Reviewer’s report

Title: Postoperative peri-axillary seroma following axillary artery cannulation for surgical treatment of acute type A aortic dissection

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The paper of #. Apostolakis et. al, is an interesting case report about a complication in cardiothoracic surgery which probably could be the first such complication ever reported. The Authors describe precisely the diagnosis and the therapy of this situation. In the discussion, the possible reasons and therapeutical options are quoted.

The figures 1 and 2 don’t contribute anything to the paper and could be excluded.

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 interests