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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Nicely written case report. Would add the heading before the last paragraph

Conclusion:

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is a highlight of unusual presentation of crypto coccus in an immunocompetent patient. It is simply reported with a good outcome but the discussion need to be better focussed to build a criteria of when to suspect this infection in the immunocompetent and try to build a table of incidence of radiological findings in the immunocompetent and contrast that with the immunosuppressed

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