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Relato de caso

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Background: Blind Pouch Syndrome is the set of signs and symptoms caused by intestinal content stasis and consequent bacterial hyperproliferation, generally in a segment excluded from the intestinal flow after surgical procedure. Case Report: We report a case of a 65-year-old male patient complaining of diffuse abdominal pain, poor oral intake, nausea, diarrhea, fever and chills. On physical examination, the abdomen was tender and distended, without signs of peritonitis. He had history of cecal resection five years ago due to a tubulovillous adenoma. Complete blood cells showed microcitic anemia. Computed tomography of the abdomen revealed ileocolonic anastomosis (ascending) with blind loop presenting signs of inflammatory process. An exploratory laparotomy was performed and a dysfunctional ileal blind pouch was observed distal to an ileocolonic side-to-end anastomosis. This compromised loop was resected and the patient evolved with clinical improvement. Keywords: Blind Pouch Syndrome, case report. Relato de caso