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Title of the Manuscript:	Rituximab induced late onset neutropenia
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	Recent references were needed especially those involving background of usage of rituximab in autoimmune diseases mostly ITP and AIHA: IRECOMMEND such references. https://doi.org/10.1182/blood.V112.11.2607.2607 https://doi.org/10.2147/JBM.S300717 . clinical and laboratory spectrum of the case should be applied. course and response to treatment of anemia in such case must be mentioned.	Following study was added as reference no. 20 and following phrase added to discussion A recent study in 2019 regarding, Incidence and Time Course of Neutropenia in Patients Treated with Rituximab-Based Therapy for Non-Malignant Immune-Mediated Hematologic Diseases[20] describes LON in 94 patients with ITP and 34 patients with autoimmune haemolytic anaemia. The 1-year estimated probability of developing neutropenia (ANC<1.5) was 18% and of those who developed neutropenia, the median ANC nadir and time to neutropenia from initial RTX infusion was 1.2 × 109/L and 4.4 months, respectively. [20]
Minor REVISION comments	English editing and plagiarism	Addressed
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PART 2:

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	