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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

Alzamzam, et al presented the first case of CCS in Egypt. I am wondering if the diagnosis is correct or not. Therefore, authors should discuss it in discussion. Polypoid lesions in both stomach and colon are unlikely for CCS. Especially, the figure 4 (colon polyp) should be changed the figure that showed polypoid lesions. Authors should show the endoscopy which show the improvement by the treatment.

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The author described a female patient with Cronkhite-canada syndrome, and made many efforts for the differential diagnosis about the rare case. Some comments for this manuscript: 1. It is not the first CCS patient from middle east at least. Please see Case Rep Gastroenterol . 2018 Apr 13;12(1):109-115. 2.The figure of colonoscopy is not typical, and please use a typical image in the patient. 3.Except the first case in Egypt, is there any novel finding in this case? 4. There are some advances in the pathogenesis and prognosis of CCS, which will help to make decision for the future medications of this case. 5. Did the patient have pigmentation of skin or any abnormality of taste? 6. The EUS image could be deleted. 7. An image showing the improvement after medication is suggested.