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PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

I have gone through the case report and here are my observations and comments on the article. 1. It is a well written case report concisely explaining about the topic. 2. Authors may consider including previous x-ray and compare the previous Cobb angle to the current Cobb angle status of the patient. 3. Authors should include bending/traction x-ray films. These would have been done to evaluate UIV and LIV. 4. Authors may explain the controversy of operating scoliosis or hip dysplasia first. 5. Since the case report includes cervical myelopathy as presenting complaints, the author may include surgical steps, follow-ups and details about C1-C2 fixation.