**INTRODUCTION**

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The introduction should provide a brief description of the context, relevance, and uniqueness for the case study and conclude with a suggestion for how the case study contributes to the state-of-knowledge, including reference to State-of-the-Science, Literature Review, and/or Critically Appraised Topic publications.

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**CASE PRESENTATION**

Provide a brief patient history, comorbid diagnoses, reason for O&P intervention, prior experiences, and results/findings of the patient assessment. It is important to review the essence of the patient presentation, and only relevant information should be included.

**MANAGEMENT AND OUTCOME**

Summarize course of treatment, clinical outcome, outcome measure results, and related patient experience with the O&P intervention. Include graphs or tables as appropriate. Ensure that these fit within the column width. Alternately, place them at the bottom of the page in a single column format. Include de-identified patient or device images as necessary. Use black and white graphics. Do not use color or shaded backgrounds since these will not meet the formatting requirements of the *Journal of Proceedings*.

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# DISCUSSION

Discuss the clinical decisions made, results of the O&P intervention, and comparison to any relevant published reports. Describe any limitations of the case study. If applicable, describe how the case study might inform future research activities related to the case presentation or O&P intervention.

**CONCLUSION**

Highlight any lessons that can be extracted from the case. Conclusions should follow logically from the results presented.

**REFERENCES**

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