Reviewer's report

Title: Low Spigelian Hernia presented as incarcerated inguinal hernia in a 6 year old boy. Report of a case.

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Reviewer: Antonios Vezakis

Which of the following following best describes what type of case report this is?: Unexpected or unusual presentations of a disease

Has the case been reported coherently?: Yes

Is the case report authentic?: Yes

Is the case report ethical?: Yes

Is there any missing information that you think must be added before publication?: No

Is this case worth reporting?: Yes

Is the case report persuasive?: Yes

Does the case report have explanatory value?: Yes

Does the case report have diagnostic value?: Yes

Will the case report make a difference to clinical practice?: Yes

Is the anonymity of the patient protected?: Yes

Comments to authors:

Abstract: Case presentation, line 5: “presented mild pain during palpation and he operated”. It would be better “suffered (or experienced) mild pain during palpation and he had an operation”
Use low or lower, because otherwise it makes confusion.

Case presentation
Line 9: “finally the patient operated”. It would be better “the patient was operated”
Line 10: “The hernia sac …….”. It would be better “The hernia sac was found to penetrate from a small defect (with an estimated diameter of 1.5 cm)”
Line 12: “The low Spigelian hernia orifice is ……. In our case the hernia sac was a typical Spigelian hernia’s sac.” This paragraph should be in the discussion
Discussion
Line 9: “they usually characterized”. It would be better “they are usually characterized”

Conclusion
Line 5: “Aim of ………………”. It would be better “The aim of ……”

**Quality of written English:** Needs some language corrections before being published

**Declaration of competing interests:**
I declare that I have no competing interests