg/dl
- Urine routine

alb-nil

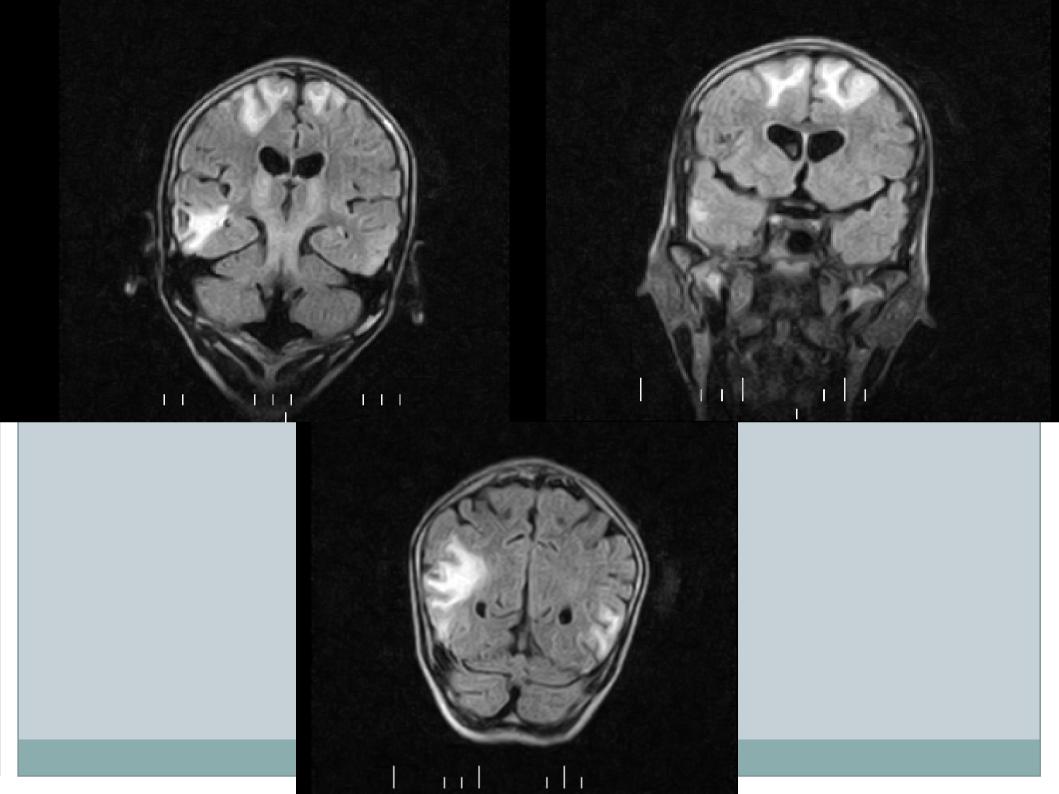
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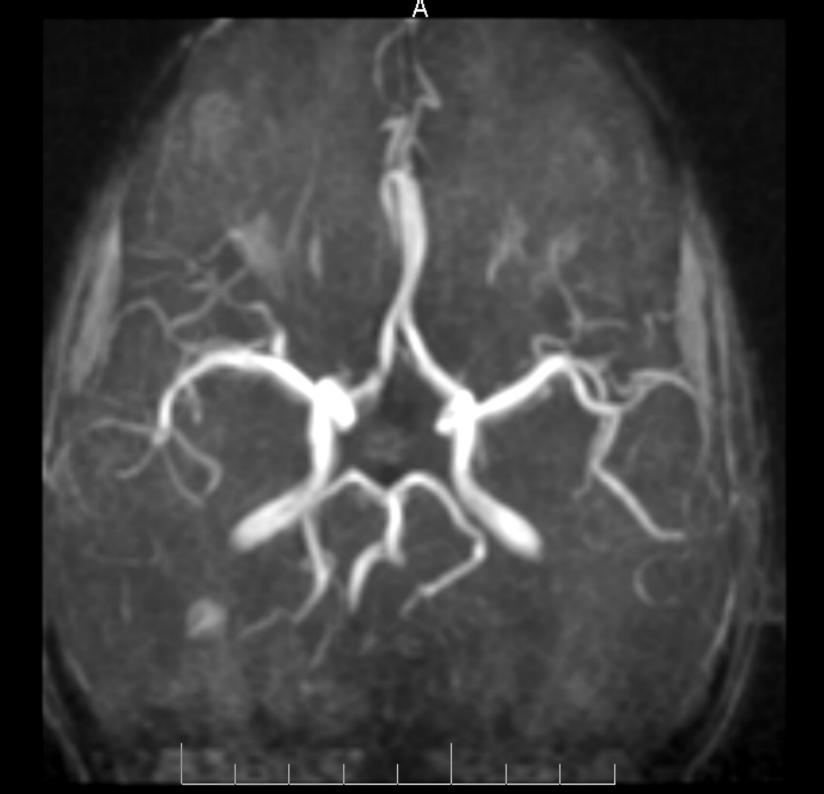
deposits -2-3 cells.

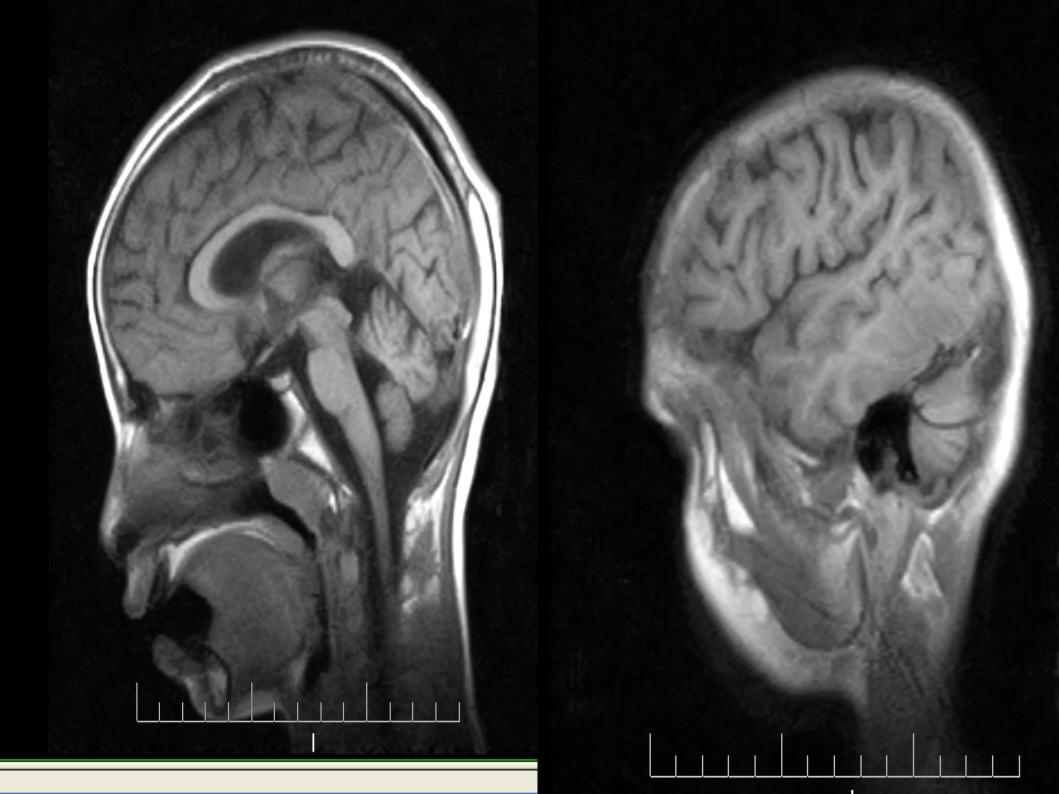








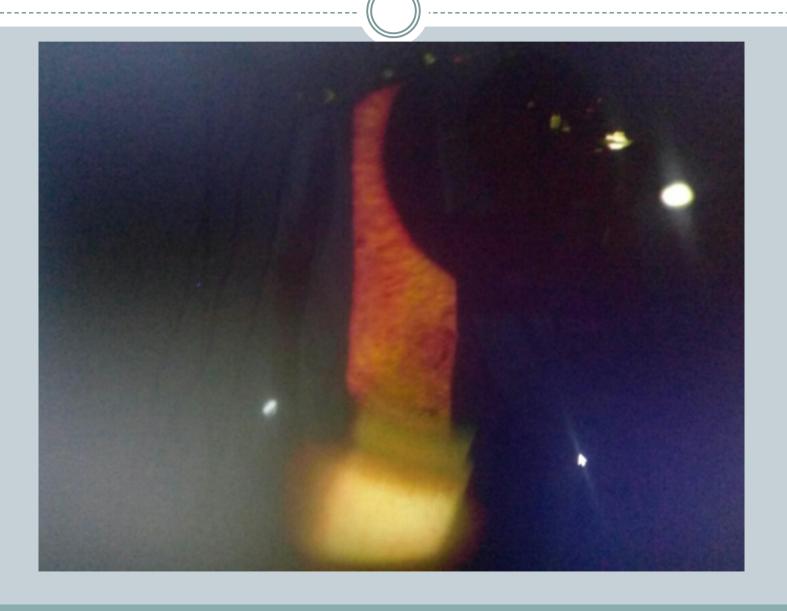






Ophthalmologist openion obtained-Bilateral KAYSER -FLEISHER RING by slit lamp examination.

Slit Lamp



USG ABDOMEN:

- o Liver: 9cm, altered echos
- o Pv: 9.9 mm, velocity 13cm /sec, normal flow
- o Spleen 10.1 cm
- o Kidneys
- o Spleen
- Bladder

normal

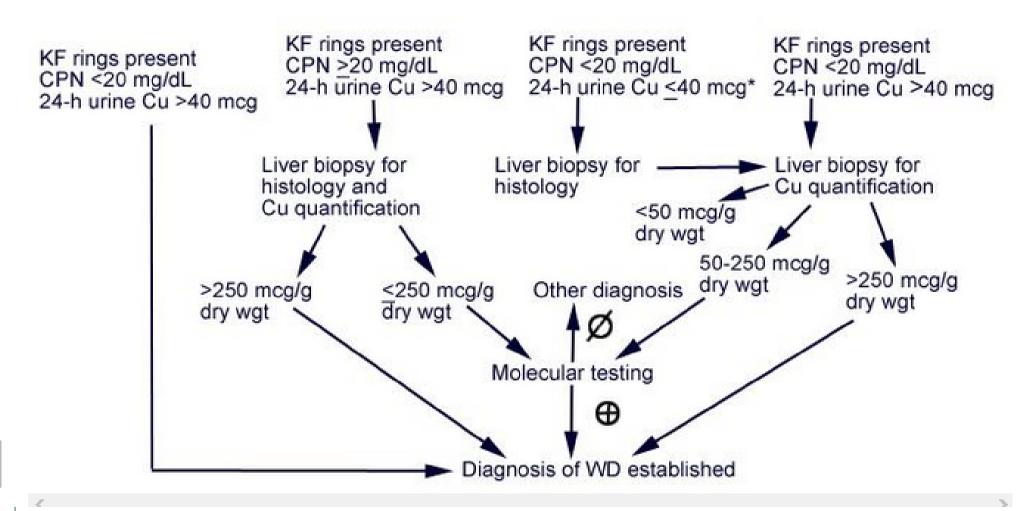
Impression-parenchymal Liver Disease.

- Serum ceruloplasmin : 14.8 mg %.
- 24 hr urine copper: 292.52 ug /day.

WIISON'S DISEASE with neuro psychiatric manifestation.

- Neurologist review obtained
- Advised T. zinc acetate 50 mg BD
- T. D-penicillamine 250 mg BD
- T.phenytoin 100 mg 2Hs.

Serum ceruloplasmin (CPN); 24-h urinary Cu; slit lamp examination



Thank you