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### **Intra-medullary Tuberculomas: Case series**

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**I**ntramedullary Spinal Tuberculoma is an extremely rare disease when compared to pulmonary, extrapulmonary, and skeletal tuberculosis in developing countries. In the absence of systemic tuberculosis, the clinical presentation is non-distinctive from other intramedullary lesions. We report two cases of Intramedullary Tuberculoma both presenting with signs and symptoms of space-occupying lesions. Surgical excision was done in both cases following which patients improved neurologically. Histopathological evaluation is essential to provide curative treatment.

#### **Biography**

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