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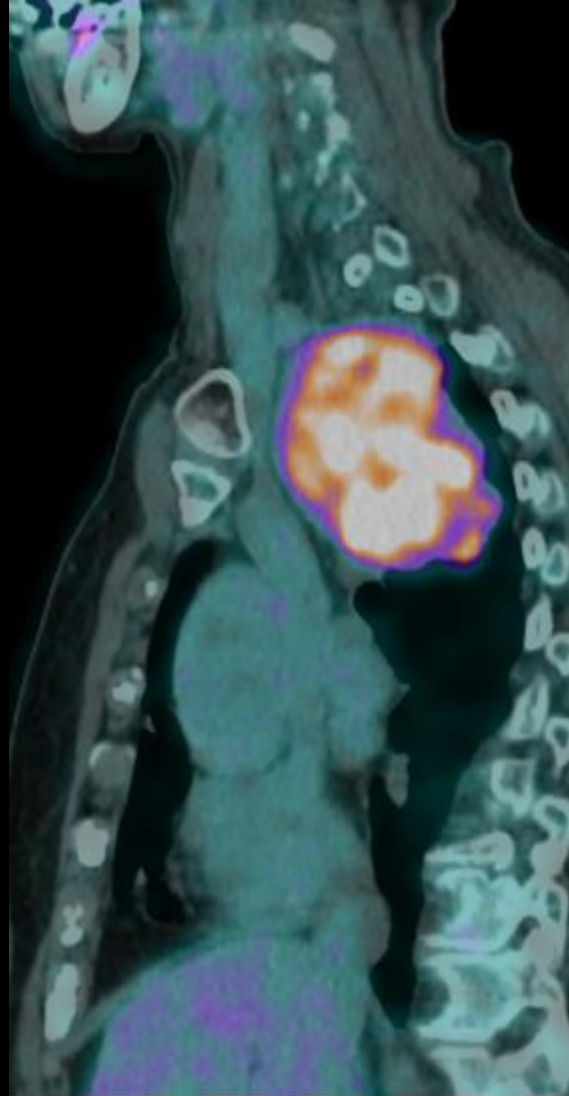


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**Figure 1** (a;b) Saggital and axial mediastinal window of the chest-CT revealed a **heterogeneous mass** located at the middle and posterior mediastinum. The lesion **involved the right upper lobe** seen in the Saggital Reconstruction CT (fig c)



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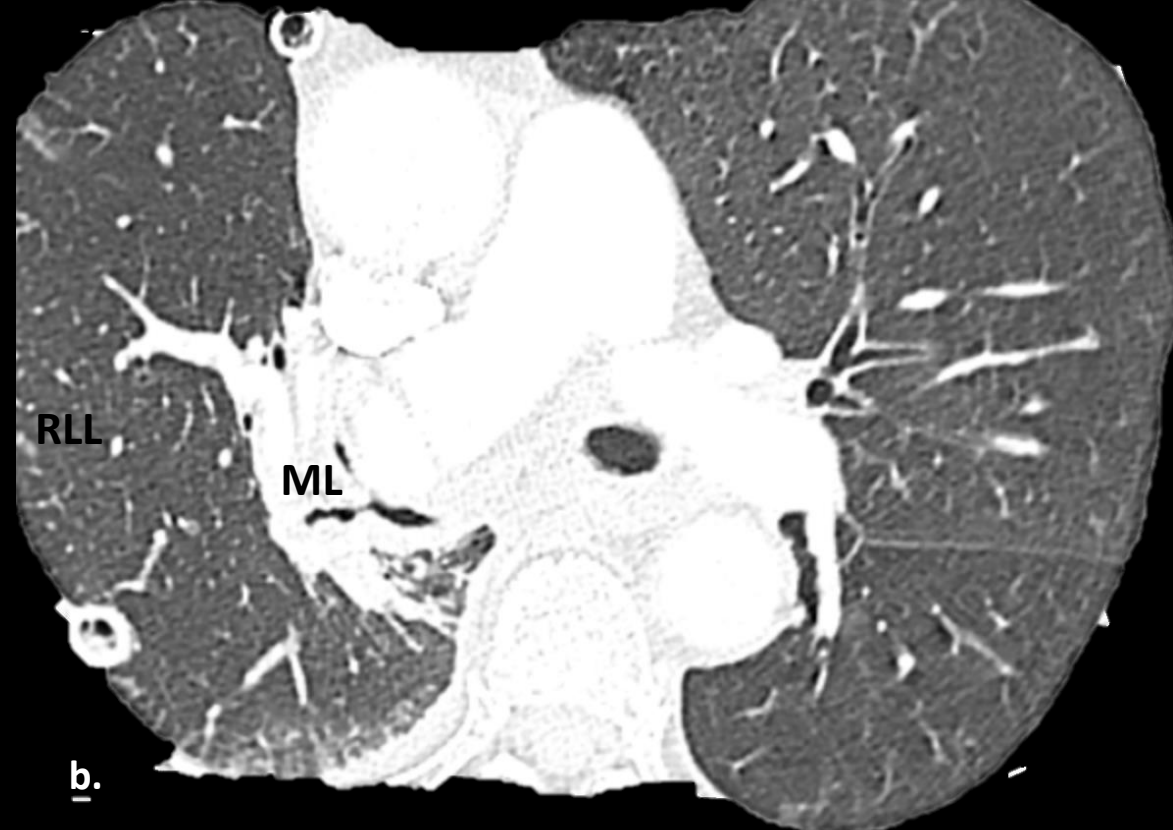


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**Figure 2 (a;b;c).** 18F-FDG PET/CT was performed to characterize the lesion, which showed **intense uptake** of the lesion and lymphadenopathy , suggesting a neoproliferative process



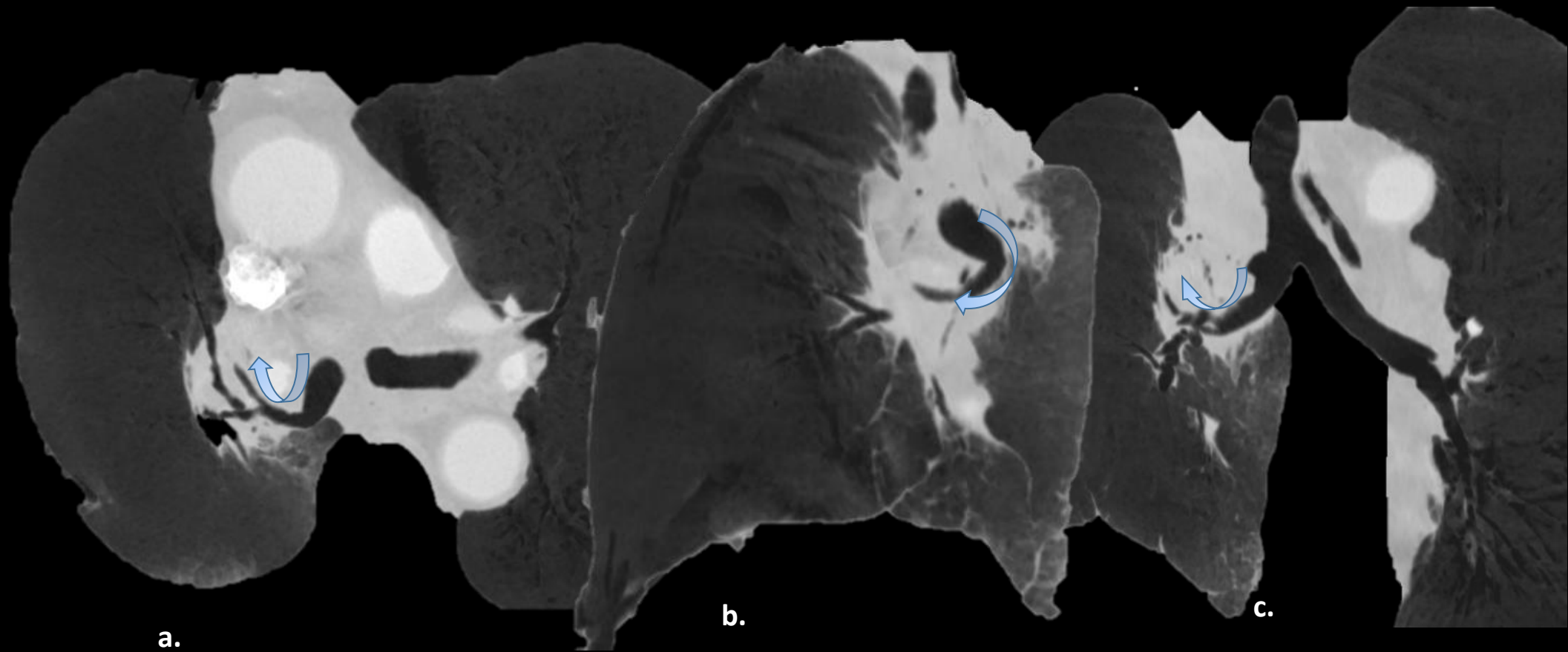
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**Figure 3.** Chest CT obtained on POP day 2 following primary surgery. Axial lung window (Fig 3 A;B;C) demonstrate ground-glass opacities and interlobular septal thickening in the middle and right lower lobe. There was a small pneumothorax and small amounts of pleural effusion on the right side, to be expected postoperatively. Fig A;B show the chest drain in place with its tip over the apex of the right lung.

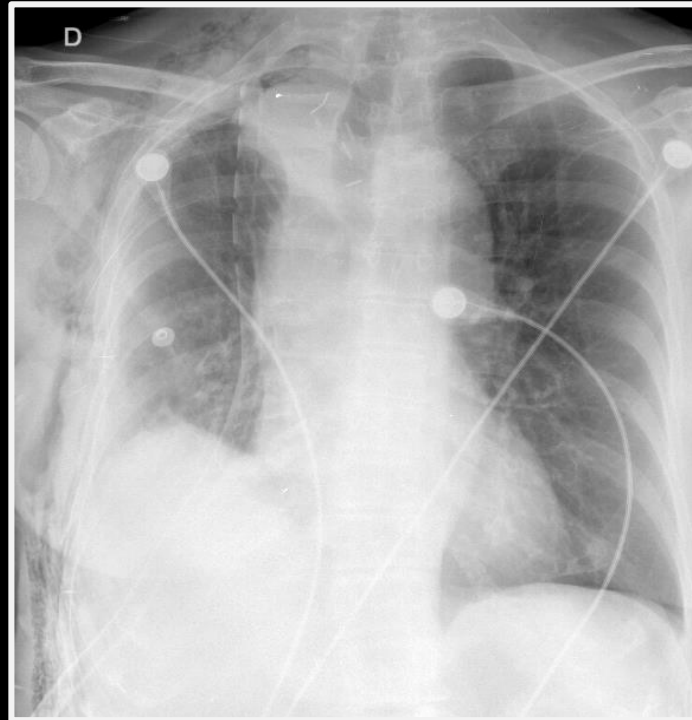


**Figure 4 (a;b;c) Ches CT MinIP: Occlusion of the right upper pulmonary vein and swirling of the arteries to the middle lobe**

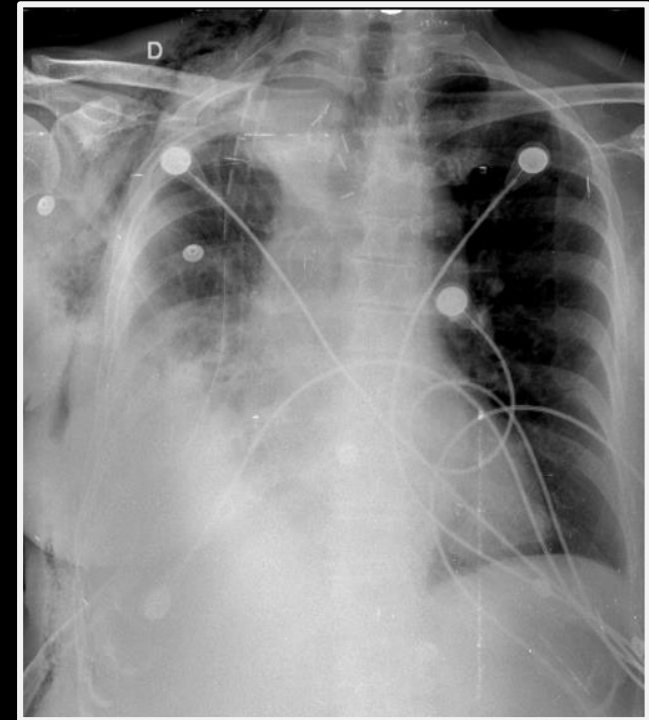
**Figure 5:** The first (A) postoperative chest x-ray performed after the upper lobectomy. Opacity adjacent to the right hilum. Chest x-ray performed 48 hours postoperatively (B). There is a rise in opacification around the right perihilar region, characterized by clearly delineated upper and lower boundaries created by the limits of the twisted right middle lobe. Chest x-ray performed 72 hours postoperatively (C), affirms a progressing deterioration, manifesting as a more extensive opacification projected across the hemithorax.



a.



b.



c.

1<sup>st</sup> day



2<sup>nd</sup> day



3<sup>rd</sup> day