Dedication

TO

- My family
- My colleagues
- Dear Teachers
- My Friends and to the good Old days of college of Radiological sciences.
- And to all who HAD HELPED ME IN MY LIFE.

Elwaleed

Arabic - Amir Diab - Rageen.rA:CK10Wedgenet

Profound thanks and gratitude to all academies that are play great role for making success to finish the work in good manner, to everyone who encouraged me to complete this research.

Firstly I would like to express my deep gratitude to my supervisor Ms. Mymona Mohammed Zain the teacher of collage of medical Radiological sciences for her continuous supports and advice.

Also great thank to the radiology staff of the police hospital for their continuous help and cooperation for their over hearted assistance.

I would like to thank the staff of Alsha'ab teaching hospital too.

Abstract

To investigate the diagnostic accuracy of the high resolution computerized tomography in evaluating and detecting the level of small pulmonary bronchial and obstructive lung disease. This research deal with comparison between conventional CT and HRCT – high resolution computerized tomography in detection of bronchial diseases.

50 patients clinically diagnosed as obstructive lung disease were studied between January and June 2008 in Alsha'ab teaching hospital, Police hospital and Yastabshroon medical center.

The patients underwent CT and HRCT-high resolution computerized tomography to compare the efficiency of each procedure, and the data of each examination was analyzed and show the significant relation ship between the tow investigations.

The data is analyzed by the T-test analysis program and showed sig (2-tailed) > 0.001 for the appearance of both anatomy and pathology by the conventional CT procedure, and showed sig (2-tailed) < 0.001 for the appearance of both anatomy and pathology by the HRCT-high resolution computerized tomography; and this mean the first result is effective but not acceptable and the second result is accurate and acceptable according to the statistic program.

The analysis result proves that the higher accuracy of HRCT in evaluating of small pulmonary bronchial diseases in 100 per cent of the patients.

Lately HRCT play an important role in the diagnosis of obstructive lung diseases.



في هذه الدراسة تم قياس دقة التصوير بالاشعه ألمقطعيه ذات الوضوح العالى في تشخيص أمراض الشعب و الممرات ألهوائيه ألدقيقه.

أجريت هذه الدراسة في أقسام الاشعه ألمقطعيه بمجمع يستبشرون الطبي ومركز الخرطوم المتطور و مستشفى الشرطة.

امتدت هذه الدراسة من يناير/ 2008م حتى يونيو 2008م.

أخذت عينه عشوائية من المرضى (رجال، نساء) تتكون من خمسين مريض لديهم انسداد في الشعب الهوائية مختلفي الأعمار والأعراض، خضع كل المرضى لإجراء فحص بالاشعه ألمقطعيه العادية والاشعة ذات الوضوح العالى لتوضيح التشخيص الدقيق للانسداد في الشعب الهوائية.

تم تحليل بيانات المرضى الكلية لمقارنة و توضيح دور كل فحص , و اثبتت النتائج افضلية الاشعة المقطعية دات الوضوح العالي في التشخيص.

تصوير الرئتين بواسطة الاشعه ألمقطعيه ذات الوضوح العالي تمكن من تحديد مستوى وأسباب الانسداد في الشعب الهوائية في كل المرضى بالعينة. كذلك تمكن من المشاهدة الدقيقة و تحديد أنواع مختلفة لأمراض الممرات الهوائية الدقيقة المسببة للانسداد في الشعب الهوائية.

أخيرا نجد أن تصوير الرئتين بواسطة الاشعه المقطعية ذات الوضوح العالي يلعب دورا هاما في تشخيص حالات الانسداد في الشعب الهوائية و اكتشاف أنواع أمراض الممرات الهوائية الدقيقة بنسبه مائة في المائة.

Contents

Contents	I
Dedication	II
Acknowledgment	II
Abstract (English)	IV
Abstract (Arabic)	V
Abbreviation	V

List of figures	VII
Chapter 1	
Introduction	1
Figure 1.1 problem of the study	2
Figure 1.2 objective of the study	3
Figure 1.3 hypothesis	3
Figure 1.4 importance of the study	3
Figure 1.5 methodology	3
Figure 1.6 the scope of the study	3
Chapter 2	
Figure 2.1 anatomy of the lungs	6
Figure 2.2 physiology of the lungs	11
Figure 2.3 pathology of small airways	12
Chapter 3	
Figure 3.1 HRCT technique	23
Chapter 4	
Material and Methods	
Figure 4.1 introduction to the HRCT technique used	27
Figure 4.2 Patients	31
Figure 4.3 Technique	31
Chapter 5	
Figure 5.1 Results	32
Chapter 6	
Figure 6.1 Discussion	36
Figure 6.2 Conclusions	38
Figure 6.3 Recommendations	38
Cases	40
Appendices	45

ABBRIVIATIION

<u>CHRCT:</u> Chest High Resolution Computerized Tomography.

HRCT: High Resolution Computerized Tomography.

CT: Computerized Tomography.

HU: Hounsfield Units.

RB: Respiratory Bronchioles.

DIP: Desquamative interstitial pneumonia.

ILD: Interstitial Lung Disease

List of figures

Figure (2-1) Anatomy and Physiology of the lungs Figure (2-2) Physiology of the lungs Figure (2-3) Pathology of the small airways

Figure (3-1) HRCT Technique

Figure (4-1) Introduction of the HRCT technique used:

Figure (4-2) Patients

Figure (4-3) Technique Figure (5-1) Results Figure (6-1) Discussion

Figure (6-2) Conclusion

Figure (6-3) Recommendations