Additional file 1: Supplementary material

Management and Outcomes of Pneumothorax in Adult Patients with Langerhans Cell Histiocytosis.

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	Nodulo-cystic pattern	Cystic pattern	Cystic score Median, IQR	Predominant thick-walled cysts	Predominant thin- walled cysts	Predominant cysts >1cm	Presence of subpleural cysts
N=28	22	6	8.0 [IQR, 6-12]	14	14	6	27
Without recurrence N=16	12	4	8.5 [IQR, 6-12]	8	8	5	15
With recurrence N=12	10	2	7.5 [IQR, 7-10]	6	6	1	12

Table S1. Lung HRCT lesions and pattern at the first episode of pneumothorax in PLCH patients

Abbreviation definitions: PLCH, pulmonary Langerhans cell histiocytosis; HRCT, high resolution computed tomography; IQR, interquartile range.

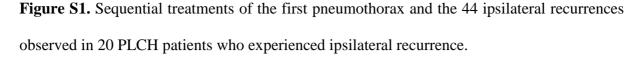
		Pleurodesis										
			Mechanical		Chemical*		Both		Pleurectomy**		Total	
		n=9		n=23		n=6		n=12		n=50†		
All	Resection [§] yes/no	7 (78%)	2 (22%)	9 (39%)	14 (61%)	3 (50%)	3 (50%)	5 (42%)	7 (58%)	24 (48%)	26 (52%)	
procedures	Recurrence, n (%)	2 (29%)	1 (50%)	4 (44%)	9 (64%)	0	0	1 (20%)	4 (57%)	7 (29%)	14 (54%)	
	Total recurrences	3 (33%)		13 (56%)		0		5 (42%)		21 (42%)		
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		n=5		n=21		n=0		n=8		n=34†		
	Resection	4	1	8	13	NA	NA	3	5	15	19	
VATS	(yes/no)	(80%)	(20%)	(38%)	(62%)			(38%)	(62%)	(44%)	(56%)	
	Recurrence, n (%)	2 (50%)	1 (100%)	3 (38%)	8 (62%)	NA	NA	1 (33%)	3 (60%)	6 (40%)	12 (63%)	
	Total recurrences	3 (60%)		11 (52%)		NA		4 (50%)		18 (53%)		
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		n=4		n=2		n=6		n=4		n=16		
	Resection yes/no	3	1	1	1	3	3	2	2	9	7	
TCT		(75%)	(25%)	(50%)	(50%)	(50%)	(50%)	(50%)	(50%)	(56%)	(44%)	
	Recurrence, n (%)	0	0	1 (100%)	1 (100%)	0	0	0	1 (50%)	1 (11%)	2 (29%)	
	Total recurrences	0		2 (100%)		0		1 (25%)		3 (19%)¶		

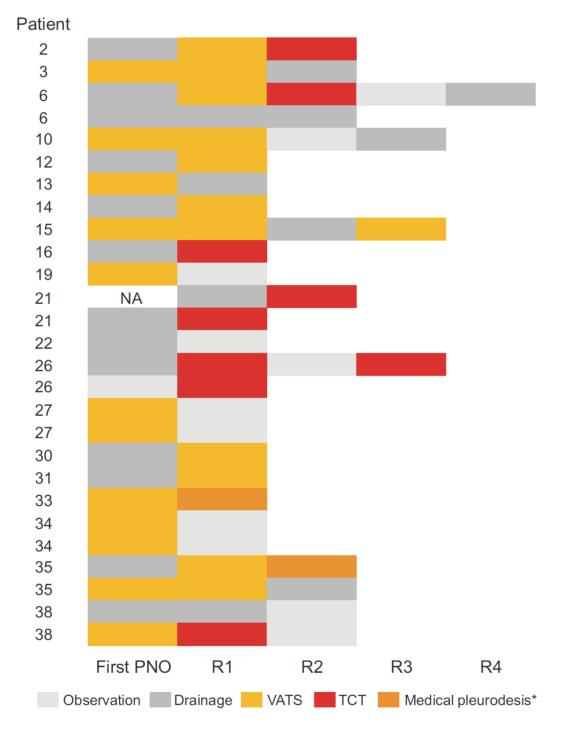
Table S2. Ipsilateral pneumothorax recurrences after surgical procedures performed in PLCH patients during the study period

*chemical pleurodesis consisted of iodine or talc. **apical pleurectomy whatever other associated procedure. \$resection of lung cysts/bullae.

†one patient did not have pleurodesis. p=0.03 compared to VATS.

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* Medical pleurodesis was performed through the drainage chest tube.

Abbreviations: PLCH, pulmonary Langerhans cell histiocytosis; NA, not available; PNO, pneumothorax; R, recurrence; VATS, video-assisted thoracoscopy; TCT, thoracotomy.