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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Dear authors, I have reviewed your manuscript entitled: LOW-GRADE FIBROMYXOID SARCOMA OF THE LIVER: A CASE REPORT AND REVIEW OF THE LITERATURE. It is a rare and interesting case report, but prior to publication I have still some further remarks: - Please comment on incidence and poor survival of primary hepatic sarcoma or sarcoma metastasis in the liver. - What do you think is the reason of the early distant metastases in this case (tumor diameter? Infiltration of the artery/portal vein)? Please comment. - Is there an adjuvant therapy described in the literature? - Would have been favourable to treat the patient with chemotherapy (or radiotherapy) due to the infiltration of the hepatic artery and portal vein? Are there reports in the literature dealing about adjuvant treatment in extended LGFMS (in other localizations than the liver)? Please discuss and comment. - In the primary rate a low mitotic rate was described (8%). What was the mitotic rate in the spine metastasis? It is quite surprising, that during 6 months of follow-up the metastasis were so high in a slowly growing tumor? Please comment. - Editorial and language editing is necessary. Please revise your manuscript carefully for typing errors (e.g. fibromixoid vs fibromyxoid, histologically vs histological, histopatologically vs. histopathologically, punctuation mark on page 9 line 4). - Please revise your figures and include separated labelling of all figures. The legend should be more self-explanatory. - Please revise your manuscript regarding abbreviations: each abbreviation should be spelled out the first time in the text in all parts (e.g. LGFMS, MDCT, MRI, CEA, AFP).

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This is a rare and interesting case presentation of a low grade fibromyxoid sarcoma (LGFMS) in the liver of a young man. I have few comments regarding the pathologic section: 1. LGFMS's cytogenetic hallmarks are t (7; 16) (q33; p11) and presentation of fusion gene FUS-CREB3L2. So, FISH detection is recommended to be perform. 2. Classical LGFMS presents with a mix of heavily collagenized hypocellular zones and cell-rich myxoid nodules. Short fascicular and characteristic whorling growth patterns are often seen. In addition, there are more arcades of curvilinear blood vessels accompanied by perivascular hyaline degeneration. Here, I recommend the authors provide some better and high-power figures to present those histologic view. 3. Some nomenclatures and phrase should be corrected, for example, including "mixofibrosarcoma (myxofibrosarcoma)", "mixoid neurofibroma (myxoid neurofibroma)", "corelated with (correlated with)", et al.

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You have described another form of sarcoma of the liver with a poor long term prognosis after a curative resection. I cannot glimpse a particular scientific message from this case report with the exception of the pathologic examination.

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Thank you for submitting a good case. If it is T3, chemotherapy or radiotherapy is usually performed after surgery, and I wonder why it was not given to this patient. And after the recurrence of the spine, wasn't there another treatment?

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Thank you for keeping the reviewer's corrections well.

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Dear authors thank you for your revised version of your manuscript. My comments were answered in the separated file, but the comments were not included in the main body of the manuscript?! Please include this part, as in my opinion the additional informations are mandatory for this case. Furthermore you made fundamental language revisions, but there are still language issues open (e.g. revise the manuscript regarding correct use of blanks, abbreviations need to be spelled out the first time used in the abstract and the main body of the manuscript). Some abbreviations are used differently throughout the text: e.g. LGMFS or LGFMS? ICH or IHC? Please revise the manuscript according these comments. Unfortunately, there are no figures included, so that I cannot judge whether the quality and informations are presented in a better way. Best regards.