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Abstract B261 LAST BUT NOT LEAST: DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS OF SEIZURES AFTER SPINE SURGERY

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Background and Aims A 50 year-old male, ASA II has had suffered high energy blunt thoracic trauma from a road traffic accident presented with left-sided thoracic and upper limb trauma. On presentation had mild respiratory distress despite being haemodynamically stable and an oxygen saturation of 93% on room air. Head and cervical spine were negative. Thoracic scan showed displaced rib fractures 1st to 7th and concomitant ipsilateral severe lung contusion, fractured scapula, clavicle and three thoracic vertebrae. Patient required fixation of four ribs and his elbow. Neither the vertebrae, nor the clavicular and scapular fractures needed operative treatment.

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