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### 30930-ANSWERING REVIEWERS

#### REVIEWER 1

Reviewer's code: 00211908

#### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The reported case is well described and needs minor set-up polishing throughout the paper.

#### \* ANSWER:

Thank you very much for kind review.

I have checked and corrected some language errors in the manuscript.

## REVIEWERS 2

Reviewer's code: 02446694

### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors reported a case of congenital Gerbode defect, in which was successful closed using Nit-Occlud<sup>®</sup> Lê VSD coil. This case report seems to be interesting. As a reviewer, I raised two requests. #1 In the first half of "Discussion" section, the authors strengthened an accurate diagnosis of Gerbode defect, especially the differential diagnosis of tricuspid regurgitation on echocardiography. I think that the readers will have interest in it. In Figure 7, the author provided an image before the procedure, but this image was too small to understand the Gerbode defect. Therefore, the authors had better show the representative and enlarged images of Gerbode defect on echocardiography. Furthermore, the echocardiographic image after the procedure should be changed to an enlarged one. #2 There were many mistakes of no space between the words. The whole of manuscript should be checked more carefully. In addition, the style of reference should be displayed according to that of "WJC".

#### \* ANSWER:

Thank you for your very kind and detail review.

I've edited manuscript as suggested by reviewer:

#### #1.

- I added **Figure 7** (The Gerbode defect were best seen on echocardiography at subcostal five chamber view or parasternal short axis view), showed the good views for Gerbode defect interpretation on echocardiography.

- I also added **Figure 8A** (Transthoracic echocardiography performed 6 months after the procedure showed good device position at apical five chamber view and parasternal short axis view) and **Figure 8B** (Colour doppler showed no residual shunt at apical five-chamber view and parasternal short axis view 6 months after device deployment). These pictures demonstrated good result on echocardiography 6 months after Gerbode defect closure with Nit-Occlud<sup>®</sup> Lê VSD coil, both in 2D mode and colour doppler mode.

All these pictures were supplied in better resolution.



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#2.

- I corrected all the mistakes of no space between the words.

- The style of reference was edited according to Guidelines and Requirements for Manuscript of "WJC".



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### RESPONSE TO EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Thank you very much for your dedicated works.

I checked all the comments and revised the manuscript point to point according to your suggestions.

The changes were highlighted included:

- Provided the zip code in affiliation.
- Added author contributions.
- Added informed consent statement.
- Added institutional review board statement.
- Added core tip.
- Edited reference numbers of citation content.
- Added author comments.
- Added PubMed citation numbers (PMID) and DOI citation to the reference list and list all authors.
- Edited references.
- Added figures in a separate powerpoint file.

Thank you.