

Editorial comments:

At least 10 papers related the above work between 2015-2016, are not cited in the references,

Authors' feedback:**We added**

1. Jeevan DS, Saleh M, LaBagnara M, Neil JA, Hillard VH. Malignant carotid body tumor presenting with myelopathy: case report. J Neurosurg Spine. 2016 Jan 1:1-4.
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