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- Clinical Vignettes (Case Reports)
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- Evidence-Based Medicine (Case Reports)

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EVALUATION CRITERIA

<p><u>CQI Criteria (Research Report)</u> Statement of the Problem Initial Data, Analysis, Conclusions, Improvement Plan Methodology CQI (FOCUS-PDSA) 6-Sigma (DMAIC) FMEA Root Cause Analysis Other Study of Implementation Effects, Data Collection, Data Display Analysis Conclusions Originality/Creativity Relevance/Significance/Generalizability Presentation/Visual Impact</p>	<p><u>EBM Criteria (Case Report)</u> PICO / Structured, Clear Question Well Defined Patient or Problem Clear Issue/Intervention/ Comparison/Distinction Made (Control/Baseline) Clear Clinical Outcome of Interest Relevance/Significance Thoroughness of Search Level of Evidence (Meta-analysis, RCCT, etc.) Clear Answer to Question/Recommendation(s) - Presentation - Locate/Develop Pathway/Protocol/Guideline</p>
<p><u>Research (Clinical/Basic)</u> Introduction Methods/Study Design/Subject Selection Measurement/Results Discussion/Knowledge/Preparation Conclusions Originality Significance/Relevance Presentation/Organization/Visuals Responses to questions</p>	<p><u>Case Report (Vignette)</u> Introduction/Case description Case Selection/Significance/Relevance Literature Review/Complete/Appropriate Discussion/Knowledge Summary/Conclusions Originality/Uniqueness Visuals and Presentation Responses to questions</p>