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Dear Editor

The manuscript has been revised according to your suggestions, article highlights written and added before section of the "references". Response to the reviewer present in this page and the manuscript revised according to his comments.

Thank you again for considering my manuscript in the *World Journal of Orthopedics*.

Elsayed Ibraheem Elsayed Massoud

### **Response to reviewer**

Dear reviewer

Thank you for reading my manuscript and I will respond to your comments.

**Reviewer's comment:** 1. The authors over-state from the abstract and core tips regarding time to reduction and hemarthrosis. However, these factors do not come out of this study and are only authors' assumptions. In contrast, it seems like a case series of patients with hip dislocations. I would revise and expand in the discussion only.

**Author's response:** Although "the time of reduction" and "the hemarthrosis" are not of the outcomes of the present study, they are its main objectives. I will take your suggestions seriously.

**Reviewer's comment:** 2. Please omit any irrelevant information and focus on hip dislocations.

**Author's response:** I will omit any pieces of information are not related to the hip dislocation or its outcome.

**Reviewer's comment:** 3. I would ask the authors to provide clear statements regarding when to reduce and in which positions optimally.

**Author's response:** All dislocations, in the present study, were reduced urgently once diagnosed and the limb was immobilized in a skin or skeletal traction.

**Reviewer's comment:** 4. At the results section it is stated that all dislocations were posterior; therefore, there is no meaning to provide the classification to the direction of the dislocations.

**Author's response:** Yes, all dislocations were of the posterior type which has subtypes. Therefore the accurate definition required the formal classification.

**Reviewer's comment:** 5. It should be clarified if any reduction was done open and if osteosynthesis was necessary.

**Author's response:** It was mentioned that all dislocations were reduced with the closed reduction method.

**Reviewer's comment:** 6. Results should be clear regarding risk factors for osteonecrosis. A formal analysis is necessary.

**Author's response:** This has been mentioned at the end of the "results" section and detailed in the discussion.

**Reviewer's comment:** 7. I would replace AVN with osteonecrosis (ON).

**Author's response:** I found the abbreviation "AVN" is used more frequently than the "ON". Please let me use the AVN abbreviation.

**Reviewer's comment:** 8. Discussion should focus on the topic (hip dislocations and risk factors).

**Author's response:** Yes this is case

**Reviewer's comment:** 9. Figures need explanatory legends.

**Author's response:** It has been revised