A 65-year-old lady, diagnosed with type 2 diabetes mellitus, hypertension and chronic kidney disease stage 4 presented with a 5-day history of high-grade fever with chills, vomiting and right loin pain. She was febrile with a temperature of 103°F, had tachycardia (pulse 116/min) and there was right renal angle tenderness. She had neutrophil leukocytosis (total white cells 17,260/cmm of blood with 70.2% neutrophils) and urine routine and microscopic examination revealed plenty of pus cells/high power field (HPF) and 4-6 red cells/HPF. Urine and blood cultures were requested.

A non-contrast abdominal computed tomography (CT) scan was performed. An axial and a coronal section is shown (Fig.1A & B). Study the films and answer following questions.

Questions

Q 1. Mention abnormal CT findings.

Q 2. What is the radiological diagnosis?

Q 3. Mention one risk factor that might have contributed to the condition in this case.

Q 4. Mention principles of management.

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