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### SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Cervical AL is very rare in AS. Therefore, I think that this article will contribute to the literature. English version of the article is required.



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Andersson lesion (AL)know as an uncommon complication in ankylosing spondylitis (AS), which is characterized by non-neoplastic bone destruction and often appears as bone destruction and sclerosis in the vertebral body and/or the area involving the intervertebral disc. According to the literature, Andersson lesions commonly occurs in the thoracic and lumbar spine, and rarely in the cervical spine. Therefore, this paper is innovative and of clinical significance. 1. Please provide photos of the patient's admission medical record and the examination report mentioned in the article. 2. Provide patients with informed consent to publish cases. 3. How to determine whether the patient's cervical spine damage was caused by ankylosing spondylitis. For example, if you have been screened for spinal tuberculosis, please provide pictures for relevant examination. 4. X-ray images of cervical spine 6 months after surgery can be included in the article 5. Figure 2 is not clear.