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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Authors reported ALK-negative ALCL in colon mimicking Behcet-like lesion in endoscopy. Diagnosis was not determined by colon biopsy at the presentation, but later re-biopsy made the diagnosis. This case gives readers some important findings ; 1)



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ALK-negative ALCL should be considered in colon ulcerative lesions, especially in elder men, 2) ALK-negative ALCL could be presented by multiple-ulcerative lesion in any organ, 3) Repeated biopsy is the most important for early diagnosis and treatment. Major comments. 1. Authors should describe whether the diagnostic criteria of Behcet's disease was fulfilled or not. Only endoscopic findings are compatible with Behcet, mention it. 2. Staging should be mentioned in diagnosis. Additionally, the results of bone marrow and CNS invasion should be mentioned, if evaluated. 3. It is important what is the cause of death in this case. If relapse is a case, upfront aggressive treatments should be considered. In this case, 54-year-old is mid age, so we can select new salvage therapy, such as Brentuximab Vedoin, and Istodax etc, and autologous and/or allogeneic SCT might be also effective treatment. Minor comments 1. Systemic ulcer lesions were temporarily improved after chemotherapy? 2. Clinical characteristics and outcome of 9 cases should be shown in Table for intelligibility.

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The manuscript titled "Anaplastic lymphoma kinase-negative anaplastic large cell lymphoma masquerading as Behcet's disease: A Case Report and Review of Literature" adds nothing to the existing scientific literature in the field. It can only be published for



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educational purposes if the authors handle to revise the manuscript adding a table consisting of clinical features and treatment modalities with outcome of previously reported 9 cases.

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