

Thank you for your interest and opinion for our manuscript.

We followed your opinion and revised the article.

Reviewer

1. Excellent case-report by the authors and a well managed case.

Ans) Thank you for your comments.

2. Were both the surgeries done on the same day ? what were the findings of other eye ?

Ans) We revised it. We added a sentence. Thank you

Page 7, paragraph 4, line 1

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Page 5, paragraph 5 (Physical examination), line 5

Slit-lamp examination was unremarkable. Fundus examination revealed epiretinal membrane.

3. Why the culture and antibiotic sensitivity not done during every vitreous - tapping ? As there were multiple recurrences and non - response to conventional intra -vitreous antibiotics?

Ans) We performed vitreous culture and antibiotics sensitivity test after each surgery. We added sentences. Thank you

Page 6, paragraph 8 (Treatment), line 2

Vitreous and anterior chamber aqueous humor samples were obtained for microbial culture test.

Page 7, paragraph 4 (Outcome and Follow-up), line 5

This time, in addition to vitreous and aqueous humor, we also conducted culture tests on the removed intraocular lens and capsular bag.

4. Add one para regarding antibiotic - resistance in current scenario and it's prevention. Thanks

Ans) We added a paragraph in discussion section. Thank you

Page 9, paragraph 2 (Discussion)

Although the recurrence may be associated with antibiotics resistance, Cartwright et al [7] reported that initial broad-spectrum coverage with cephazolin sodium and gentamicin is adequate in most cases of M. luteus-induced endophthalmitis since M. luteus is highly sensitive. In this case, the recurrence is highly likely to be attributed to microorganisms remaining in the residual intraocular lens (IOL) and lens capsule after the initial surgery, and inflammation was resolved after removal IOL and the lens capsule during second surgery.

1) Science editor:

The manuscript has been peer-reviewed, and it' s ready for the first decision.

Ans) Thank you

2) Company editor-in-chief:

I have reviewed the Peer-Review Report, the full text of the manuscript, and the relevant ethics documents, all of which have met the basic publishing requirements of the World Journal of Clinical Cases, and the manuscript is conditionally accepted. I have sent the manuscript to the author(s) for its revision according to the Peer-Review Report, Editorial Office's comments and the Criteria for Manuscript Revision by Authors. However, the quality of the English language of the manuscript does not meet the requirements of the journal. Before final acceptance, the author(s) must provide the English Language Certificate issued by a professional English language editing company. Please visit the following website for the professional English language editing companies we recommend: <https://www.wjgnet.com/bpg/gerinfo/240>. Before final acceptance, uniform presentation should be used for figures showing the same or similar contents; for example, "Figure 1 Pathological changes of atrophic gastritis after treatment. A: ...; B: ...; C: ...; D: ...; E: ...; F: ...; G: ...". Please provide the original figure documents. Please prepare and arrange the figures using PowerPoint to ensure that all graphs or arrows or text portions can be reprocessed by the editor. In order to respect and protect the author's intellectual property rights and prevent others from misappropriating figures without the author's authorization or abusing figures without indicating the source, we will indicate the author's copyright for figures originally generated by the author, and if the author has used a figure published elsewhere or that is copyrighted, the author needs to be authorized by the previous publisher or the copyright holder and/or indicate the reference source and copyrights. Please check and confirm whether the figures are original (i.e. generated de novo by the author(s) for this paper). If the picture is 'original', the author needs to add the following copyright information to the bottom right-hand side of the picture in PowerPoint (PPT): Copyright ©The Author(s) 2023. Before final acceptance, when revising the manuscript, the author must supplement and improve the highlights of the latest cutting-edge research results, thereby further improving the content of the manuscript.

Ans) Thank you.

Thank you again.