Author’s response to reviews

Title: Osteoid Osteoma of the Ethmoid bone associated with dacryocystitis.

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Dear Editor,

Enclosed please find all necessary corrections made to our manuscript, entitled “Osteoid Osteoma of the Ethmoid bone associated with dacryocystitis.” according to your suggestions:

Referee 1:

“Minor Essential Revisions (such … being published”

- The paper was grammatically revised.
- Labels on figures were placed.

Referee 2:

“An associated dacryocystitis was … to be developed.”

- Page 3, Case Report, 1st paragraph, line 2: the phrase “which had been … dacryocystitis.” was removed and replaced with the following: “which had been diagnosed as chronic dacryocystitis due to right nasolacrimal duct obstruction, while he had undergone probing of the right nasolacrimal duct once, by his ophthalmologist.”

- Page 4, Case Report, 2nd paragraph, line 1, after the word “approach”: the following were added: “Intraoperatively it was noticed that the mass compressed the lacrimal sac, while no dacryocystorhinostomy was performed.”

- Page 5, Discussion, line 11: the following were added: “In our case, the patient suffered from dacryocystitis, due to compression of the lacrimal sac from the osteoid osteoma. Surgical removal of the mass was sufficient in relieving patient’s symptoms, while no further intervention in the lacrimal apparatus was performed. Since dacryocystitis might, even rarely, be due to intranasal pathology, we believe that otolaryngologic evaluation should be performed in patients with persistent symptoms.”

- Page 6, Conclusion, line 3, after the word “bone”: the following were added: “Furthermore, we believe that since dacryocystitis might, even rarely, be due to intranasal pathology, otolaryngologic evaluation should be performed in patients with persistent symptoms.”
“Minor Essential Revisions (such … spelling errors.”

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Sincerely,

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