Reviewer’s report

Title: Sanfilippo type A: New Clinical Manifestations and Neuro-imaging findings in patients from the same family in Israel

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Reviewer: Willem M.A. Verhoeven

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

If other, please specify:

In this paper two cases with a rare metabolic disorder are described. It is worthwhile to publish since it deals with a disorder that may be missed when specific laboratory analyses are omitted.

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:

This is a well written report on two patients with a rare metabolic disorder. It is of importance to have knowledge of the mucopolysaccharidoses since they should be included in the differential diagnosis of intellectual disability/cognitive dererioration.

The authors may consider to include the reference of Verhoeven et al.(Acta

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Declaration of competing interests:

No conflicting interests of any kind