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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In this case report the authors clarify how a patient achieved clinical remission and complete mucosal healing through the addition of a steroid and azathioprine to the adalimumab regimen. The thesis are convincing and the main body are well structured. The manuscript should be read critically by a native English speaker, and corrections should be made accordingly



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Sook Hee Chung et al. described a clinical case of intestinal Behçet's disease developed in a patient with ankylosing spondylitis treated with adalimumab, humanized monoclonal antibodies against TNF-alpha. The conventional treatment (steroid/azathioprine) added to adalimumab, resulted in clinical remission and complete mucosal healing. The report is well-written and can be published. The authors' conclusion that additional comparative studies are needed to evaluate effectiveness of infliximab and adalimumab for treatment of patients with intestinal BD is obvious. Nevertheless, it should be clearly stated that both medicines have the same active biologics, humanized monoclonal antibodies to TNF-alpha.