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Dear editors:

This case here we reported was a rare case in the world so far, and to our knowledge, it was also the first case in Taiwan. Although the HBV DNA titer is not remarkably high, and the liver function tests were quite normal, however the patient's neurologic presentation with malaise symptoms were both developing in similar period, which he had not ever experienced before. We try to find more cases to prove the mechanism of HBV infection associated autoimmunity inducing CNS neuropathy. We hope that the role of regulatory T cell in autoimmune reaction could be established and further management of immunotherapy toward Treg would be promoted,

thanks very much!!

Best regards
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