

CARE Checklist of information to include when writing a case report



Topic	Item No	Checklist item description	Reported on Page Number/Line Number Section/Paragraph
Title	1	The diagnosis or intervention of primary focus followed by the words "case report"	£1 L4
Key Words	2	2 to 5 key words that identify diagnoses or interventions in this case report, including "case report"	14 L77
Abstract (no references)	3a	Introduction: What is unique about this case and what does it add to the scientific literature?	Ph 1-125
	3b	Main symptoms and/or important clinical findings	25 L 102
	3с	The main diagnoses, therapeutic interventions, and outcomes	P6 L129
	3d	Conclusion – What is the main "take-away" lesson(s) from this case?	P3 L72
Introduction	4	One or two paragraphs summarizing why this case is unique (may include references)	P5 L100
Patient Information	5a	De-identified patient specific information	P6 L138
	5b	Primary concerns and symptoms of the patient	P6 L 139
	5c	Medical, family, and psycho-social history including relevant genetic information	N/A Nomedical history
	5d	Relevant past interventions with outcomes	N/A No relivant partialer P6 L141 Not relivant to be pre
Clinical Findings	6	Describe significant physical examination (PE) and important clinical findings	P6 1.141
Timeline	7	Historical and current information from this episode of care organized as a timeline	N/A Not relevant to be pre
Diagnostic Assessment	8a	Diagnostic testing (such as PE, laboratory testing, imaging, surveys).	P6 (L143-145)
	8b	Diagnostic challenges (such as access to testing, financial, or cultural)	N/A No chakenges
	8c	Diagnosis (including other diagnoses considered)	N/A Already fordown
	8d	Prognosis (such as staging in oncology) where applicable	P6 L140
Therapeutic Intervention	9a	Types of therapeutic intervention (such as pharmacologic, surgical, preventive, self-care)	P7 L150
	9b	Administration of therapeutic intervention (such as dosage, strength, duration)	N/A None
	9c	Changes in therapeutic intervention (with rationale)	N/A None

Follow-up and Outcomes	10a	Clinician and patient-assessed outcomes (if available)	P10 L229-130
	10b	Important follow-up diagnostic and other test results	P10 L 220
	10c	Intervention adherence and tolerability (How was this assessed?)	NPA
	10d	Adverse and unanticipated events	NA
Discussion	11a	A scientific discussion of the strengths AND limitations associated with this case report	P13 L303
	11b	Discussion of the relevant medical literature with references	P13 L303
	11c	The scientific rationale for any conclusions (including assessment of possible causes)	P16 L363
	11d	The primary "take-away" lessons of this case report (without references) in a one paragraph conclusion	P16 'L383-350)
Patient Perspective	12	The patient should share their perspective in one to two paragraphs on the treatment(s) they received	NA
Informed Consent	13	Did the patient give informed consent? Please provide if requested	Yes No No

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