

better than CT in identification of ischemic stroke that are acute, but DWI can also give false negative results in the first 24 hours of presentation [6]. Strokes of the posterior circulation involved region are more common for false negative results including the brainstem. In a case report MRI finding was negative within the first 24 hours of onset, MRI which was repeated after 24 hours of presentation helped in identifying such lesions which are negative on MRI initially [7].

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CONCLUSION

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