**CARE CHECKLIST of information to include when writing a case report**

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| **Section** | **Item** | **Checklist item description** | **Reported on page\*** |
| **Title** | 1 | The words “case report” and the area of focus should appear in the title (such as diabetes, a therapeutic approach, an outcome) | 1 |
| **Key Words** | 2 | 2 to 5 key words that identify areas covered in this case report | 1 |
| **Abstract** | 3a | Introduction—What is unique about this case? What does it add to the medical literature? Why is this important? | 2 |
| 3b | The patient's main concerns and important clinical findings | 2 |
| 3c | The main diagnoses, therapeutics interventions, and outcomes | 4-5 |
| 3d | Conclusion—What are the “take-away” lessons from this case? |  |
| **Introduction** | 4 | One or two paragraphs summarizing why this case is unique with reference to the relevant medical literature | 4-5 |
| **Patient Information** | 5a | De-identified demographic and other patient specific information | 2 |
| 5b | Main concerns and symptoms of the patient | 2 |
| 5c | Medical, family, and psychosocial history including relevant genetic information (this should also appear in the timeline) | 2 |
| 5d | Relevant past interventions and their outcomes | 2 |
| **Clinical Findings** | 6 | Describe the relevant physical examination (PE) and other significant clinical findings | 2-3 |
| **Timeline** | 7 | Relevant data from the patient's history organized as a timeline | 2-5 |
| **Diagnostic Assessment** | 8a | Diagnostic methods (PE, laboratory testing, imaging, surveys) | 4 |
| 8b | Diagnostic challenges (access, financial, cultural) | 4 |
| 8c | Diagnostic reasoning including other diagnoses considered | 3 |
| 8d | Prognostic characteristics when applicable (staging) | N/A |
| **Therapeutic Intervention** | 9a | Types of intervention (pharmacologic, surgical, preventive) | 5 |
| 9b | Administration of intervention (dosage, strength, duration) | 5 |
| 9c | Any changes in the interventions (with rationale) | 5 |
| **Follow-up and Outcomes** | 10a | Clinician and patient-assessed outcomes (when appropriate) | 5 |
| 10b | Important follow-up diagnostic and other test results | 5 |
| 10c | Intervention adherence and tolerability (how was this assessed) | 5 |
| 10d | Adverse and unanticipated events | 5 |
| **Discussion** | 11a | Strengths and limitations in your approach to this case | 6 |
| 11b | Discussion of the relevant medical literature | 6 |
| 11c | The rationale for your conclusions (a causality assessment) | 6 |
| 11d | The primary “take-away” lessons from this case report | 6 |
| **Patient Perspective** | 12 | When appropriate the patient should share their perspective on the treatments they received | N/A |
| **Informed Consent** | 13 | Did the patient give informed consent? Please provide if requested | Yes. We can provide documentation if needed. |