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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

An interesting clinical case involving a newly introduced medication(remimazolam).

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The study is aimed to report the successful remimazolam sedation and epidural block in an older COPD patient for inguinal mass resection. The title is "Successful remimazolam sedation and epidural block in an older COPD patient during inguinal mass resection: A case report". 1. This is a case report. 2. Several factors influence the success of this management. Please discuss these. 3. Actually, epidural anesthesia could be performed successfully for inguinal mass resection. Why did the author use remimazolam sedation in combination with epidural anesthesia in this patient? 4. What is the new knowledge of the report? 5. Please recommend to the readers "How to apply this knowledge in clinical practice?".