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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Good topic

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Very interesting clinical topic illustrated in two case reports; the authors should underline in the introduction and discussion sections of the manuscript the fundamental role of diagnostic imaging to non-invasively and pre-operatively characterize such chromaffin-tissue tumors in order to appropriately prepare patients for surgery using adequate medical treatment; for this purpose, the authors should underline the role of magnetic resonance imaging as well as that of functional radionuclide scanning using MIBG and/or somatostatin analogs; in this regard, the authors should cite the following papers: 1. Maurea S, Caracò C, Klain M, Mainolfi C, Salvatore M. Imaging characterization of non-hypersecreting adrenal masses. Comparison between MR and radionuclide techniques. *Q J Nucl Med Mol Imaging*. 2004 Sep;48(3):188-97. PMID: 15499292. 2. Maurea S, Cuocolo A, Reynolds JC, Neumann RD, Salvatore M. Diagnostic imaging in patients with paragangliomas. Computed tomography, magnetic resonance and MIBG scintigraphy comparison. *Q J Nucl Med*. 1996 Dec;40(4):365-71. PMID: 9050342. 3. Lastoria S, Maurea S, Vergara E, Acampa W, Varrella P, Klain M, Muto P, Bernardy JD, Salvatore M. Comparison of labeled MIBG and somatostatin analogs in imaging neuroendocrine tumors. *Q J Nucl Med*. 1995 Dec;39(4 Suppl 1):145-9. PMID: 9002775.