Reviewer’s report

Title: Mesenteric inflammatory veno-occlusive disease occurring during the course of ulcerative colitis: A case report.

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Reviewer: Satimai Aniwan

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This manuscript entitled "Mesenteric inflammatory veno-occlusive disease occurring during the course of ulcerative colitis: A case report." by Yamada et al., reported an interesting and rare case of MIVOD in UC patient. I have some comments as below:

- What is smoking status of this patient?
- Does patient have any other medical diseases?
- Please provide detail of duration/onset of abdominal pain before admission.
- Even though symptoms of UC are hardly differentiated from symptoms of MIVOD, could the authors provide comment on either MIVOD could explain the all clinical course of the patient since admission or MIVOD are the complication of severe refractory UC?
- In the case presentation part, please describe mesenteric vessels on the CT-finding.
- Any laboratory about hypercoagulability status is tested?
- "consent of the surgery could not be obtained" please clarify. Is that the patient refused surgery or unconscious?

Are the methods appropriate and well described?
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Yes

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