

REVIEWER'S REPORT

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Title: POST-TRAUMATIC RECURRENT CSF RHINORRHOEA

Recommendation:

Accept as it is.....**YES**.....
 Accept after minor revision.....
 Accept after major revision
 Do not accept (*Reasons below*)

Rating	Excel.	Good	Fair	Poor
Originality	√			
Techn. Quality		√		
Clarity		√		
Significance			√	

Reviewer's Name: Dr Aamina

Reviewer's Decision about Paper: **Recommended for Publication.**

Comments (*Use additional pages, if required*)

Reviewer's Comment / Report

The case report titled "*Post-Traumatic Recurrent CSF Rhinorrhoea*" presents a well-structured and clinically relevant discussion on the management of recurrent cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) leaks following trauma. The introduction effectively outlines the significance of the condition, emphasizing its etiology, management challenges, and recurrence potential. The case presentation is detailed, providing a clear chronological account of the patient's history, clinical symptoms, diagnostic findings, and surgical intervention.

The report is well-supported by radiological findings, with CT and MRI images reinforcing the diagnosis and surgical approach. The description of the revision endoscopic repair technique is thorough, outlining the multilayer closure strategy, use of autologous grafts, and post-operative management. The report maintains a logical flow, ensuring clarity in both clinical assessment and procedural details.

The discussion underscores the importance of early identification and intervention in recurrent CSF leaks, highlighting the potential risk of meningitis as a complication. The follow-up period of 12 months without recurrence strengthens the effectiveness of the chosen surgical approach. Overall, the report is comprehensive, clinically significant, and contributes valuable insights into the management of post-traumatic CSF rhinorrhoea.

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Conclusion:

This case report presents an informative and well-documented account of recurrent CSF rhinorrhoea, emphasizing the importance of precise surgical repair techniques in preventing recurrence and associated complications. The structured narrative and clinical relevance make it a valuable contribution to the field of otolaryngology and neurosurgery.