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This case report and review of cases in the literature looks at the concept of drug interaction between warfarin and rifampicin and how to manage it. The novel factors in this case are (i) that the baseline condition requiring rifampicin was brucellosis, not TB, and (ii) The involvement of pharmacy led dose titration. It also highlights differences in patients characteristics, namely Chinese racial origin and vitamin K rich diet, that might impact warfarin dosing. Whilst the manuscript is well written and has some novel features as described above the main messages about drug interaction and how to monitor and adjust are not new. The conclusions adequately support the data provided. The manuscript addresses the issue of multidisciplinary working well.