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Dear editor
Thank you for your precious comments and suggestions for the revision of our manuscript. The English of this manuscript has been edited by a native English speaker. We have modified the manuscript accordingly, and the detailed corrections are listed below point by point:

Referee 1:
1) A native English speaker would be beneficial in order to improve grammar and English style in this manuscript.
   □ The grammar and English style have been improved by a native English speaker, and we revised our manuscript accordingly.

Referee 2:
1) I would recommend changing the title, and eliminating the reference to a 'case series'.
   □ We had change the title as Rapid diagnosis and successful treatment of methemoglobinemia presenting with focal seizures and severe cyanosis: two-cases report accordingly.

2) While this case represents an astonishing case of deliberate poisoning, it would be important to highlight in the discussion that methemoglobinemia is a risk reported with medical testing (e.g. benzocaine administration for local anesthesia).
   □ We had added 2 sentences as (Methemoglobinemia is a rare cause of cyanosis which should be promptly recognized and well treated. Some cases of acquired methemoglobinemia may result from exposure to certain drugs during medical testing) on the part of discussion, page 8, line 4-7 to highlight the importance of methemoglobinemia may be encountered during medical testing.

3) Minor language correctinos are required.
   □ This manuscript has been edited by a native English speaker.

The cover letter and manuscript has been resubmitted to your journal. We look forward to your positive response. Thank you very much!

Yours Sincerely,
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