

CARE Checklist of information to include when writing a case report





Topic	Item	Checklist item description	Reported on Line	
Title	1	The diagnosis or intervention of primary focus followed by the words "case report"	page 1, title	
Key Words Abstract (no references)	2	2 to 5 key words that identify diagnoses or interventions in this case report, including "case report"	page 1, keywords	
	3a	Introduction: What is unique about this case and what does it add to the scientific literature?	page1-2, introduction	
	3b	Main symptoms and/or important clinical findings	dings	
	3c	The main diagnoses, therapeutic interventions, and outcomes		
	3d	Conclusion—What is the main "take-away" lesson(s) from this case?	page 4, discussion	
Introduction	4	One or two paragraphs summarizing why this case is unique (may include references)	page 4, discussion	
Patient Information	5a	De-identified patient specific information	page 2, case presentation	
	5b	Primary concerns and symptoms of the patient <u>p</u> age 2, case	presentation	
	5c	Medical, family, and psycho-social history including relevant genetic information	page 2, case presentation	
	5d	Relevant past interventions withoutcomes	case presentation	
Clinical Findings	6	Describe significant physical examination (PE) and important clinical findings	page 2, case presentation	
Гimeline	7	Historical and current information from this episode of care organized as a timeline	page 2-4, case presentation	
Diagnostic Assessment	8a	Diagnostic testing (such as PE, laboratory testing, imaging, surveys).		
	8b	Diagnostic challenges (such as access to testing, financial, or cultural)	page 2, case presentation	
	8c	Diagnosis (including other diagnoses considered)	page 2-3, case presentation	
	8d	Prognosis (such as staging in oncology) where applicable	page 4, case presentation	
Therapeutic Intervention	9a	Types of therapeutic intervention (such as pharmacologic, surgical, preventive, self-care) page 4, case presentation		
	9b	Administration of therapeutic intervention (such as dosage, strength, duration) pag	e 4, case presentation	
	9c	Changes in therapeutic intervention (with rationale)pag	e 4, case presentation	
Follow-up and Outcomes	10a	Clinician and patient-assessed outcomes (if available)	age 2, case presentation	
	10b	Important follow-up diagnostic and other test results	page 2-3, case presentation	
	10c	Intervention adherence and tolerability (How was this assessed?)	ase presentation	
	10d	Adverse and unanticipated events	page 2, case presentation	
Discussion	11a	A scientific discussion of the strengths AND limitations associated with this case report	page 4, discussion	
	11b	·	page 4, discussion	
	11c	The scientific rationale for any conclusions (including assessment of possible causes)	page 4, discussion	
	11d	The primary "take-away" lessons of this case report (without references) in a one paragraph conclusion	page 4, discussion	
Patient Perspective	12	The patient should share their perspective in one to two paragraphs on the treatment(s) they received <u>The</u>	patient lacks this ability	
Informed Consent	13	Did the patient give informed consent? Please provide if requested	Yes Mo	