

Abstract

The elderly presenting with an altered level of consciousness is a common presentation to health care services, where the thorough evaluation of the cause can lead to better outcomes for the patient in morbidity and mortality. Among common reasons, metabolic encephalopathy should be taken into account when there are no focal neurological signs observed. Here we present a case of an elderly male presented with progressive weakness with an altered level of consciousness, found to have elevated Anti TPO antibody level, where we treated with steroids had a marked response.