

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Manuscript NO: 47434

Title: Successful repair of acute type A aortic dissection during pregnancy at 16 gestational weeks with maternal and fetal survival: A case report and review of the literature

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Reviewer's country: United Kingdom

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Dear authors The central idea of the report is interesting. In this report the discussion part is the most important and that should be impressive. Please give references where



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outcome was not good/positive. Please mention any factors which can impact the outcome and are modifiable. Some specific corrections are required as well: 1. The surgery used simultaneous intubation of the femoral and radial arteries. In this sentence "canulation" may be more appropriate than "intubation". 2. TTE is difficult to perform with the patients' cooperation because of acute chest pain In this sentence "with" should be replaced with "without" 3. instead of preforming hysterectomy was safe and effective in reducing secondary Instead of preforming it should be performing 4. Using cardiopulmonary bypass is dangerous Here "dangerous" may not be appropriate. The message could be that CPB carry serious risks

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This case report appears alright. However, there is too much of repetition in the abstract, introduction and discussion. Please minimize repetition. Please provide demonstrative



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figures (intraoperative as well as CT angio and post repair). Please provide the information in the period between gestation week 16 and week 38.

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Dear the authors Thank you for writing this case report which outlines a rare catastrophic complication in pregnancy i personally found it very informative and i liked



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the way of management described I have 3 points to be considered: 1. it would be of high value to describe to the readers the technique of surgical repair (method of cannulation, way of cerebral perfusion, extent of aortic replacement, etc) 2. could you describe the status of the descending aorta, and did you provide any kind of intervention later during the follow up period 3. Did you provide any kind of medications during surgery that augment stabilization of the uterus Thank you very much

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