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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)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</p> <p>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</p> <p>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</p> <p>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form. (Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</p>	<p>Yes, off course. Tuberculosis of thyroid (TT) gland is very uncommon condition, not ubiquitously seen among people, thus this 'case report' can add new findings about this extremely rare condition.</p> <p>Yes, off course.</p> <p>Yes, but incomplete, there needs some information about its surgery and treatment (as conclusion) and should add the following information "antituberculosis drugs were started after left hemithyroidectomy and patient reported doing well after three months medication". Moreover, In the 'keywords' authors mentioned 'Hemithyroidectomy' which was not actually written (or mentioned) in the abstract. If the above sentence is added then this key word would be appropriate</p> <p>Yes.</p> <p>Yes.</p> <p>Yes.</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	<p>Yes. But there are some important grammatical and other mistakes (mentioned below in the optional/general comment section) which should be corrected before publication.</p>	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>1. Authors mentioned Thyroid tuberculosis (TT) as TT, however sometimes authors mentioned it as "TTB" (last para of the discussion).</p> <p>2. Some times hemithyroidectomy (keyword) was written as hemi thyroidectomy (page 2 in between figure1 and 2) please use the correct word.</p> <p>3. Under the heading CASE REPORT 2nd line: "since (the) last 2 years" -----should put article "the" before "last" Similarly, (3rd line) "for (the) last 2 weeks".</p> <p>4. Last sentence: General physical examinati-----n missing from examination</p> <p>5. Please mention name and the caption of the figures separately figure 1(a or left) and figure 1 (b or right), they are very congested as 4 figures are on the same page (typesetting issues)</p> <p>6. Figure 2 should place on the next page, as its caption went to the next page.</p> <p>7. Some acronyms (ZN, AFB, CECT) are not elaborated first, please write full words first then should write its acronym in the bracket (other acronyms like FNAC, CT etc. mentioned in the manuscript)</p>	

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<p>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</p>	<p><i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i></p>	

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