

A patient with AIDS: infection associated with pneumocystis carinii and cryptococcus neoformans
Paciente con SIDA: infeccion asociada por pneumocystis Carinii y cryptococcus Neoformans.

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A patient with AIDS developed pulmonary infiltrates typical of infection by P. carinii. However, therapy for this agent was unsuccessful. Further studies including blood cultures revealed the presence of C neoformans. Specific therapy for this agent led to recovery. Concomitant opportunistic infections may cause diagnostic and therapeutic problems in patients with AIDS.