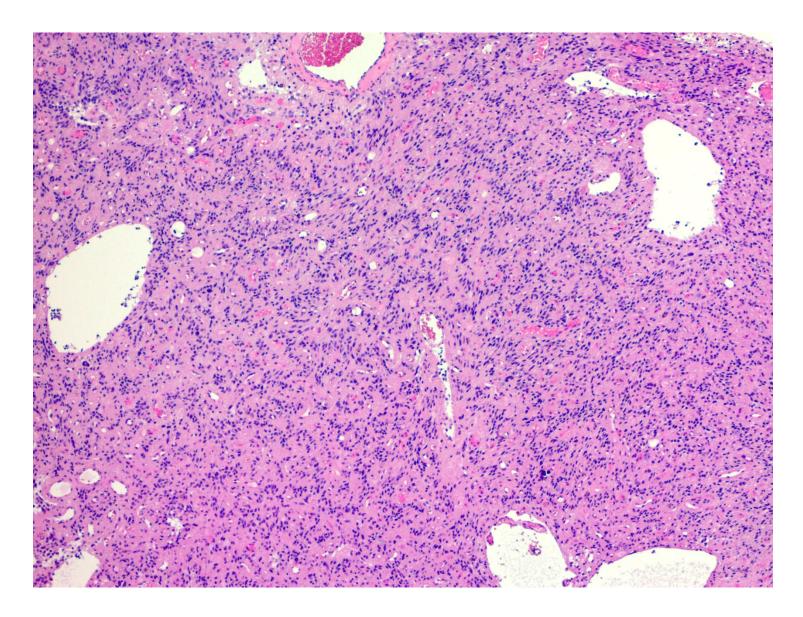
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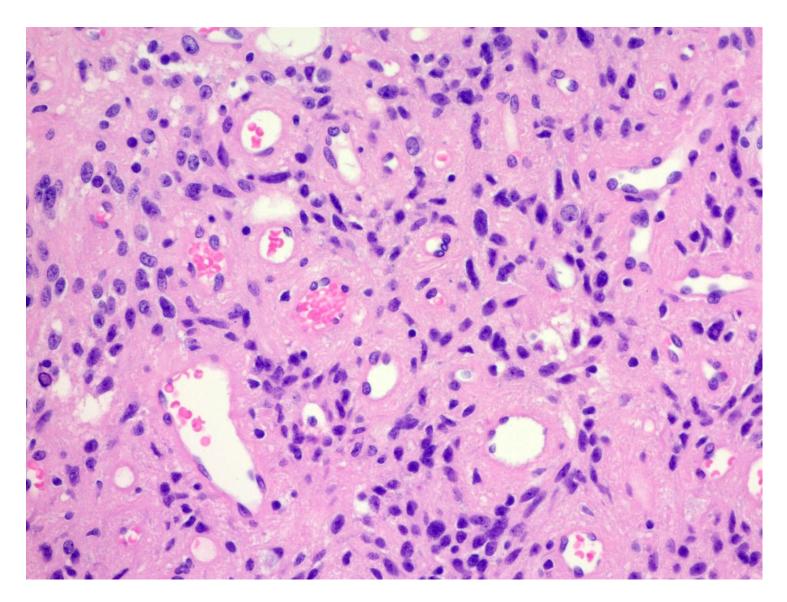
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Case history

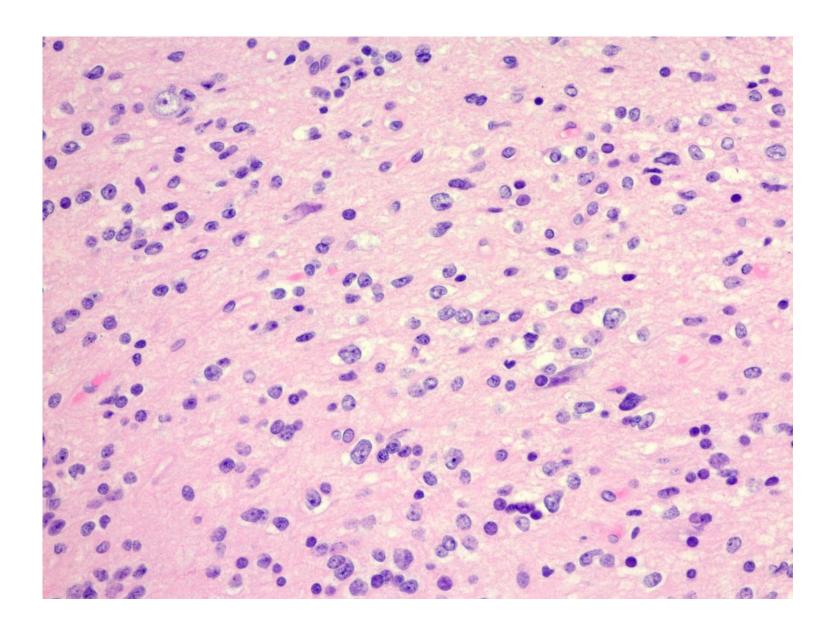
- The patient was a 20 year-old male who had suffered from epileptogenic seizures for a few months prior to the diagnosis
- MRI showed a partly cystic tumor with a nonenhancing solid component localized in the medial temporal lobe



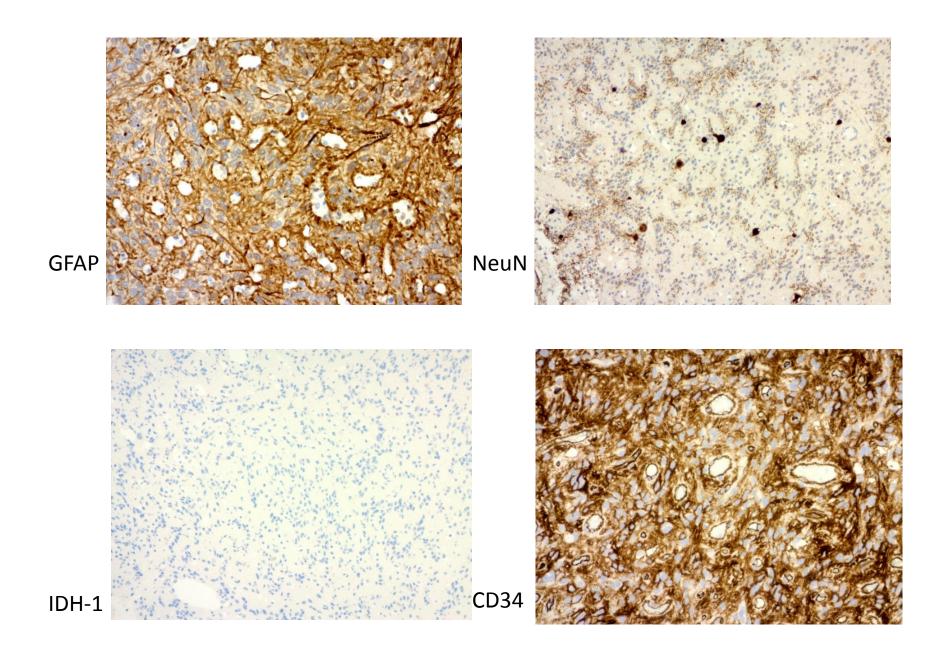
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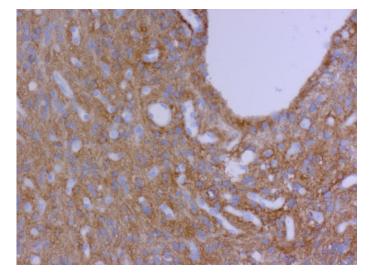


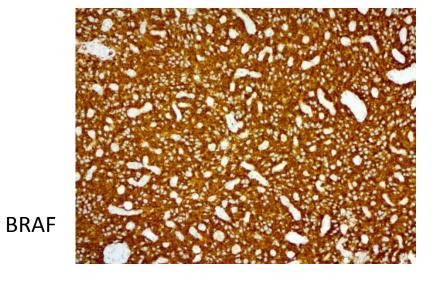
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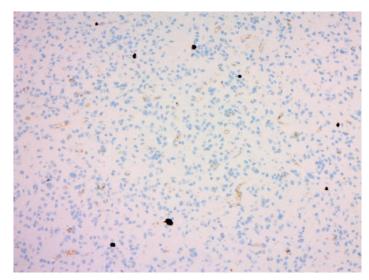
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FGFR3



Ki-67

Diagnosis?

Case of the month – Diagnosis

- Polymorphous low-grade neuroepithelial tumor of the young (PLNTY)
- A recently described epileptogenic low-grade neuroepithelial tumor with oligodendroglioma-like components, infiltrative growth and CD34immunopositivity
- Immunohistochemistry showed positivity for both BRAF V600E and FGFR3. Genetic studies are on the way.
- Ref: Huse JT et al. Polymorphous low-grade neuroepithelial tumor of the young (PLNTY): an epileptogenic neoplasm with oligodendroglioma-like components, aberrant CD34 expression, and genetic alterations involving the MAP kinase pathway. Acta Neuropathol. 2017; 133(3): 417-429.