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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

A very interesting and well presented clinical case. It is a very rare condition. Did you have a determination of carbohydrate antigen 19.9 (CA19.9)? which can also be elevated in this type of tumors.



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General comments This is a well written case report of anti-Yo antibody positive paraneoplastic cerebellar degeneration in patient with presumed cholangiocarcinoma. Authors described the case well and discussions are well written. I have specific comments/questions as below and these should be answered before consideration for publication.

Specific comments Typically, CA19-9 should be checked for pancreaticobiliary cancer. Was this checked? Was there EUS, MRCP or ERCP done to evaluate bile duct? Pathology showing pancreaticobiliary origin does not mean patient has cholangiocarcinoma. I am not an oncologist, but anlotinib monotherapy appears that not the first line treatment for cholangiocarcinoma. Was there any reason gemcitabine based therapy was not used a the first line treatment?