

Responses to the reviewers' comments

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Title: Endodontic management of the maxillary first molars with 2 root canals:

A case report and review of literature

REVIEWER #1

Reviewer's Code: 00742421

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Authors need to: - improve each part of the manuscript - update discussion
-upgrade conclusion - improve references, they are old.

We thank the Reviewer for the positive comments and for the opportunity to revise and improve the study.

Response: We have modified the Instruction, Discussion and Conclusion part.

We add some recent references into the article and update the information in Instruction and Discussion part. We concisely summarize the main idea of this article and the lessons learned from these case reports in the Conclusion part. We have changed the title and made a literature review about the anatomy variation in maxillary first molars.

Also, we have improved the structure of article and added necessary information, which was emphasized in red color. And we have answered the reviewers' comments point-to-point.

REVIEWER #2

Reviewer's Code: 00504351

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This manuscript reported two cases of anatomically rare maxillary first molar with 2 roots and 2 root canals by using CBCT three-dimensional imaging technique. It has important significance for clinical diagnosis and endodontic management.

We thank the Reviewer for the positive comments.

REVIEWER #3

Reviewer's Code: 02520845

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Abstract gives a clear description of the research background. It also necessary to remove the comments in abstract section.

Response: We appreciate your positive comments and constructive suggestions. We have adjusted the content of the abstract according to "Guidelines and Requirements for Manuscript Revision: Case Report" and deleted the comments in abstract section, especially in CONCLUSION part.