Reviewer's report

Title: Undiagnosed osteoid osteoma of the spine presenting as painful scoliosis from adolescence to adulthood. A case report.

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Reviewer: Robert Kramar

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For discretionary revisions:
In case presentation the patient was threated with brace between 15 and 21 year without discussion about effectiveness of brace treatment, (I use them), the patients are usually younger. For comparisson:

In conclusion You debate about diagnostic methods. Yours opinion about bone scan in Childhood and adolescence. I use this method almost in all ages, instead of worried parents and others. For comparison:

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Declaration of competing interests:
I declare that I have no competing interest below.