

The editor  
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RE: Manuscript ID - 74765

Dear editor,

We would like to thank you for the email on 21<sup>st</sup> February 2022 enclosing the reviewers' comment.

We have made the changes and following this letter are the reviewers' comments with our responses.

We hope that you find our responses satisfactory. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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## **Reviewers' Comments, Author Responses and Manuscript Changes**

### **Reviewer 1**

Interesting case: However, the CT images (which is the key image) is of poor image quality. Please try to provide images with clearly show the periaortic hematoma and the relationship to the right pleural effusion - do you have additional non-contrast CT images?

Response: Apologize for the poor image quality. We had tried to search for better CT images again from patient's medical record, however, we could not get better images.

### **Reviewer 2**

Unusual cause of hemorrhagic pleural effusion: A case report of nontyphoidal salmonella infected aortic aneurysm and brief review (Title) - Salmonella should be capitalized; literature review is better. Computed tomography thorax; in view of hemodynamically stable; high index of suspicious (Abstract) - all these expressions are incorrect. To be corrected. another two admission (Abstract) - admissions is right. Post operative (Abstract) - postoperatively is better. Imaging examination is recommended to diagnose the formation of aneurysm (Abstract) - this is a banal phrase that is best removed from the Abstract. At the present stage, without cross-sectional examinations, it is simply impossible to imagine a high-quality diagnosis (and not only aneurysm diagnosis). index of suspicious; brief review (Core Tip) - see above. endovascular aorta repair (Introduction) - endovascular aortic repair is a standard term. He was started on IV ceftriaxone 2g daily (Case Presentation) - in the abstract, different spelling was used (ceftriazone). Please, use the same spelling throughout the text. Ultrasound thorax; Computed tomography (CT) thorax (Case Presentation) - these terms are substandard. Please replace them with correct ones. in view of hemodynamically stable (Treatment) - see above. Please describe the surgical procedure in more detail (access, size and brand of prosthesis, etc.). Please also describe the follow-up period and the patient's condition in more detail. Salmonella species are the most common organism (Discussion) - maybe, organisms is better. independent predictors of aneurysm-related death were advanced age, non-Salmonella infection and without surgical intervention (Discussion) - "non-surgical treatment" is better. The general reader would be interested in an explanation of how an aortic replacement for an infected aneurysm helps control infection. Please add a few phrases to the Discussion section. CT Thorax showed (Fig. 2 Legend) - Thoracic CT is better. periaortic hematoma (Fig. 2 Legend) - periaortic hematoma (arrow) is right. The copy of the article downloaded by the Reviewer contains a huge number of whitespace errors. This may be a computer program error, but nevertheless, authors should carefully check the text for this subject and correct these errors.

#### **Responses:**

- Relevant changes had been made as suggested by reviewer.
- Unfortunately, we didn't able to get the details regarding access, size and brand of prosthesis as the surgery was done in different center.