

ANSWERING REVIEWERS

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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 2429-review.doc).

Title: Peripartum Cardiomyopathy: A Puzzle Closer to Solution

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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)Reviewer #1: Response to reviewer: Thank you for the helpful comments. In the manuscript I have referred to the use of bromocriptine; however, at reviewer's request I have expanded upon that. I have also compared treatment of PPCM heart failure with non-pregnancy-related non-ischemic cardiomyopathy heart failure. Please see revision in blue font. I have also improved the descriptive case report language. Please see revision in blue font. I think these helpful comments lead to a better manuscript.---JDF

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3)Reviewer #3: Response to reviewer: Thank you very much. I have corrected all listed, supplying definitions for abbreviations. I did not find the “SCD” abbreviation listed, but if I missed it, that stands for “sudden cardiac death.” The two words, “dilated,” appear to be appropriate.---JDF

3 References and typesetting were corrected

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

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