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### COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Comments: The authors report a rare breast granulomatous lobular mastitis in a young woman. This paper is valuable due to a rarity of this disease. This manuscript provides useful information to the medical students, clinicians, and researchers in this field, therefore, is acceptable for publication in World Journal of Clinical Cases. That is all.



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**COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The case report titled “Granulomatous lobular mastitis” described a unusual mastitis which may have a clinical presentation mimic to infectious mastitis or breast cancer. It is important for clinical physicians to recognize the differentiation of the diagnosis then prevent misdiagnosis or mistreatment. This case report can help clinical physicians to make the correct diagnosis and treatment. Suggestions for improvement: \* Suggest to give a detailed description of treatment including steroid dosage, duration. \* Suggest to combine figure 2 and figure 3 into one figure. Then describe two pictures separately in picture A and B. \* It will be good if the author can provide pictures of the physical examination. \* Grammar correction: in Abstract: second paragraph, last sentence. In conclusion, this manuscript reported a significant kind of mastitis which maybe clinically present mimic to breast cancer or infectious mastitis. This case report described clearly about the clinical presentation, diagnosis, and treatment.

## ESPS PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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The manuscript by Dr. Armin Kamyab reports a case of a 29 year-old female eleven months postpartum, who presented with a swollen and tender right breast, with a large area of firmness, initially misdiagnosed as mastitis. Core needle biopsy revealed findings consistent with granulomatous lobular mastitis, which was started on steroid therapy to which she responded well. Overall, the manuscript is written in a clear and concise manner. Concerns: 1. In Figs, indicators can be used to introduce the interesting areas. In addition, no scale bars are indicated in any photographic data. 2. Several grammar mistakes exist, and should be corrected. For example, "The was started on steroid therapy to which she responded well." "The exact etiology remains unknown."