Reviewer's report

Title: Cardiac tamponade and para-aortic hematoma post elective surgical myocardial revascularization on a beating heart - a possible complication of the Lima-stitch.

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Reviewer: Uzair Ansari

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Differential diagnoses of patients with such a presentation?
Recommended management guidelines?
Outcome of such patients?

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Needs some language corrections before being published

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests