

[LETTERS TO THE EDITOR]

Did This Cryptococcosis Patient Have HIV Coinfection?

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To the Editor I read with interest the article by Sato et al. describing a patient with CD4(+) lymphocytopenia and disseminated cryptococcosis (1). This article does not mention whether or not HIV coinfection was present in their patient. HIV infection causes CD4(+) lymphocytopenia and cryptococcosis (2), and the treatment strategies for cryptococcosis differ between patients with and without HIV infection (2).

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