

# IATROGENIC MENINGITIS AFTER SPINAL ANESTHESIA

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## **Abstract**

Iatrogenic bacterial meningitis is a rare complication of some surgical procedures like spinal or epidural anesthesia. The mortality rate is high even those patients who recover from the acute phase of disease, would suffer from persistent complications. In one retrograde study, only 60 cases of iatrogenic meningitis were found during 20 years literature review. In this case report, we are going to introduce a patient who has found serious neurological complications due to iatrogenic bacterial meningitis after spinal anesthesia for elective cesarean section.