Reviewer’s report

Title: Pseudo-aneurysm of the anterior tibial artery, a rare cause of ankle swelling following sports injury.

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Reviewer: Stephen H Boyce

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General

I thought this was a well written and interesting case report highlighting a rare condition that those practising in Accident & Emergency departments should be aware of. The two attached figures illustrate the condition appropriately.

Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached)

None

Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct)

Background - First sentence "Ankle pain and swelling ..........sports injuries" References please to back up this statement.

Discussion - First paragraph repeats what is stated in the background. Omit.

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore)

None

What next?: Accept after minor essential revisions

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

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No

Declaration of competing interests:

'I declare that I have no competing interests'