Reviewer's report

**Title:** Progressive cyanosis following Kawashima operation: slow resolution after redirection of hepatic veins

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Nice case report that illustrates well this problem and its solution.

My only minor essential revision is the following: The authors fail to describe how they performed the operation, that is, what incision was used, did they use cardiopulmonary bypass or not, and where exactly the tube was anastomosed to. They should refer to Lopez et al. *Cardiology in the Young* 2008, who were the first to describe an off-pump technique.

**Level of interest:** An article of importance in its field

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**Declaration of competing interests:**

No competing interests.