

Review 1. The case is said to have no extrapulmonary features. To what extent were they actively sought, or was there an assumption that there was no other organ involvement on the basis of lack of symptoms or signs on basic parameters such as blood tests. For example was imaging done of the pituitary? If this was not done (and this may have been justified) then it should be discussed in the discussion section when one should actively seek additional complications, and how these may present in both children and adults.

Reply: We agree with your comment and we have described the extrapulmonary manifestations of the disease in red words.

Reviewer 2: Images would enhance the report, particularly as the radiological and histological findings appear typical, such that readers might learn from them.

Reply: We agree with your suggestion. However, we have described in detail the typical features of our case in paragraphs “Imaging examination” and “Pathology examination”.