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Comments on the manuscript : “A borderline form of empty follicle syndrome treated with a novel dual trigger method combined with delayed oocyte retrieval: A case report”
A patient with secondary infertility who had undergone three cycles of assisted reproductive technique in three different reproductive centers is described. The history of illnesses is useful. The authors describe the case, and they discuss it according to the available references. In the discussion, I appreciated the caution of the authors (“indeed, Indeed, the existence of EFS remains controversial “; “However, this study had some limitations: a...” My main remark is about the final diagnostic. The authors write “According to the definition provided in the table, the patient was diagnosed as having a borderline form of EFS.” What table? The case is well described, and the authors discuss about the borderline form of empty follicular syndrome. But, in the final diagnostic, there are no specifications about the criteria used for this diagnostic. So, this part needs to be developed for it is the base of the discussion. It would be useful to develop the Legends of tables 1 and 2 which are not very explanatory.

INITIAL REVIEW OF THE MANUSCRIPT

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