

## **Point by point reply to Reviewers' Comments**

We would like to thank the reviewers for their time to review our manuscript titled, Stress Cardiomyopathy in Critical Care: A Case Series of 109 patients' for publication in the 'World Journal of Critical Care Medicine'. Below is the point by point reply to the reviewers' comments. The changes in the manuscript are highlighted.

### **Reviewer 1**

1. The authors should correct/rewrite some words: all "underrecognized" and "underreported" may be corrected to "under-recognized" and "under-reported".

We have made these changes, and the text is highlighted in blue.

2. Line 34, "49" should be corrected to "forty-nine".

We have made this change in the two instances where "49" appeared. Changed text is highlighted in blue.

3. L 40, "needing" should be corrected to "needed".

"needing" was reworded to "that required" for clarity in two instances (once in the abstract and once in the text). Changes highlighted in blue.

4. L 211, "echocardiographc" should be corrected to "echocardiographic".

We have made this change.

5. L 247, "Point of Care Ultrasound" should be deleted.

We have deleted "Point of Care Ultrasound" as requested.

6. In Fig. 1, is it "day" or other things for "time for diagnosis" ?

Figure 1 has been updated to reflect the units of "days" on the X-axis.

### **Reviewer 2**

No changes suggested

### **Science Editor**

No changes suggested

### **Company Editor-in-chief**

1. 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.

The original figure has been added to PowerPoint as requested.

2. Authors are required to provide standard three-line tables, that is, only the top line, bottom line, and column line are displayed, while other table lines are hidden. The contents of each cell in the table should conform to the editing specifications, and the lines of each row or column of the table should be aligned.

Do not use carriage returns or spaces to replace lines or vertical lines and do not segment cell content.

The tables have been reformatted as three-line tables as requested.