Reviewer’s report

Title: Case report: New development of fibrosing interstitial lung disease triggered by HIV-related pneumocystis pneumonia.

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The authors reported a rare case of fibrosing interstitial lung disease developed after the treatment of Pneumocystis pneumonia. The case presentation and discussion are overall acceptable. Minor concern: Lacking of a pathologic/histologic examination, the diagnosis of NSIP is still questionable, given the possibilities of others such as organizing diffuse alveolar damage and lymphocytic interstitial pneumonia. It is understandable that a biopsy is not amenable in this case, however, this reviewer recommends using a more descriptive term "fibrosing interstitial lung disease" instead of NSIP.

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