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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Interesting case; the authors reported that the patient had multiple tumor lesions, but they showed only a serie of images with a pelvis lesion; images of other, i.e. retroperitoneal, tumor lesions should be provided to better illustrate the originality of the presented case. Furthermore, the following recent papers should be cited: 1. Romeo V, Maurea S, Mainenti PP, Camera L, Aprea G, Cozzolino I, Salvatore M. Correlative imaging of cystic lymphangiomas: ultrasound, CT and MRI comparison. Acta Radiol Open. 2015 May 18;4(5):2047981614564911. doi:10.1177/2047981614564911 2. Romeo V, Maurea S, Guarino S, Sirignano C, Mainenti PP, Picardi M, Salvatore M. A case of lower-neck cystic lymphangioma: correlative US, CT and MR imaging findings. Quant Imaging Med Surg. 2013 Aug;3(4):224-7. doi: 10.3978/j.issn.2223-4292.2013.08.03

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The authors state that "To our knowledge, this is the first report in the literature of findings of a retroperitoneal and pelvic multiple cystic lymphangioma in an Adult using 18-F PET-CT. ". However their reference 11 from Dong A, Wang Y, Zuo C report a "F-18 FDG uptake in a retroperitoneal cystic lymphangioma". The authors need to clarify the diagnostic pathway and when is a 18-F PET-CT indicated. Does it change the management? The authors also state that "MRI is an essential way in differentiating lymphangioma from other cystic lesions due to its excellent spatial resolution." They need to clarify as what was the provisional diagnosis on CT and why MRI was not done before a 18-F PET-CT? The authors also need to state how the initial presenting symptom "painless gross hematuria for 2 weeks" is related to the final diagnosis of "Retroperitoneal and Pelvic Multiple Cystic Lymphangioma".

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