

Dear editor,

Thank you very much for your preliminary decision letter and advice pertaining to our manuscript entitled, “Roxadustat as treatment for a blood transfusion-dependent MHD patient: a case report and literature review”. We also thank the reviewers for the helpful comments and suggestions. Accordingly, we have revised the manuscript. All amendments are highlighted in red in the revised manuscript. In addition, point-by-point responses to the comments are listed below this letter. This revised manuscript has been proofread by a professional medical editing company. We hope that the revision is acceptable for the publication in your journal.

Look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

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## Reviewer 1

Scientific Quality: Grade B (Very good)

Language Quality: Grade A (Priority publishing)

Conclusion: Accept (General priority)

Specific Comments to Authors: Because the authors revised their manuscript adequately, I have no special concerns.

**A: Thanks for your comments.**

**Science editor:** 1 Scientific quality: The manuscript describes a case report of the roxadustat for the treatment of a blood transfusion-dependent MHD patient. The topic is within the scope of the WJCC. (1) Classification: Grade B; (2) Summary of the Peer-Review Report: The authors reported an interesting case. However, some references should be added. The authors should correct English language ion through the manuscript, and compare the results with other studies on the same issue in the discussion section; and (3) Format: There are 2 tables and 3 figures. A total of 30 references are cited, including 6 references published in the last 3 years. There are no self-citations. 2 Language evaluation: Classification: Grade B. 3 Academic norms and rules: The authors provided the CARE Checklist–2016, and written informed consent. The authors need to provide the signed Conflict-of-Interest Disclosure Form and Copyright License Agreement. No academic misconduct was found in the Bing search. 4 Supplementary comments: This is an unsolicited manuscript. The topic has not previously been published in the WJCC. **5 Issues raised:** (1) The authors did not provide original pictures. Please provide the original figure documents. Please prepare and arrange the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor; (2) The reference's number cited in the text should be superscript; and (3) PMID and DOI numbers are missing in the reference list. Please provide the PubMed numbers and DOI citation numbers to the reference list and list all authors of the references. Please revise throughout. 6 Re-Review: Required. 7 Recommendation: Conditional acceptance.

**A: Thanks for your comment and helpful suggestion. Firsrtly, Ten appropriate references have been added as suggested (No.1,2,3,26,32,33,37,38,39,40, as highlighted in red in the References); Secondly, The original of figure document have been provide. We have prepared and arranged the original figures of the Fig using PowerPoint named as “61573-Image File” as one of the additional file updated to the destination of “Image File” (The original of 3 line charts are directly exported from software named as ORIGIN-2017. So all of the 3 line charts in the ‘Image File.ppt’ can be directly edited through the software-ORIGIN) ; the original figures of the Tables, decomposable Tables, have been organized into a single Word file, and submit as “61573-Tables.docx”, named as “61573-Table File” on the system to the file destination of “Table File”; Tirdly, The reference's number cited in the text have be superscript; and PMID and DOI numbers have been provided and all authors of the references are also listed.**

**Company editor-in-chief:** I have reviewed the Peer-Review Report, the full text of the

manuscript, and the relevant ethics documents, all of which have met the basic publishing requirements of the World Journal of Clinical Cases, and the manuscript is conditionally accepted. I have sent the manuscript to the author(s) for its revision according to the Peer-Review Report, Editorial Office's comments and the Criteria for Manuscript Revision by Authors. However, the quality of the English language of the manuscript does not meet the requirements of the journal. Before final acceptance, the author(s) must provide the English Language Certificate issued by a professional English language editing company. Please visit the following website for the professional English language editing companies we recommend: <https://www.wjnet.com/bpg/gerinfo/240>.

**A: Thanks for your comments and suggestion. we apologize for the language-related errors in this paper. This revised manuscript has been proofread by a professional medical editing company for grammar, sentence structure, word usage, spelling, capitalization, punctuation, format, and general readability (Non-Native Speakers of English Editing Certificate has been submitted).**