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Title: Benign infantile convulsion as a diagnostic clue of paroxysmal kinesigenic dyskinesia: a case report

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To Reviewer Dr. Stephen Attard

(1) “Should the title read ….. Diagnostic clue …. ?”

As suggested by the reviewer, We changed the title from “diagnostic cue” to “diagnostic clue”.

(2) “In the case report - why CT scan and not MRI in cases of epilepsy / movement disorder?”

Cranial CT scan has been done in patients 1 and 2 with seizures to rule out organic diseases such as a tumor or bleeding in the brain, but not in patients 3, 4 and 5 with movement disorder. Patients 1 and 2 were 7 months old at the onset. The seizures disappeared with carbamazepine treatment and have never reoccurred. So, we did not perform further MRI examination that needs to put the
infants under sedation.

Reviewer: Dr. Doriette Soler

“This is an interesting pedigree particularly the presence of mutations in unaffected individuals and the different temporal neurological manifestations associated with the same genetic mutation remains to be elucidated.”

We are pleased to note your positive comment on our manuscript.