Reviewer’s report

Title: A case report of an unusual non-mucinous papillary variant of CPAM type 1 with KRAS mutations

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Reviewer: Csaba Galambos

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This is an interesting report with new information regarding the oncogenic KRAS mutation present not only in the mucinous but also in the papillary component of CPAM 1.

Minor comments:

The molecular analysis needs to be more detailed. What method did authors use and and how did they make sure they analyzed the right areas?

The author mentioned the presence of PIG, and I agree that PIG cells can be present in an expanded spectrum of developmental lung disorders. It is not clear however, what features the authors used to claim that the PIG is resolving, because it is well-known that PIG can be patchy. In addition, how did the authors exclude the possibility of sampling the PIG cells, and it is the PIG cells that carry the KRAS mutation?

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