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Editor-in-chief

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Dear Editor and Reviewers,

Thank you very much for giving us an opportunity to revise our manuscript. We have studied reviewers' suggestions carefully, which would help us in depth to improve the quality of our paper. According to the reviewers' comments, we have made a careful revision on the original manuscript.

I have performed further language polishing to resolve all grammatical, syntactical, formatting and other related errors in the manuscript and acquired a new language certificate made by Filipodia Company. The new language certificate was uploaded in the system.

Abbreviations were checked and meet the basic rules.

Decomposable Figures (in which all components are movable and editable), were organized into a single PowerPoint file, and was submitted as "71529-Figures.pptx" on the system.

All revised portions are highlighted in bright yellow background. Replies to the reviewers' and editor's comments are at the end of this letter.

Thank you again for your time and kind re-consideration.

Yours Sincerely,

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Replies to reviewers

Comment 1: I have only a few technical comments. In the downloaded version of the manuscript, there is a huge number of missing spaces, while several words merged into one large one, which made it extremely difficult to read the manuscript. In the Reference section, I noticed that several Journals were named incorrectly (Springer - Springerplus is right, Ref. 1; BMC Cancer - BMC Cancer is right, Ref. 7; BMC Infect Dis - BMC... is right, Ref. 11; ACG - ACG is right, Ref. 13).

Reply:

1. The typesetting of the paper was carefully checked and the missing spaces and merged words were corrected.
2. On page 11 line 290, 'Springer' was replaced by 'Springerplus'.
3. On page 12 line 312, 'BMC Cancer' was replaced by 'BMC Cancer'.
4. On page 12 line 326, 'BMC Infect Dis' was replaced by 'BMC Infect Dis'.
5. On page 12 line 333, 'ACG Case Rep' was replaced by 'ACG Case Rep'.

Comment 2: Rare cases are good to be discussed as it can ease diagnosis for colleagues in the future. I have one minor comment: The section final diagnosis could possibly be moved after the treatment section as before that you possibly did not have a certain diagnosis.

Reply:

On page 7 line 177-178, 'The final diagnosis' section was moved after the treatment section.