

## CARE Checklist of information to include when writing a case report COD BY-NO-ND

Topic	Item No	Checklist item description	Reported on Page Number/Line Number	Reported on Section/Paragraph
Title	1	The diagnosis or intervention of primary focus followed by the words "case report"	P1	Cover page, para 1
Key Words	2	2 to 5 key words that identify diagnoses or interventions in this case report, including "case report"	P1 line30-31	Abstract, para 4
Abstract (Structured summary)	3a	Background: state what is known and unknown; why the case report is unique and what it adds to existing literature.	P1 line17-22	Abstract, para 1
	3b	Case Description: describe the patient's demographic details, main symptoms, history, important clinical findings, the main diagnosis, interventions, outcomes and follow-ups.	P1 line 23-27	Abstract, para 2
	3c	Conclusions: summarize the main take-away lesson, clinical impact and potential implications.	P1 line 28-29	Abstract, para 3
Introduction	4	One or two paragraphs summarizing why this case is unique (may include references)	P2 line 34-63	Introduction, para1,2
Patient Information	5a	De-identified patient specific information	P2 line 66	Case presentation, para 1
	5b	Primary concerns and symptoms of the patient	P2 line 67	Case presentation, para 1
	5c	Medical, family, and psycho-social history including relevant genetic information	P2 line 68	Case presentation, para 1
	5d	Relevant past interventions with outcomes	P2 line 68	Case presentation, para 1
Clinical Findings	6	Describe significant physical examination (PE) and important clinical findings	P2 line 69	Case presentation, para 1
Timeline	7	Historical and current information from this episode of care organized as a timeline	P3 line 108	Case presentation, para 5
Diagnostic Assessment	8a	Diagnostic testing (such as PE, laboratory testing, imaging, surveys).	P2 line 70-73, P3 line 86-88	Case presentation, para 2, 4
	8b	Diagnostic challenges (such as access to testing, financial, or cultural)	None	None
	8c	Diagnosis (including other diagnoses considered)	P2 line 74	Case presentation, para 2
	8d	Prognosis (such as staging in oncology) where applicable	P2 line 74	Case presentation, para 2
Therapeutic Intervention	9a	Types of therapeutic intervention (such as pharmacologic, surgical, preventive, self-care)	P2-3 line 75-83, P3 line89-11	3 Case presentation, para 2-5
	9b	Administration of therapeutic intervention (such as dosage, strength, duration)	P3 line89-102	Case presentation, para 4-5
	9c	Changes in therapeutic intervention (with rationale)	P3 line 104-107	Case presentation, para 5

Follow-up and Outcomes	10a	Clinician and patient-assessed outcomes (if available)	P3 line 111-113	Case presentation, para 6
	10b	Important follow-up diagnostic and other test results	P3 line 115-117	Case presentation, para 6
	10c	Intervention adherence and tolerability (How was this assessed?)	P3 line 110-111	Case presentation, para 6
	10d	Adverse and unanticipated events	None	None
Discussion	11a	A scientific discussion of the strengths AND limitations associated with this case report	P5 line 185-194, P5 line 177-183	Conclusion, para 1. Discussion, para4
	11b	Discussion of the relevant medical literature with references	P4-5 line 123-176	Discussion, para2-3
	11c	The scientific rationale for any conclusions (including assessment of possible causes)	None	None
	11d	The primary "take-away" lessons of this case report (without references) in a one paragraph conclusion	P5 line 187-189	Conclusion, para 1.
Patient Perspective	12	The patient should share their perspective in one to two paragraphs on the treatment(s) they received	None	None
Informed Consent	13	Did the patient give informed consent? Please provide if requested	Yes 🗸	No

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