Reviewer's report

**Title:** Annular pancreas concurrent with pancreaticobiliary maljunction presented with symptoms until adult age: case report with comparative data on pediatric cases

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**Reviewer:** Julius Spicak

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Discretionary revisions

Basically, this is a well done case report contributing to our knowledge about annular pancreas. It does not need much to add. I agree that annular pancreas is a rare congenital anomaly that usually manifests in childhood by duodenal obstruction, but even in adulthood this manifestation is probably more frequent than pancreatitis. The first symptoms can appear even at the age above sixty. What might be of note is the frequent association not only with PBMJ but also with other malformations including duodenal diverticulum, Ehlers Danlos Syndrom etc. According to my opinion, the so called portal annular oancreas also should be mentioned.

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

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Statistical review:** No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

**Declaration of competing interests:**

I declare that I have not competing interests