Gemella morbillorum osteomyelitis in an adolescent

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We report a case of Gemella morbillorum osteomyelitis infection in an otherwise healthy adolescent. This type of osteomyelitis was not reported previously in the English literature. The patient was successfully treated with ampicillin. We conclude that G. morbillorum osteomyelitis can be effectively controlled with drainage and ampicillin administration. (Hong Kong Journal of Orthopaedic Surgery 2001;5(2):125-133.)

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青少年患Gemella morbillorum骨髄炎:—病例報告

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本文報導一例患Gemella morbillorum骨髄炎的青少年, 病症發病前健康正常。此類骨髄炎在英文文獻中從未報告。患者接受氨苄青霉素後成功得到治療。我們推斷引流及使用氨苄青霉素能有效治療G. morbillorum骨髄炎。