

CARE Checklist of information to include when writing a case report



Торіс	ltem 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"	Page 1, Line 1	Title, Paragraph 1
Key Words	2	2 to 5 key words that identify diagnoses or interventions in this case report, including "case report"	Page 2, Line 13	Key Words, Paragraph 1
Abstract (no references)	3a	Introduction: What is unique about this case and what does it add to the scientific literature?	Page 1, Line 18	Abstract, Paragraph 1
	3b	Main symptoms and/or important clinical findings	Page 1, Line 21	Abstract,Paragraph1
	3c	The main diagnoses, therapeutic interventions, and outcomes	Page 2, Line 9	Abstract,Paragraph1
	3d	Conclusion-What is the main "take-away" lesson(s) from this case?	-	-
Introduction	4	One or two paragraphs summarizing why this case is unique (may include references)	Page 2, Line 17	Introduction, Paragraph1
Patient Information	5a	De-identified patient specific information	Page 3, Line 9	Case, Paragraph1
	5b	Primary concerns and symptoms of the patient	Page3,Line10	Case,Paragraph1
	5c	Medical, family, and psycho-social history including relevant genetic information	Page3,Line16	Case,Paragraph2
	5d	Relevant past interventions with outcomes	Page3,Line12	Case,Paragraph1
Clinical Findings	6	Describe significant physical examination (PE) and important clinical findings	Page3,Line10	Case,Paragraph1
Timeline	7	Historical and current information from this episode of care organized as a timeline	Page3,Line3	Timeline,Paragraph1
Diagnostic Assessment	8a	Diagnostic testing (such as PE, laboratory testing, imaging, surveys).	Page3,Line18	Case,Paragraph2
	8b	Diagnostic challenges (such as access to testing, financial, or cultural)	-	-
	8c	Diagnosis (including other diagnoses considered)	Page4,Line1	Case,Paragraph2
	8d	Prognosis (such as staging in oncology) where applicable	-	-
Therapeutic Intervention	9a	Types of therapeutic intervention (such as pharmacologic, surgical, preventive, self-care)	Page4,Line5	Case,Paragraph3
	9b	Administration of therapeutic intervention (such as dosage, strength, duration)	Page4,Line5	Case,Paragraph3
	9c	Changes in therapeutic intervention (with rationale)	Page4,Line18	Case,Paragraph3

Follow-up and Outcomes	10a	Clinician and patient-assessed outcomes (if available)	Page4,Line19	Case,Paragraph3
	10b	Important follow-up diagnostic and other test results	Page4,Line19	Case,Paragraph3
	10c	Intervention adherence and tolerability (How was this assessed?)	Page7,Line14	Discussion,Paragraph4
	10d	Adverse and unanticipated events	-	-
Discussion	11a	A scientific discussion of the strengths AND limitations associated with this case report	Page8,Line8	Discussion,Paragraph6
	11b	Discussion of the relevant medical literature with references	Page10,Line5	References,Paragraph1
	11c	The scientific rationale for any conclusions (including assessment of possible causes)	Page7,Line6	Discussion,Paragraph4
	11d	The primary "take-away" lessons of this case report (without references) in a one paragraph conclusion	-	-
Patient Perspective	12	The patient should share their perspective in one to two paragraphs on the treatment(s) they received	Page4,Line21	Case,Paragraph3
Informed Consent	13	Did the patient give informed consent? Please provide if requested	Yes 🗸	No

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