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Case Study Submission Form

This template is intended as a guide to help you write a Case Study article for submission to *Oncology Nurse Advisor*. Please also review our complete guidelines to ensure we have all the pertinent information when considering your submission.

Complete each section of this form and submit it to editor.ona@haymarketmedia.com with the following in the subject line: Case Study Submission: [insert title of article]

If you have any questions or concerns at any point, please feel free to contact the editor at editor.ona@haymarketmedia.com.

NAME (if more than one author, please provide the name of one author to act as corresponding author)

CONTACT INFORMATION (include e-mail, phone number, and mailing address of corresponding author)

AUTHOR(S) (include degree[s], title or position, institution, and city and state)

ARTICLE TITLE (you can use the diagnosis or presenting symptom as the title; the editors will help you come up with a final title)

CASE

The Case section is where you describe the patient case. This section should be 500-1000 words. Include the following in your case description:

- Description of the patient at presentation
- The setting (clinic, office, emergency department), the patient's reason for the visit, and initial findings (physical examination and history)
- Any diagnostic tests (imaging, blood work, etc) that were ordered and the results
- Recommended actions (treatment, palliative care, referral and results) and patient outcome
- Any images (radiographs, MRI, PET, or photographs) that help describe the patient and explain the problem

A note on patient identification: *Oncology Nurse Advisor* follows the editorial guidelines provided in the *AMA Manual of Style*, which holds editors responsible for maintaining patient confidentiality in published articles. We will hide all identifying marks in images in our prepress process, and we ask that you refrain from marking up any images as this can reduce image quality on press.

DISCUSSION

The Discussion section is where you provide general information on the patient's disease or condition. This section is also where you explain the reasoning behind the action(s) taken to treat the patient and whether the action(s) effectively resolved the patient's problem and why. You may include a brief reference list (5-8 references). This section should be 800-1500 words (including any references or tables)

TEACHING POINTS

Provide 3-6 points that educate nurses on best practices for managing this type of patient situation.