Reviewer's report

Title: Mononeuritis multiplex as the first presentation of refractory sarcoidosis responsive to etanercept

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Minor Essential Revisions and Discretionary Revisions

This is a very interesting clinical case report due to the clinical picture and therapeutic history which deserves publication.

Sarcoidosis is still a syndrome not a disease and we must always discuss other causes of granuloma. One of this, is the new Shoefeld's syndrome or ASIA as the patient had ruptured breast implants. So I think it would be useful to include it in the discussion.

Also I would like to see explained in the discussion the option for alemtuzumab. As well it would be useful to know if there is hypercalcemia and as ANA is positive in medium/high titers how was C3C4 and anti-ds-DNA.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I have received fees from conferences and advisory boards from Pfizer, MSD, Roche, Abbott.