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Title: Xanthogranulomatous Pyelonephritis in a male child with renal vein thrombus extending into the inferior vena cava: A Case Report

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The manuscript entitled “Xanthogranulomatous Pyelonephritis in a male child with renal vein thrombus extending into the inferior vena cava: A Case Report” has been revised as suggested by the Referees. The changes made and the details added have been underlined in their respective places.

The following lists of changes have been made to the manuscript:

REFEREE 1

1. Data about the surgical approach adopted by the surgeons as well as the surgical details have been added to the case presentation.

2. The exact incidence of RVT is not well known, because many patients remain asymptomatic. This has been mentioned in the discussion. A reference has been added for this.

REFEREE 2

1. Gram negative bacilli, Psedomonas auroginosa was isolated from the renal pelvic pus. Urine cultures were sterile. This has been included in the case presentation and the discussion.

2. The chemical nature of the stone was calcium oxalate dihydrate. Medical work-up did not reveal any cause for the calculus.

3. The history of fever with chills and progressive pyuria was of two months. These have been corrected in the abstract as well as the case presentation.

Finally the spelling of “Xanthogranulomatous Pyelonephritis” has been corrected in the title.

Sincerely,

Geetanjali Gupta