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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors present a case of perianal necrotizing fasciitis treated by debridement through multiple little incision and drainage through setons. The case is well presented and the iconography is exhaustive, although it could be interesting to add a picture of preoperative and postoperative CT scan. As stated in the Discussion the fistula should be identified and the infected internal opening treated while there is no mention of this treatment in the case description. It is not clear the relationship between a large skin incision at the base of the scrotum and sexual dysfunction, the authors should explain this statement. There is no mention of patient's approval for publication. The discussion needs a major revision; it needs to be more focused on comparison with other treatments such as drainage through larger perineal wound. The role of appropriate antibiotic regimen, of hyperbaric oxygen therapy should be also discussed. Finally the authors enclose an English editing certificate, however there are still several mistakes to be addressed (page 1: The disease progress may rapidly and cause systemic sepsis through blood circulation; page 2: less than 15 articles was found, and so on)



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This case is writing in good English and well-illustrated. The report provides useful data about the successful treatment of such life-threatening condition like necrotizing fasciitis is. The article will attract WJCC readers' interest because of applying TCM technics to cure such cases. I suggest giving a more detailed description of this surgical procedure in the article. The major remark - the abstract should be rewritten so as to provide essential information about the necrotizing fasciitis, the patient, treatment, and results achieved. Avoid duplications. The minor remark - look through the text of the article and correct the typing errors.



RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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The authors have successfully addressed all the issues raised