

ANSWERING REVIEWERS



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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 16498-review.doc).

Title: Acute hepatitis induced by intravenous amiodarone

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated according to formatting and presentation standards of the World Journal of Clinical Cases.

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewers.

Reviewer 00002314

- 1) *Quote this guideline and adhere to its standards: Chalasani NP, Hayashi PH, Bonkovsky HL, Navarro VJ, Lee WM, Fontana RJ; Practice Parameters Committee of the American College of Gastroenterology. Am J Gastroenterol. 2014 Jul;109(7):950-66.*

We thank the reviewer for this insightful comment. We added the following paragraph to the discussion "ACG Guidelines recommends that the causality assessment in patients with drug-induced hepatic injury should rely primarily on consensus expert opinion following a thorough evaluation for competing etiologies" and the guideline to the references.

- 2) *Include these references:*

- a) *Am J Emerg Med. 2007 Nov;25(9):1082;*
- b) *Am J Ther. 2014 Sep 24. [Epub ahead of print] PMID: 25259952.*

We included these references in the manuscript.

Reviewer 00039570

- 1) *I do not see any new information with this case report. There have been several reports including case series of eight, in this reference: <http://ccforum.com/content/13/S1/P175>*

We agree with the reviewer that this is not a case of extreme rarity. However, we believe that the structured approach and the discussion of the potential differential diagnoses and pathophysiological mechanisms enrich the manuscript.

Reviewer 02594499

- 1) *This is a well written case report on a serious complication following i.v. amiodarone administration. The reported case is not characterized by exceptional originality but the concise, immediate style and the precise description of the mechanism of damage gives the reader potential useful information and alternative options in the management of similar cases.*

We would like to thank the reviewer for his comment.

3 References and typesetting were corrected.

4 Language polishing was done by a native English speaker.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Clinical Cases*.

Sincerely yours,



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