

CARE Checklist of information to include when writing a case report



Торіс	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"	PAGE 1	TITLE
Key Words	2	2 to 5 key words that identify diagnoses or interventions in this case report, including "case report"	PAGE 2	KEY WORDS
Abstract (no references)	3a	Introduction: What is unique about this case and what does it add to the scientific literature?	PAGE 1 line 8-14	ABSTRACT
	3b	Main symptoms and/or important clinical findings	PAGE 1 line 5-7	ABSTRACT
	3c	The main diagnoses, therapeutic interventions, and outcomes	PAGE line 8-12	ABSTRACT
	3d	Conclusion—What is the main "take-away" lesson(s) from this case?	P.1 line 13-14-P.2 line 1-2	ABSTRACT
Introduction	4	One or two paragraphs summarizing why this case is unique (may include references)	PAGE 3 line 17-22	INTRODUCTION
Patient Information	5a	De-identified patient specific information	PAGE 4 line 1-2	CASE PRESENTATION
	5b	Primary concerns and symptoms of the patient	PAGE 5 line 10	CASE PRESENTATION
	5c	Medical, family, and psycho-social history including relevant genetic information	PAGE line 3-5	CASE PRESENTATION
	5d	Relevant past interventions with outcomes	PAGE 4 line 4-24	CASE PRESENTATION
Clinical Findings	6	Describe significant physical examination (PE) and important clinical findings	PAGE 5 line 8-10	CASE PRESENTATION
Timeline	7	Historical and current information from this episode of care organized as a timeline	PAGE 4 and 5	CASE PRESENTATION
Diagnostic Assessment	8a	Diagnostic testing (such as PE, laboratory testing, imaging, surveys).	PAGE 4 and 5	CASE PRESENTATION
	8b	Diagnostic challenges (such as access to testing, financial, or cultural)	PAGE 5 line 5-9	CASE PRESENTATION
	8c	Diagnosis (including other diagnoses considered)	PAGE 4 and 5	CASE PRESENTATION
	8d	Prognosis (such as staging in oncology) where applicable	PAGE 4 line 6 and 10	CASE PRESENTATION
Therapeutic Intervention	9a	Types of therapeutic intervention (such as pharmacologic, surgical, preventive, self-care)	PAGE 5 line 18-21	CASE PRESENTATION
	9b	Administration of therapeutic intervention (such as dosage, strength, duration)	PAGE 5 line 20-22	CASE PRESENTATION
	9c	Changes in therapeutic intervention (with rationale)	PAGE 6 line 1-3	CASE PRESENTATION

Follow-up and Outcomes	10a	Clinician and patient-assessed outcomes (if available)	PAG. 6 line 8-9	CASE PRESENTATION
	10b	Important follow-up diagnostic and other test results	PAG- 6 line 6-9	CASE PRESENTATION
	10c	Intervention adherence and tolerability (How was this assessed?)	PAG. 5 - line 24	CASE PRESENTATION
	10d	Adverse and unanticipated events	NONE	N/A
Discussion	11a	A scientific discussion of the strengths AND limitations associated with this case report	PAGE 7 line 8-16	DISCUSSION
	11b	Discussion of the relevant medical literature with references	PAGE 7 line 3-4	DISCUSSION
	11c	The scientific rationale for any conclusions (including assessment of possible causes)	PAGE 7 line 3-6	DISCUSSION
	11d	The primary "take-away" lessons of this case report (without references) in a one paragraph conclusion	PAGE 7 line 19-20	DISCUSSION
Patient Perspective	12	The patient should share their perspective in one to two paragraphs on the treatment(s) they received	PAGE 7 line 16-18	DISCUSSION
Informed Consent	13	Did the patient give informed consent? Please provide if requested	Yes 🗸	No 🗌

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