

***To Reviewer***

Q1) Patient was diagnosed in 2017. Now 4 years later in 2021, what is her current status? Other breast disease?

A) 2017 was the year when the patient started a routine screening mammogram at our hospital, not the year she was diagnosed. This was described in the 'case presentation' section of the manuscript. The patient recently underwent the first postoperative follow-up examination. There are no specific findings other than postoperative changes.

Q2) There are some hints that the absence of androgen receptor in adenoid cystic carcinoma might be a factor of poor prognosis. Yigit et al (2020, Androgen Receptor Expression in Adenoid Cystic Carcinoma of Breast: A Subset of Seven Cases) reported frequent expression of the AR in 6 of 7 patients. What was the status of the androgen receptor in the present case?

A) In our hospital, androgen receptor expression is not routinely tested for breast cancer and has not been performed in this patient, either. If the androgen receptor expression of AdCC is generalized, it would be meaningful to check whether AdCC arising from microglandular adenosis produces similar results. Thank you for providing important information.

***To Science editor***

1. Scientific quality

(2) Peer-Review Report: We have uploaded a file answering the reviewer's questions.

(5) Self-cited references: There are a total of 31 references, of which one is self-cited reference. It complies with the regulation of less than 10% self-citation. One self-citation is cited as it is necessary to explain this case.

(6) References recommend: There are no inappropriate citations requested by the review.

5. Issues raised

(1) Title: The title consists of a total of 11 words and meets the rules for no more than 18 words.

(2) Original pictures: We have uploaded the original figures using PowerPoint.

We appreciate your reviews and all comments.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

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