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Type of the Article	Case study

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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Compulsory REVISION comments	The case study is interesting and good written. I think the authors have to expand the information about th RF methods and its practicibility in different condition (for example Park HG, Park PG, Kim WJ, et al. Ultrasound-Assisted Mental Nerve Block and Pulsed Radiofrequency Treatment for Intractable Postherpetic Neuralgia: Three Case Studies. <i>The Korean Journal of Pain</i> . 2014;27(1):81-85. doi:10.3344/kjp.2014.27.1.81. Kim ED, Lee YI, Park HJ (2017) Comparison of efficacy of continuous epidural block and pulsed radiofrequency to the dorsal root ganglion for management of pain persisting beyond the acute phase of herpes zoster. <i>PLoS ONE</i> 12(8): e0183559. https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0183559 Kim K, Jo D, Kim E. Pulsed Radiofrequency to the Dorsal Root Ganglion in Acute Herpes Zoster and Postherpetic Neuralgia. <i>Pain Physician</i> 2017;20:E411–E418. pmid:28339440).	
Minor REVISION comments	The patients have not been treated with all possibility medications and may be the authors maybe discuss where is the place of the RF according the stage and duration of the neuropathic pain.	
Optional/General comments		

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