

In 1985, Gupta et al. ( [\[1\]](#) ) published a case history of hydrocephalus and severe spinal adhesive arachnoiditis due to iophendylate, and Kaugars et al. ( [\[2\]](#) ) wrote about residual cranial contrast.

Meanwhile, a worker at the Drug and Poison Information Control wrote to Alcon reporting a case of paralysis in the lower extremities, also sending a copy to the FDA.

The complaint was referred on within the FDA after several months, but what action, if any, was taken is not apparent.

---

[\[1\]](#) Gupta SR, Naheedy MH, O'Hara RJ, Rubino FA. *Comput Radiol* 1985 Nov-Dec; 9(6): 359-64 Hydrocephalus following iophendylate injection myelography with spontaneous resolution: case report and review.

[\[2\]](#) Kaugars GE, Campbell RL, Shulman J. *Oral Surg Oral Med Oral Pathol* 1985 Dec; 60(6): 679-81 Residual intracranial contrast agent.