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Type of the Article	Case Report	

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	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)
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	I carefully read the manuscript entitled "Carotid body tumour a challenging management:	
	Rare case report in Baghdad Radiation Oncology Center, Medical City, Baghdad, Iraq". In	
	this study the authors describe the basic and clinical aspects of paragangliomas.	
	The study, on the whole, appears complete but presents various inconsistencies.	
	• The study is centered on a patient operated five years ago, at another center. Therefore,	
	no information is reported about the surgical treatment or the classification of Shamblin.	
	Immunohistochemical analysis, as stated by the authors, has not been performed. No MRI	
	and / or MRA study was performed. This examination can provide both images of the tumor	
	and data on the vascular involvement.	
	• Octreotide scanning is useful for detecting the presence of multicentric or metastatic	
	paragangliomas, and for distinguishing scar from residual tumor after surgery. This	
	examination was not performed.	
	The manuscript title does not reflect the actual content of the text.	
	The study does not report any innovative data on the management of this pathology. In	
	fact, the authors report in the text already known and published data (Gad et al. Ann Vasc	
	Dis: 7, 2014; 292-299). This publication is not mentioned in the references list.	
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