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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

In this report, Ge et al presented an interesting and rare case of MC4R gene mutation. The patient was treated with a very good outcome after adding melatonin. The manuscript was well written and organized. The title reflected the main subject of the manuscript and the abstract summarize and reflect the work described in the manuscript. The manuscript interpreted the findings adequately and appropriately, highlighting the key points clearly and logically. I have few minor comments for improvement of the study. Title: Gene names (“MC4R”) should be written in italics. Pay attention to the paragraph format, “text-justify” would be better. Line 7: Noted the space after the comma in English. Figures in Fig.1 were no clear enough, you should replace it with high-definition pictures. In the vast majority of cases, the caption should be placed below the picture. The experiments and data analysis could be more specific (How to detect hormone levels and what is the normal range of hormones?).