

Response to Editor:

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the issues that have been documented by the two reviewers. Each comment is responded to in turn.

Reviewer 1

1. LDL-C results have been added.

Reviewer 2

2. The manuscript has been checked again and terms changed such as full blood picture
3. Physical examination has been shortened. There was no echocardiogram performed during the patient's admission.
4. The number of figures have been reduced and changed to panels
5. SCAD has been considered as a potential differential diagnosis and considered unlikely due to the appearance of the lesion.

Reviewer 3

6. Role of rheumatoid arthritis in atherosclerosis has been updated. The patient was not on any drug therapy for rheumatoid arthritis.
7. There was no echocardiogram report to include.

Reviews in the manuscript

1. Telephone and fax number updated
2. Case presentation format edited
3. References updated