

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is an interesting case report. This old male patient had newly onset systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE) combined with systemic vasculitic syndrome. I have several concerns which should be addressed adequately. 1. In general, SLE occurs young women. Some postulated etiology of the onset of SLE in this patient should be represented and discussed. Did he take any causative drugs before the onset of SLE? 2. It has been reported that serum anti-neutrophil cytoplasmic antibodies positivity sometimes occurs during bacterial infection. In the present case, some postulated etiology regarding serum ANCA positivity should be represented and discussed. 3. In general, aggressive immunosuppressive therapy is harmful in older patients. Therapeutic option for older patients with autoimmune diseases should be discussed.

RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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The revised MS is addressed well.