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Title of the Manuscript:	MELANOSIS COLI A RARE ENTITY IN ELDERLY PATIENTS PRESENTING WITH CONSTIPATION
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	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. This is not a novel case report as this is a well-known side effect of anthroquinones. Is there anything unique about this case that might make it special? For example, the age or medical history of the patient.2. What definition of constipation was used? Some details of the patient's chronic constipation in terms of the Rome criteria should be provided.3. Details of the laxatives used should be provided. Specify which laxatives and what dosage was used for what periods of time.4. A reader would be interested also to know the patient outcome. Was the patient's medication changed? Was the constipation resolved? Was there any follow-up regarding the melanosis coli?5. The standard of English is poor in terms of spelling and grammar. I suggest that some assistance is obtained to improve this either from an English-speaking colleague or an editing service such as Editage.6. There is no reference to the figure in the text.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1-This is a novel case report from Karachi,Pakistan and in particular from our institute and in an elderly patient2-provided the full description of constipation3-already mentioned the duration of laxative ,however added the dose of laxative4-considering the low socioeconomic class,patient lost to followup5-grammer was corrected6-reference added
Minor REVISION comments	It may also be of interest to a reader to know what other medications were used by the patient. Details of the homeopathic and antidiabetic medications could also be provided.	
Optional/General comments		

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PART 2:

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