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Dear Editor,



Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 8495-review.doc).

Title: Pathophysiology, clinical features and radiological findings of Differentiation Syndrome (DS)/All-Trans-Retinoic Acid (ATRA) Syndrome.

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1 Format has been updated

2 Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer

- (1) "Do the Authors have any histopathological supportive evidence?" We don't have histopathological evidence as pulmonary biopsies were not performed. This is explained by the high risk of bleeding and other complications occurring as a consequence of invasive procedures during coagulopathy; also, it is commonly accepted that the diagnosis is made on the basis of anamnestic and clinical features and confirmed by radiological findings. Response to treatment is also supporting diagnosis.
- (2) "What search terms were used to retrieve the articles?" Retinoic acid syndrome, differentiation syndrome, all trans retinoic acid (ATRA), acute promyelocytic leukaemia, pulmonary infiltrates.
- (3) "Summarize all the radiological studies done in DS in a Table": we didn't summarize all the radiological studies because in the literature there is a limited number of cases.

3 References and typesetting were corrected

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Radiology*.

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