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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The authors reported a relatively rare case of localized unilateral unilateral PPFE. Through interdisciplinary discussion, the diagnosis was confirmed by the course of the disease, histopathology and radiological findings. 1. Is there a difference between bilateral and unilateral prognosis? 2. How Uncommon is the Unilaterality of this Disease? 3. Reference 17 also reports localized PPFE in the upper right lobe. Is this illness more common on the right side? 4. Did you check markers for interstitial pneumonia such as KL-6 and SPD?