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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

dear authors, thank you for this nice review article. You covered all the data mentioned in the literature sufficiently and in my opinion your work can be published. Few corrections should be done 1) minor lingual mistakes (e.g. repeated words in the abstract like "postnatal echocardiography"...2) in foetal echocardiography section: M-mode and 2D can illustrate cardiomegaly...please specify what kind of cardiomegaly? LV dilatation? 3) about speckle tracking echocardiography we would like to hear your personal perspective for the use of STE in foetous and infants. Further in my opinion figure 2A is confusing as it is not the best strain rate trace i have ever seen. If you can please include another patient with normal SR and better tracing. Additionally if you can include a 2D image showing a hypertrophic LV in foetal echocardiography.