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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This article presents an extremely rare and informative case of GIST with multiple spinal metastasis. I agree with the authors diagnosis that the lesions are GIST. However, I could not find enough evidence in the manuscript to regard the lesion as metastatic lesion. The manuscript lacks information of primary lesion. Was the anal leiomyoma resected 8 years ago re-evaluated to exclude the possibility of GIST? What was a pathological diagnosis of the anal mass resected 1 month ago? Did the authors perform PET-CT to detect a primary lesion or other metastatic lesions?