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Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Case Reports in Surgery
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJCRS_127441
Title of the Manuscript:	“Case of Giant loose peritoneal body and its snowballing into symptoms”
Type of the Article	Case report

PART 1: Review Comments

Compulsory REVISION comments	Reviewer's comment	Author's Feedback <i>(Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i>
Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. Why do you like (or dislike) this manuscript? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	This is an interesting case, rare to have such a giant size of a loose peritoneal body. Management was adequate with a good patient outcome. This report highlights the consideration of a loose peritoneal body as differential diagnosis in the evaluation of benign abdominal masses.	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	No, I suggest something along these lines: A rare giant loose peritoneal body causing compression symptoms – Report of a case (there was no “snowballing into symptoms” as described by authors)	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.	1. Authors mention “These nonspecific yet debilitating symptoms.....”: the symptoms were actually quite specific, please correct this	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?	Yes	
Please write a few sentences regarding the scientific correctness of this manuscript. Why do you think that this manuscript is scientifically robust and technically sound? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please mention the incidence of these loose peritoneal bodies according to existing literature. 2. How long did the patient have her symptoms? 3. Clinically where exactly was the abdominal mass seen and palpated? 4. On the CT image provided, the mass is not seen to be compressing any vessels or urinary bladder. It will be much more valuable to see those images. 5. Please add arrows to indicate relevant findings in the Figures/Images. 6. Authors must specifically mention if the patient had previous laparotomy, as this is a cause for loose peritoneal body formation. 7. What was the incision used? 8. Add “EA” in brackets after “Epiploic Appendices”. 9. Please add a sentence on the non-surgical management of incidentally discovered smaller asymptomatic loose bodies. 10. In the second half of the DISCUSSION section, the authors must correlate their case with existing literature/findings/descriptions. 	
Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.	Yes	

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Minor REVISION comments Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?	Minor language polishing needed	
Optional/General comments	Can be published after corrections	

PART 2:

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

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