Reviewer's report

Title: A bleeding colonic ulcer from invasive aspergillus infection in an immunocompromised patient: a case report

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Which of the 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?: Yes

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:

1. Since you report that the risk aspergillus infection is greater in immunocompromised patients at several parts of your case report, you should clearly state why this patient was immunocompromised. Due to sepsis, did he receive corticosteroids?

2. In the second paragraph of the case report section, you report: Other surgeries included small and large bowel resections with colostomy and diverting ileostomy. You should explain the CT or other findings that prompted you to perform the surgery.

3. In the third paragraph of the case report, you state that hematochezia was treated with pantoprazole. Since this might be the wrong way to treat...
hematochezia i would suggest not to mention it at all

**Level of interest:** An article of limited interest

**Quality of written English:** Acceptable

**Declaration of competing interests:**

Reviewers disclose any financial and non-financial competing interests.