Reviewer’s report

Title: Vitamin K deficiency-induced hemorrhagic shock after thoracentesis: A case report

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1. The case presentation, which is narrated by date, hindered our comprehension of the process as the length of stay is long. A flow chart is suggested to concisely present the hospitalization process.

2. The authors mentioned that blood coagulation tests were done when thoracic hemorrhage was observed, however, the test results are not presented in the article. It is of value to supply these results.

3. Were other local signs of bleeding found?

4. In the discussion part, the authors listed a few potential causes of Vitamin K deficiency, whereas more details are supposed to be offered here, i.e.: duration of fasting necessary for Vitamin K deficiency, frequencies of SBT/ABPC administration in reference [4] and were they the same to yours?

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