



**PEER-REVIEW REPORT**

**Name of journal:** World Journal of Clinical Cases

**Manuscript NO:** 40205

**Title:** One case of isolated myeloid sarcoma in the pancreas and orbit

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**Reviewer’s country:** Turkey

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			Conflicts-of-Interest:
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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

I read the manuscript named “Isolated myeloid sarcoma:One case of isolated myeloid sarcoma in the pancreas and orbit: A complex diagnosis of isolated myeloid sarcoma ”. (Manuscript NO: 40205 ). I read the manuscript and my recommendations are as fallows. Title: It is accurately reflects the major topic and



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contents of the study. Abstract: Adequate, summarizing the topic. Case report: Case has been presented in detail. Topics has been discussed with all aspects. References: References are appropriate and updated. Figures are reflects the major findings of the study, and they are appropriately presented. This manuscript was well-written and documented. This study is clearly presented. Also, this manuscript gives additional new knowledge to the literature. I think that this manuscript is suitable and worth to be published in the World Journal of Gastroenterology.

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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

In this case report, the Authors discuss an isolated myeloid sarcoma involving the pancreas which is an extremely rare disease that can dispose clinicians to misdiagnosis, especially in the very rare presentation of extra-medullary myeloid leukaemia of the pancreas. This case report describes the difficult and challenging clinical path of a



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36-year old man with myeloid sarcoma occurring in both the pancreas and the orbit. The case report is well described also in term of differential diagnosis above all when, with the progression of the disease, a pancreatic space-occupying lesion developed. Only after a consultation with pathologists, the Authors could improve the investigation by immunohistochemistry, which becomes the key to the diagnosis. As the Author stated in this case, the patient was investigated multiple times in several Centers before the disease was confirmed. The diagnosis was the result of the joint efforts of a teamwork where many specialists such as gastroenterologist, radiologist, and pathologist were working together. Maybe the simultaneous occurrence of lesions in the pancreas and orbit, which is rare, provided guidance for the clinical consideration of related rare diseases. This paper is well discussed and I have no particular further comment on it.

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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This case report describes a rare presentation of extramedullary myeloid sarcoma that posed difficulty in diagnosis till very late in its clinical course. Patient identity should not be revealed. Patients had been treated at various centers with patchy information available in this report e.g. patient was treated initially as a case of pancreatitis though



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serum amylase was less than three times raised. Similarly, details of lab parameters are not mentioned elsewhere also (page 1 last para). How was the pancreatic biopsy taken: was it trucut or open. Overall it does not maintain a coherent description of the problem. What was the chemotherapy /RT regimen used? Please use standard terminology e.g. contrast enhanced CT scan instead of enhanced CT scan, Endoscopic ultrasound instead of ultrasound gastroscope.

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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This is a case report of a rare case. Myeloid sarcoma is indeed a rare lesion seen in the pancreas. It is written well and will definitely serve as a differential for pancreatic tumors. Can the authors please upload the pictures of the positive immunohistochemistry slides of the myeloid sarcoma. This will make the case report more informative.



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