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Scientific quality	Good
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Creativity or innovation of	[] Grade A: Excellent [Y] Grade B: Good [] Grade C: Fair
this manuscript	[] Grade D: No creativity or innovation



Scientific significance of the conclusion in this manuscript	[] Grade A: Excellent [Y] Grade B: Good [] Grade C: Fair [] Grade D: No scientific significance
Language quality	[] Grade A: Priority publishing [Y] Grade B: Minor language polishing [] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing [] Grade D: Rejection
Conclusion	[] Accept (High priority) [] Accept (General priority) [Y] Minor revision [] Major revision [] Rejection
Re-review	[Y] Yes [] No
Peer-reviewer statements	Peer-Review: [Y] Anonymous [] Onymous Conflicts-of-Interest: [] Yes [Y] No

SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors present a case note of a 29-year-old woman with cerebral venous sinus thrombosis due to spontaneous intracranial hypotension syndrome. This report is potentially interesting, but the manuscript can be improved according to the following 1. Readers would like to know the doses of the drugs suggestions: administered to the patient. 2. The authors should mention in the text that the cerebral venous thrombosis accounts for 0-3% of ischemic strokes of unusual etiology subtype (Eur J Neurol 2001; 8: 133-139) 3. Clearly illustrate with an arrow the right superior sagittal sinus vein seen in figure 3 D. 4. It would be interesting to include in the Discussion a comment on the fact that differential diagnostic of the cerebral venous sinus thrombosis in young patients may also be with a hematological disease. This is a noteworthy aspect that should be emphasized (Expert Review of Hematology 2016; (9), 891-901). Add and comment on the reference



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The Authors realized a very interesting article describing the "A rare cause of cerebral venous sinus thrombosis - Spontaneous intracranial hypotension syndrome - case report". I consider the manuscript very interesting but, at the same time, I suggest several revisions needed to improve the reliability and the completeness of the paper:

• The "Introduction" and "Discussion" sections should be more updated and improved, especially inserting the molecular genetics possible impact. I suggest adding data related to the involvement of oxidative stress, especially focusing on vascular components. The recent PMID: 30523548, PMID: 32184807, PMID: 36290689 and PMID: 26122242 could represent a substrate able to enforce the role of considered cellular mechanisms. • Finally, manuscript requires important English revisions and typos correction.