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Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Pediatric Research
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJPR_66234
Title of the Manuscript:	A case of umbilical myiasis in a neonate
Type of the Article	Case study

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PART 1: Review Comments

	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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	<p>This is an interesting case of myiasis found in the umbilicus in a one-week-old term infant with successful topical treatment. Because of its connection to the vital abdominal organs, any suspicion of infections around the umbilicus always requires immediate medical attention.</p> <p>My suggestions to the authors are the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Expand the discussion by comparing this case presented here to other reported cases in terms of timing of presentation, treatment, complication, and etc. 2. Please also discuss the current accepted approach to umbilical care in newborns. 3. If possible, the ultrasound images would be helpful in demonstrating maggots. Images of the maggots recovered from the periumbilical area would also be helpful to the readers. 	
Minor REVISION comments		
Optional/General comments		



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PART 2:

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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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