

Author's Revision Letter

Dear Editor,

Thank you very much for your friendly letter. According to your advice and the reviewer's comments, I have made a thorough revision to the original manuscript.

I am looking forward to your further advice and comments to make the article more scientific.

Sincerely yours,

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Reviewer #1: The authors have reported a case of discitis after cervical discography which was successfully treated by accurate diagnosis followed by surgery and antibiotics treatment. The manuscript is well-written. As discitis after cervical discography are rare despite of the risk of fatal outcome, their clinical experience will provide useful implications. Please indicate the lesions of Figures by arrows.

Response: Thank you very much for your positive evaluation on our manuscript. According to your good advices and comments, I benefited a lot and added the corresponding revisions in the revised manuscript.

I have added arrows to show discitis on Fig. 3 and lesions of epidural inflammation on Fig.4.

Thanks again for the good comments of the reviewer.