

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Manuscript NO: 43260

Title: Rhombencephalitis by *Listeria monocytogenes* with hydrocephalus and intracranial hemorrhage: A case report and review of literature

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Reviewer's country: Bangladesh

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Major english language edition and revision are needed. In conclusion- 'The combination of aminopenicillin and aminoglycosides may be an effective regimen in the treatment of listeriosis.' should be deleted.



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This is an interesting case, with an important message. however, the manuscript needs improvement. Several, grammatical and English language corrections required. In addition, following specific corrections are suggested: Materials and Methods Line 7-



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Chest CT Findings cannot be described as “pulmonary Infections”. The findings have to be written according to pattern e.g. Consolidation, Interstitial pneumonia, broncho pneumonia, etc. Line 2- Please add units to temperature throughout. Line 3- “Meropenem was added to combined treatment allergy to Betalactams ” this is an incorrect sentence, and the meaning is not clear. Discussion- The discussion should address the best time to obtain positive blood cultures as in the index case , the first blood cultures was negative, and became positive on day 8. Overall the discussion can be shortened.

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The paper is original, well written e suitable for publication.

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