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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Well-written case report and literature review. Very nice figures. Comments: 1. The



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swinging sign is mentioned but not defined. Please define. Can the authors comment on other signs of tamponade including TV inflow respiratory variation? RA collapse? MV inflow variation with respiration? 2. What was the initial LVEF? What was the LVEF after the patient's decompensation post-pericardiocentesis? Since the author's mention LV dysfunction as a potential risk factor for PDS, I think it is important to include this information. 3. Was an estimate of the RVSP from the TR jet possible after decompensation? 4. Were any biomarkers (troponin or BNP) measured? 5. Explain what the arrows are indicating in Figure 4.

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