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**Title:** Case Report: A fatal case of disseminated adenovirus infection in a non-transplant adult haematology patient

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Reviewer reports:

Maciej Przybylski (Reviewer 1): I have read revised manuscript with great pleasure. It is informative, and written with clarity. Thus I recommend it to be published in BMC.

I have one minor comment: I would ask Authors to change "serotype C1" to "type C1" at verse 112, which term is more appropriate (as it was mentioned by Reviewer 3).

- This has been amended as requested.