

Checklist adapted from https://www.care-statement.org/checklist		
		YES
Title	Includes main diagnosis and/or intervention followed by the words “a case report” or “a case series”.	
Keywords	2 to 5 relevant keywords, including “case report” or “case series” as one of them.	
Abstract	Correct length and format (Introduction/Case Presentation/Conclusion).	
	<i>Introduction:</i> presents the novelty of the case/cases.	
	<i>Case presentation:</i> includes main symptoms, signs, interventions and outcomes.	
	<i>Conclusion:</i> includes the main lesson learned by the case/cases.	
Introduction	Provides a brief background of the case referencing the most relevant medical literature.	
	Includes the statement: “This manuscript was prepared following the CARE guidelines (https://www.care-statement.org)”.	
Case/Cases description		
* Patient information	Includes demographic data without any identifiers.	
	Includes the patient’s primary symptoms and relevant history.	
* Clinical findings	Describes clearly all the relevant physical exam and clinical findings.	
* Diagnostic assessment	Describes clearly all the relevant diagnostic tests and their key findings.	
* Interventions	Describes clearly all interventions, medical and/or surgical. Provides key details of all surgical procedures.	
* Outcomes / Follow-up	Describes the outcomes of all interventions, including any unanticipated events. Describes all relevant findings on follow-up.	
Discussion	Includes a comprehensive discussion of the most relevant literature, including references.	
	Includes a statement on strengths and limitations of the report.	
Conclusion	Includes the main lesson learned by the presented case/cases.	
Statements	Includes the statements on informed consent and authorship after the conclusion.	