Very Severe Hypertriglyceridemia Complicating Pediatric Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia Treatment: A Call for Management Guidelines.
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Dear Dr. Kiess,

I am writing to submit our manuscript titled “Very Severe Hypertriglyceridemia Complicating Pediatric Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia Treatment: A Call for Management Guidelines” for consideration as a Journal of Pediatric Endocrinology and Metabolism, Case Report.

This case series reviews the presentation of three pediatric oncology patients who experienced very severe hypertriglyceridemia during their treatment as well as their subsequent management and has not previously been published, nor is it submitted elsewhere.

Very severe hypertriglyceridemia is a rare diagnosis within the pediatric population, making this manuscript and the patient presentations unique. The manuscript also reviews the management for each case which will serve as a resource for pediatric providers as there currently exists a paucity of literature on the same. Our manuscript also proposes a change in initial management of severe hypertriglyceridemia among pediatric patients with introduction of a very-low-fat diet in stable patients rather than requiring nil per os.

Each of the authors listed above have substantially contributed to the manuscript preparation and to the best of our knowledge, the above authors have no conflicts of interest financial or otherwise. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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