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Highly elevated c-reactive protein (CRP) with non leukocyte count among febrile pediatric patients: Cli implications

White blood cells count (WBC) is routinely used to assess children with fee the test has low sensitivity. e C-reactive protein (CRP) has a higher ser the diagnosing of bacterial infection. However, there is a lack of informat conditions where WBC is normal while CRP is increased. We aimed to ide prevalence of this phenomenon and to describe its clinical features.

e study included children aged 3mo $\,$ 18y who presented at our en department with fever during 2018-2020. Included were children with C

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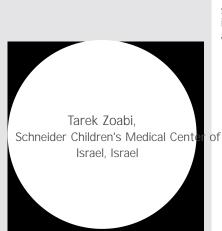
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