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a very informative and successful and right to the point case report, thank you very much!

although not very important I wondered about two things (which I would have added to the report as well):

1. ki67 level / proliferation index of the lymphoma: one wonders why a high dose effective regimen with 3-4 weeks interval does not work whereas single agent but frequent chemo works. one explanation would be an indolent form of the disease responds to lower but continuous doses of chemo whereas a more aggressive form would need multiagent and hyperfractionated therapy,... who knows?

2. major side effects of pralatrexate and if the patient has experienced any kind of ghvd

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