

Dear Editor,

Thank you for providing the opportunity to revise and resubmit our manuscript–**NO. 63204– “Acute deep venous thrombosis induced by May-Thurner Syndrome after spondylolisthesis surgery: a case report and literature review”**. We have revised the manuscript according to your suggestions. In the following, we address the comments for revisions from the reviewers.

POINT-BY-POINT RESPONSES TO THE REVIEWERS

Reviewer #1:

Comment 1: Minor language polishing.

Response: We have checked the manuscript again for grammar, sentence structure, word usage, spelling, capitalization, punctuation, format, and general readability according to a native English speaker. And some linguistic flaws were corrected as underlined in the revision manuscript.

Comment 2: The MTS should be explained in better detail, not only in the discussion but also in the introduction of the article.

Response: This is particularly helpful in guiding significance to the case report. We read the references and searched the database carefully again and make the following corrections:

- 1) We explained the relationship between limitations of current risk assessment models and MTS in the introduction section.
- 2) We described the definition and symptoms of MTS in detail in the introduction section.
- 3) We described the relationship between the MTS and DVT in the introduction section. History, anatomical characters and risk factors of MTS were discussed in detail in the discussion section.

Reviewer #2:

Comment 1: Minor language polishing

Response: We have checked the manuscript again for grammar, sentence structure, word usage, spelling, capitalization, punctuation, format, and general readability according to a native English speaker. And some linguistic flaws were corrected as underlined in the revision manuscript.

Comment 2: interesting case

Response: We discussed the MTS in better details and explained the definition, symptoms, anatomical characters and risk factors in the introduction as well as the discussion.

Once again, thank you for the opportunity to revise this manuscript.

We will be more than happy to answer any clarifications you may have on reviewing the revised manuscript. Please feel free to contact us for the same.

Thank you again for your valuable time, the thorough review and your suggestions.

Sincere Regards

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