

# Review of: "Mumps pneumonia in adults – a forgotten entity"

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- The paper is interesting and worthy of publication in terms of scientific merit. Although there are some concerns /questions that need to be clarified.
- In your case, how the young adult male started antibiotic treatment after a one-week duration in your abstract? Why antibiotic?? Is it possible?
- In which age group is Mumps pneumonia infection more common? Children or adults? Why? If the majority of the children have received Mumps vaccination within the first two years, how they can be contracted the virus during their adulthood? Clarify?
- Does Mumps pneumonia more severe than fungal and bacterial pneumonia? Why? Comparison is needed in your case study.
- Mumps pneumonia is a very contagious illness that can be spread through direct contact, respiratory droplets, and fomites. Are these the only means of transmission? Why not kiss, sneeze or coughing, sharing cups or water bottles etc. please add more.