Reviewer’s report

Title: Acute pancreatitis after major spine surgery. A case report and literature review.

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Reviewer: Toru Maruyama

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I enjoyed reading the manuscript regarding pancreatitis after spinal surgery.

My concern is,

Staged surgery using temporary rods may be choice of the treatment; however, was the magnetic growing rod necessary for this patient? It's expensive and there was only one month to expand. Did the authors try some lengthening in this period? I don't think that there was an indication of the growing rod for 15-year-old female with Risser III and 174 cm of body height.

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