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The revisions were made as requested. However, point 7 and 8 relating to confinement could not be dealt with as the patient has never been treated in hospital.

The case report is the first of this kind in the literature. It will significantly advance our understanding of the insulin-induced lipoatrophy, which is a rare hitherto incurable and threatening condition in diabetes mellitus. It will probably not have a broader clinical impact on other areas of medicine.