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RE: ESPS manuscript NO: 28377

Dear Dr Fang-Fang Ji;

We want to express our thanks to the editor and reviewers of this manuscript for its favorable reception. We submit a revised manuscript. The revision addresses all the comments of the reviewers and contains grammatical and spelling corrections and updates of references. In reply to the reviewers:

Reviewer 00503339: The contents of the manuscript were divided in three parts. A statement at the end of the Introduction identifies the three parts. Key points of each part were added at the end of each part. Please accept our thanks for the useful suggestions and the favorable comments.

Reviewer 03509648: Please accept our thanks for the favorable comments.

Reviewer 00005191: The two case reports were moved after the Introduction. Please accept our thanks for the useful suggestion and the favorable comments.

Reviewer 00505314: Please accept our thanks for the favorable comments.

We also want to address here the sticky notes in the edited version of the manuscript

The revision is submitted in doc format

Post codes for all authors were added. Dr. Young Ho Kim's address was changed to his current address.

In reply to the request about specifics of support by the Research Service of the Raymond G Murphy VA Medical Center (sticky note on "Supported by:"), this review was not supported by any grant or monetary sum. The support of the Research Service consisted of providing to the corresponding author a work station, as a research assistant without compensation, and access to bibliographic search and obtaining copies of the published reports that were used as references in this report.

In response to the list of seven steps required for a successful submission of a revision:

Step 1: The manuscript was revised according to the reviewers' comments

Step 2: We used the Guidelines and Requirements for manuscript revision

Step 3: An audio of the core tip is submitted

Step 4: We have performed the Cross Check analysis suggested

Step 5: A conflict-of-interest statement is included in the revised manuscript

Step 6: This report was not supported by any grant

Step 7: We corrected the language of the manuscript

Finally, a pdf copyright form containing the signatures of the authors is submitted

Please stay assured that we are willing to make any other changes that are considered necessary in this report.

Thank you very much again.

On behalf of all the authors

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