44-year-old female with complicated psychiatric history presenting with suicide ideation and altered mental status

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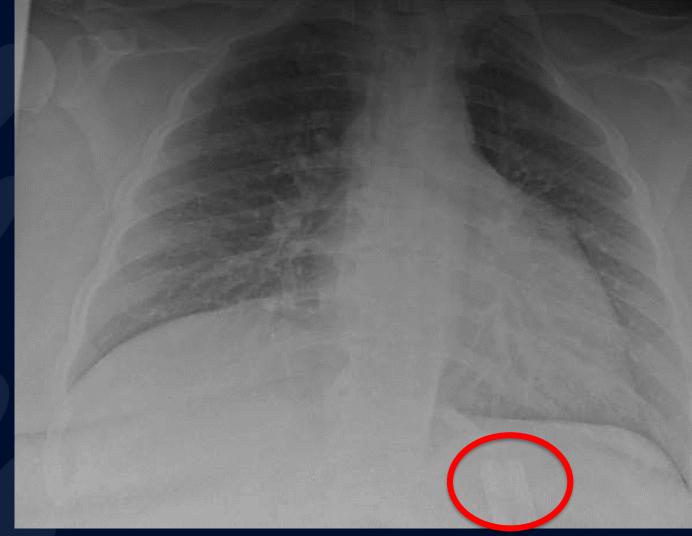






Foreign Body Ingestion (Polyembolokoilamania)







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Foreign Body Ingestion

- **Polyembolokoilamania** is the act of inserting foreign bodies into orifices such as the rectum and vagina (4). These can lead to dangerous outcomes, such as toxic shock syndrome, internal bleeding, and necrosis.
- When a patient has ingested an unknown foreign body, ultrasound/radiographs are first line for imaging. CT scans are used for further assessment. MRIs are avoided, as the presence of metal in the foreign body (as in this patient) is highly contraindicated.



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