

## **Abstract**

Ileo-Psoas abscess (IPA) is an accumulation of pus inside the iliopsoas compartment located in the lower lumbar region. Its presentation in the early stages is non-specific and may associated with diagnostic dilemma and hence therapeutic delay. We report a case of 19 year old male with Crohn's disease presented with on and off right side iliac fossa pain over 1 year duration. He is diagnosed with frequent relapses of right side psoas abscess. The antibiotic treatment was carried out in each episode while continuing Crohn's specific pharmacological management with poor response and worsening of the patient's general condition, ultimately required surgical treatment with right sided hemicolectomy. In spite of several complications patient was markedly improved his clinical condition following surgical intervention. Six months after the surgical management, colostomy reversal was carried out successfully.