

A Case of Small Cell Lung Cancer Combined with a Metastatic Lung Tumor from Esophageal Cancer

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Abstract: We report a rare case of small cell lung cancer combined with a metastatic lung tumor from esophageal cancer in a sixty-year-old woman. The patient had previously undergone a subtotal esophagectomy and adjuvant chemotherapy postoperatively for advanced abdominal esophageal cancer. Five years and seven months after surgery, right lung tumors were pointed out on chest computed tomography, and chemotherapy was thus performed for one year to treat the recurrent disease. Nevertheless, the lung tumors continued to increase in size, and a right lower lobectomy was therefore performed. The histological findings revealed metastatic squamous cell carcinoma from esophagus and small cell lung cancers.

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