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1. The University of Arizona Institution review board waived the consent for publication because this is a retrospective study. However, before radiotherapy is initiated, all patients signed an informed consent allowing for treatment which listed all the potential side-effects and complications. In addition, each patient allowed in the signed consent form for their data including imaging to be published following de-identification.

2. The identifier for the patient in the text and the figures have been removed.

3. We indicated in the conflict of interest that we have no source of fundings.

4. We do not have any medical writer. We type our of draft and submit it after review.

5. The Table is now included in the text