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Abstract

Keywords

Introduction/Background

Case Presentation (case report)/Case study (case study)/ Series followed by headings and subheadings (case series)

Discussion/Conclusion

Acknowledgements

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Background of the case clinical aspects must be mentioned with citations. Figures/Tables if any are included in the section must be mentioned in the body text. Citations must be sequentially numbered in square brackets and figures must be labeled sequentially in round brackets.

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