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EDITORIAL COMMENT'S on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to editor's comments
1. B2 burst at the pulmonary focus-- it should be P2	Ok
2. -Pulmonary auscultation revealed no abnormality. --What does it mean? IT is contradicting the above statement. Elther you remove that or please explain.	I remove it.
3. -An echocardiography was performed--Transthoracic or TEE. Please mention that.	Ok
4. -confirming the presence of rheumatic mitral stenosis with a mitral area of 0.8 cm <sup>2</sup> . Show an image with mitral gradients.	Ok
5. The left ventricle shows normal systolic function, but the right cavities are dilated. The right ventricle has good function. A systolic pulmonary arterial pressure (PASP) at 121 mmHg. --Show an image with color Doppler and the numbers	Ok
6. A severe tricuspid regurgitation. -	
7. A dilation of the pulmonary artery (PA) and its branches is observed.--Measure the PA and mention how much it is dilated in cm.	Ok
8. Images are not accurate 1 and 2. I don't see the Mltral valve and both the images are the same-- Need an image showing the mitral valve. Talk to a cardiologist and get accurate images. ECHO contrast is not important.	Ok
9. Image 3 is ok. Measure the artery	OK
10. Expand TTE	OK
11. dilated pulmonary artery of 41 mm as well as these branches--what are these branches	Ok
12. what is the difference from thoracic angio scan and CT scan	Ok



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13. The computed tomography scan (CT scan) suggests PAH probably secondary to veno-occlusive disease. On what basis--please elaborate	Ok
14. Place arrows in each image and mention that in the figure legends	Ok
15. Figure 6 shows cardiomegaly, can comment on that.	Ok
16. perform mitral valve replacement--what valve, size, please provide details	Ok
17. Can not use the PAH table- If you use it you have to mention what is a, b, c, d in the figure legend and where you took the table.	I change the figure
18. mmHg as the cut off for for the diagnosis of PH----remove for	Ok
19. Please go through each line of the manuscript and correct grammar and spacing between the words-- eg: latest recommendations	Ok
20. Write a paragraph on Systemic sclerosis and PAH	OK