Reviewer's report

Title: Radiographic Occult Cerebellar Germinoma Presenting with Progressive Ataxia and Cranial Nerve Palsy Case Report

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Some brain tumors contain intratumoral bleeding which show intracranial hypointensity on SWI or T2*WI.

What is the radiographic findings of the other cerebellar tumors; astrocytoma, medulloblastoma and ependymoma?

The authors should reveal the specificity of hypointensity on SWI or T2*WI for germinomas based on the citations of other articles.

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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