

Reply to the manuscript reviews

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Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Scientific Quality: Grade C (Good)

Language Quality: Grade B (Minor language polishing)

Very interesting and unique case and presented in a clear and concise manner.

Reply : Thank you for your valuable advice.

1) 03655859

Conclusion: Minor revision

Scientific Quality: Grade C (Good)

Language Quality: Grade B (Minor language polishing)

In this case report and review, Zhang et al presented a rare case of superior mesenteric venous thrombosis in kidney transplant recipients. The authors have presented good reviews on this topic. I have few comments below. 1. I guess this case is not related to kidney transplantation, as it has occurred more than 3 years after transplant, title of this case report and review of the literature is deceiving – as I was hoping to see more of the literature search about this topic in kidney transplant recipients based on the title. However, most of the data are about non-transplant recipients – consider modifying the title or adding more literature in kidney transplant recipients 2. Please mention who was involved in the care/surgery? Were transplant providers included? 3. Avoid using the brand name of the medication- eg. Betaloc 4. Would present the progress of labs in table or graph, mainly for the WBC, serum creatinine, and lactate level.

Reply:

1. Thanks for your valuable comments, We cannot agree more with your opinion. There is no direct evidence supports the relation between MVT and transplantation itself in this case. But, the changing status after

transplantation may be responsible, such as long-term use of immunosuppressants, which analyzed in the discussion part. We also tried to find more publications about this topic, unfortunately, we failed. Indeed, the title is a little bit misleading, however, Our study mainly focused on the surgical process and the management of postoperative complications of MVT. After all, management needs to be treated with caution due to the reason of grafts. Alternatively, we can changed the title as "Idiopathic acute superior mesenteric venous thrombosis 3 years after renal transplantation: A case report and literature review"

2. Thanks for your valuable comments. The first author、corresponding author and kidney transplant doctor were involved in the surgery. The general surgical nurses were involved in the care.

3. Thanks for your valuable comments. We have replaced the brand name of the medication with the chemical name.

4. Thanks for your valuable comments. We have present the progress of labs in table.