

# Case Report Format

There is a 4,000 character limit (including spaces and the bibliography). Each case report is required to begin with an abstract, limited to 35 words (present tense), describing the uniqueness of the case that merits presentation at the Grand Rounds. The case report should be a minimum of 2 pages and no longer than 3 pages. It should include the following information:

- I. Case History
  - Patient demographics
  - Chief complaint
  - Ocular, medical history
  - Medications
  - Other salient information
- II. Pertinent Findings
  - Clinical
  - Physical
  - Laboratory studies
  - Radiology studies
  - Others
- III. Differential Diagnosis
  - Primary/leading
  - Others
- IV. Diagnosis and Discussion
  - Elaborate on the condition
  - Expound on unique features
- V. Treatment, Management
  - Treatment and response to treatment
  - Refer to research where appropriate
  - Bibliography, literature review encouraged
- VI. Conclusion
  - If indicated, take away points and/or “clinical pearls”

