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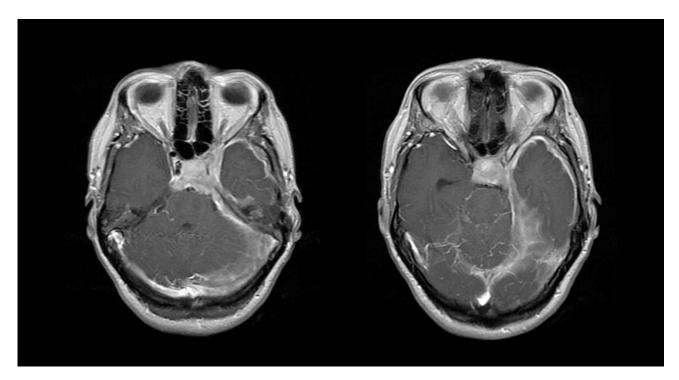
CASE 2012-8

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Clinical History:

The patient is a 42-year-old woman who presented with left transverse sinus occlusion. She was treated with warfarin and followed by neurology. MRI showed prominent dural thickening and nodularity involving the majority of both cerebral hemispheres including the falx and tentorium. Repeat MRI a few months later showed worsened dural thickening. She was referred to neurosurgery and a biopsy was performed in the region of the left temporal lobe.



Material submitted:

- 1. Brain MRI (digital image)
- 2. Virtual H&E stained section of meningeal biopsy

Points for discussion:

- 1. Differential Diagnosis
- 2. Ancillary studies
- 3. Diagnosis and diagnostic criteria