Reviewer’s report

Title: BAP1: case report and insight into a novel cutaneous tumor suppressor

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Reviewer: Ioannis Bassukas

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This is a well-written and referenced as well as timely brief update of skin 'bapomas'.

I suggest that it could be useful for the readers if the authors would shortly comment on possible mechanisms connecting 'BAP1 deficiency' and the distinct keratinocyte-independent, epithelioid phenotype of BAP1 mutated (dermal) melanocyte aggregates.

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